

ADMISSION TO MPhil & PhD PROGRAMMES 2022/23



Lingnan University commits itself to providing students with a quality education distinguished by the best liberal arts traditions. We are well-known for our emphasis on teaching and research, student-centred learning, small student population, and an intimate campus setting. Our faculty includes world-class scholars who offer expert, close and supportive thesis supervision to MPhil/PhD students.

Programme of Studies

Lingnan seeks high calibre candidates for the following MPhil and PhD* programmes to pursue in-depth study in specific research areas. The programmes will commence in September 2022.

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| Arts |
| Chinese, Cultural Studies, English, History, Philosophy, Translation, and Visual Studies; |
| Business |
| Accounting, Decision Sciences, Finance, Information Systems Management, Insurance, International Business, Management, Marketing, and Operations Management; |
| Science |
| Environmental Science (MPhil only); |
| Social Sciences |
| Economics, Political Science, Psychology, and Sociology and/or Social Policy. |

* From the 2021-22 academic year, the University has also been offering PhD programmes in collaboration with overseas universities. For further details and updates on our newly launched collaborative programmes, please visit our website at www.LN.edu.hk/sgs/docs/pgrad/coll_prog.php.

Application Methods

Apply for PhD Programmes via the Hong Kong PhD Fellowship Scheme (HKPFS)

- Lingnan is one of the universities which can nominate brilliant applicants for the Fellowship to be granted by the Research Grants Council (RGC) through the HKPFS. Each Fellowship awardee will be provided with an annual stipend of HK\$322,800* and a conference/research-related travel allowance of up to HK\$13,500/year* for a maximum period of three years by the RGC. (* rates subject to annual review) (US\$1 = HK\$7.8)

In addition, the full tuition fee for a Fellowship awardee^ will be waived by Lingnan for his/her first year of study. For an awardee with a normative study period of four years, the University will offer the same level of Fellowship and conference/research-related travel allowance for his/her fourth year of study.

Apply for MPhil/PhD Programmes Directly

- Applicants may seek admission to the MPhil/PhD programmes by applying to the University directly, including programmes in collaboration with overseas universities. Full-time students will normally be provided with Postgraduate Studentships. The full Postgraduate Studentships for a PhD student and an MPhil student will be HK\$18,090/month* and HK\$17,830/month respectively (rates subject to annual review for 2022/23).

* To be raised to HK\$18,440/month after confirmation of candidature

- Application Period: from 1 September to 2 December 2021 (Hong Kong Time 23:59)**

Step 1: Submit an Initial Application to RGC

- Apply via the HKPFS admission system for initial application at www.rgc.edu.hk/hkphd by **1 December 2021 (Hong Kong Time 12:00 noon)**
- Obtain a HKPFS Reference Number

Step 2: Submit a Full Application to Lingnan

- Submit a full application directly to Lingnan's electronic system at www.LN.edu.hk/admissions/applyonline/index-rpg.html by **2 December 2021 (Hong Kong Time 23:59)**
- Quote the HKPFS Reference Number assigned by the RGC for verification

Step 3: Settle the Application Fee Online

^ Eligible local awardees will be given tuition waiver by the HKSAR Government under the scheme of **Tuition Waiver for Local Research Postgraduate Students** for their normal study period. For details, please visit the RGC website at www.ugc.edu.hk/eng/rgc/funding_opport/tws.html.

- Application Period: from 1 November 2021 to 21 January 2022 (Hong Kong Time 23:59)**

Step 1: Apply online via

www.LN.edu.hk/admissions/applyonline/index-rpg.html

Step 2: Settle the Application Fee Online



GS Website



Admission

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