**Chinese University of Hong Kong**

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| About partner | About partner | Founded in 1963, the Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) is a comprehensive research university and a regional leader with a global reputation. Unifying the strongest elements of Chinese culture and world-class education traditions, our academic community consisting of eight Faculties and the Graduate School delivers robust and substantive training to the students while our unique college system brings together teachers, students and alumni in a closely-knit community. The University's panoramic views of the Tolo Harbour and the surrounding verdant hills are highly conducive to research and scholarship.  Recent developments have seen the University sign a Collaboration Agreement with Shenzhen University to establish a campus in Shenzhen. The new campus marks an important milestone in the University's plans to offer education in mainland China.  CUHK recently joined the Worldwide Universities Network (WUN), an exclusive association of 19 universities across 6 continents that aims to accelerate the creation of knowledge and to develop leaders who will be prepared to address the significant challenges, and opportunities, of our rapidly changing world. |
|  | About [partner city] | A true city of the 21st century, Hong Kong is a place that is easy to get swept away in, with its towering skyscrapers, amazing cuisine and vibrant culture. Hong Kong is a city of endless possibility, spend days and nights sampling ancient traditions, visiting the Cantonese opera, doing taichi or singing karaoke.  With a world-class transport system, Hong Kong is easy to travel, home to many neighbourhoods and islands along with a stunning harbour. It’s also a place known for its cheap shopping, where there’s always a bargain to be haggled. |
|  | Did you know? [fun fact about partner] | CUHK is home to a number of distinguished scholars including 4 Nobel Laureates, a Fields Medallist, and a Turing Award winner, among others. |
| Academic information | Main areas of study | * Arts * Business * Education * Engineering * Science * Social Science * Law   **Note**   * The listed areas of study are not necessarily exhaustive and other fields of study might also be available at the partner institution. Moreover, names for fields of study may be different overseas. * A discipline being listed does not in indicate the suitability of the program, nor does it indicate that the discipline is taught in English. * Approval to study particular subjects at any institution is always at the discretion of the departmental/discipline and faculty advisors at RMIT University and subject to available places at the host institution. |
|  | Language requirements | CUHK is a bilingual university where English, Cantonese and Putonghua are used for instruction. Although Cantonese is the primary spoken language in Hong Kong, many courses at CUHK are conducted in English. |
|  | Full time load [Equivalent to 96 RMIT Credit Points] | At CUHK, one unit (credit) is roughly equivalent to one hour of instruction per week. Most 3-unit courses are composed of 3 hours of lectures, or 2 hours of lecture and 1 hour of tutorial per week. Academic departments will evaluate students' performance according to their own standards. Students will receive credits for all successfully completed courses. |
|  | Link to courses | <http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/index.php/study-abroad-a-exchanges-for-visiting-students/term-time-exchangestudy-abroad/study-at-cuhk/programme-information#Course_information> |
| Living | Accommodation | Students share a room with one or two CUHK student(s) who have expressed special interest in having a non-CUHK roommate. This will enhance cultural exchange and immersion into local student life. Single rooms are not available for undergraduate exchange and study abroad students.  <http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/index.php/study-abroad-a-exchanges-for-visiting-students/term-time-exchangestudy-abroad/study-at-cuhk/campus-life#accommodation> |
|  | Health insurance | Students need to organise their own health insurance whilst studying in Hong Kong.  A copy of this insurance should be provided to the University at commencement. |
|  | Living cost | A number of external services provide comprehensive overviews of global living costs, for example:   * [www.expatistan.com](http://www.expatistan.com) * [www.numbeo.com](http://www.numbeo.com)   **Note**  RMIT University is not affiliated with any of these page |
| Funding Opportunities | OS-HELP information | [OS-HELP Information page](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help) |
|  | Link to scholarships page? | [All travel scholarships](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel) |
| Useful information | Link to partner exchange page | <http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/index.php/study-abroad-a-exchanges-for-visiting-students/term-time-exchangestudy-abroad/study-at-cuhk> |
|  | Visa | Students should apply for the visa, at least two months prior to the commencement of the orientation program.  <http://www.oal.cuhk.edu.hk/index.php/study-abroad-a-exchanges-for-visiting-students/term-time-exchangestudy-abroad/preparing-to-come-to-cuhk/student-visa> |