Lingnan 嶺南大學 University 香港 Hong Kong

Department of Government and International Affairs

Master of Arts in International Affairs (MAIA)

國際事務文學碩士

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Explore the Foundations of Global Politics
探索全球政治的基礎

Gain insights into international and comparative politics, developmental studies, international security, and environmental policies, with a special focus on Greater China and critical issues like nationalism and political culture.

深入理解國際與比較政治、發展研究、國際安全及環境政策，特別聚焦大中華地區以及民族主義與政治文化等重要議題。

Master the Dynamics of Policy Change and Its Global Impacts
掌握政策變革的動向及其全球影響

Go beyond theoretical knowledge—understand the forces driving policy shifts and their effects on trade, investment, education, and social organisations.

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International Faculty
國際師資

The teaching staff are mainly full-time faculty members of the Department of Government and International Affairs at Lingnan University. They hold PhD degrees from major universities in the United States, Canada, and Hong Kong, bringing extensive experience in teaching and research.

教學團隊主要由嶺南大學政府與國際事務學系的全職教員組成。他們持有美國、加拿大、及香港主要大學的博士學位，並擁有豐富的教學與研究經驗。

Affordable World-Class Education
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Join a highly internationalised Master's programme offering top-quality education at competitive tuition rates and affordable living costs in Hong Kong.

加入高度國際化的碩士課程，以極具競爭力的學費和合理的生活成本享受優質教育。

Unlock Diverse Career Opportunities
開啟多元職業道路

MAIA equips graduates for career in civil service, journalism and communication, corporate leadership, diplomacy, political and economic analysis, education, and NGO work. The programme also builds a solid foundation for PhD studies.

MAIA幫助畢業生為投身於公務員、新聞與傳播行業、企業領導階層、外交事務、政經分析、教育及非政府組織等領域做好充分準備。課程也為攻讀博士學位奠定堅實基礎。



The Programme 課程簡介

Mode & Duration
修學模式及年期

1-year
Full-time programme
一年全日制

▶ Structure 結構

30 credits in 9 courses (5 required, 3 elective and 1 capstone project)
修滿30學分，包括5門必修，3門選修和1門總結科目，共9門科目

▶ Class Format 授課形式

Each course typically includes a weekly 3-hours seminar
每門課程每週安排一次三小時講授/研討

▶ Learning Environment 學習環境

Classes are conducted in a seminar-style format, encouraging active interaction and in-depth discussions
採用研討式教學，鼓勵積極互動與深入討論

▶ Enrichment Activities 拓展活動

Academic seminars, workshops and conferences are organised, featuring both local and international scholars who share their research ideas and findings with students
舉辦學術研討會，邀請海內外學者分享研究成果

Required Course
必修科

- MIA501 Theories and Approaches of International Relations
- MIA502 Theories and Approaches of Comparative Politics
- MIA503 International Security
- MIA504 Politics of Global Economic Interdependence
- MIA505 Research Methods in International Affairs

Elective Course
選修科

- MIA601 Politics of Development in Asia Pacific
- MIA602 Greater China: Identity, Interaction, Integration and Diversity
- MIA603 International Organizations and Global Governance
- MIA604 Environmental Politics and Global Governance
- MIA605 International Politics of the Asia-Pacific
- MIA606 Foreign Policy and International Relations of China
- MIA607 NGOs, Civil Society and the State
- MIA608 Ethnic Conflicts and Nationalist Crises
- MIA609 Youth Movements and Dissent Politics
- MIA610 Selected Issues in Contemporary Chinese Politics

Capstone Project
總結科目

- MIA615 Master of Arts in International Affairs Capstone Project

Sharing from MAIA Graduates
畢業生分享

Dr. CHEN Lisha 陳麗莎博士
(MAIA 2020 Graduate and Ph.D., Lingnan University
國際事務文學碩士2020畢業生及嶺南大學博士)

One of the most profound impacts of the MAIA programme on me was how it reshaped my understanding of global affairs. Through engaging coursework and thought-provoking discussions, I learned to critically analyse international issues and connect theories to real-world developments. This intellectual growth sharpened my awareness of how our personal well-being is intricately linked to global dynamics. The strong academic foundation I gained through MAIA's thoughtfully designed courses enabled me to pursue PhD studies at Lingnan, where I now serve as a lecturer.

MAIA對我影響最深遠之處，在於它重塑了我對全球事務的認知。透過引人入勝的課程與發人深省的討論，我學會以批判性思維探討國際議題，並將理論與現實發展相聯繫。這種思想上的成長讓我意識到個人福祉如何與全球動態緊密相連。通過MAIA精心設計的課程打下的堅實學術基礎，使我能順利攻讀嶺南大學博士學位，如今更以講師身份在此執教。

Mr. WANG Meng 王猛先生
(MAIA 2023 Graduate 國際事務文學碩士 2023畢業生)

Studying in the MAIA programme not only sharpened my thinking, particularly my critical thinking skills, but also instilled in me a disciplined attitude toward academics. I still remember Professor Tam telling me, "Before reaching a conclusion, you must gather sufficient evidence to support your view." This advice deeply influenced both my studies and my approach to life. Thanks to the guidance of the professors and the university, I will always take pride in being a Lingnaner and carry the lessons I've learned into my future life and career.

MAIA課程不僅鍛鍊了我的思維能力，尤其是批判性思維，更培養了我嚴謹的求學態度。至今仍記得譚教授對我的教誨：「在得出結論之前，必須收集足夠的證據來支撐你的觀點。」這句話深深影響了我的學習與為人。感謝教授們與學校的指引，我將永遠以嶺南人的身份為榮，並帶著在這裡收穫的一切，走向未來的生活與事業。

Mr. ZHANG Zhicong 張智聰先生
(MAIA 2024 Graduate 國際事務文學碩士2024畢業生)

The professors of the MAIA programme are experts in their respective fields, and their advice was truly inspiring. They were always patient in addressing questions and encouraged students to ask questions and engage in open communication. Their openness and respect made the learning experience both reassuring and rewarding. MAIA also brings together people from around the world and across different age groups, which made me realise the diversity of both learning and life paths.

MAIA的教授們都是各自領域的專家。他們的建議極具啟發性，總能耐心解答問題，鼓勵學生提問並開放交流。他們的開放與尊重讓學習過程既安心又收穫豐碩。此外，MAIA還匯聚了來自世界不同地區、不同年齡層的學生，讓我真切感受到了學習和人生道路的多種可能。

Admission Requirements
錄取要求

- A bachelor's degree from a recognised tertiary institution
- An applicant whose degree is obtained from an institution where the medium of instruction is not English should obtain:
  - a minimum score of 79 in TOEFL Internet-Based Test; or
  - a band score of 6.0 or above in IELTS; or
  - a minimum score of 450 or above in College English Test Band 6 (CET-6), with proof of competency in spoken English; or
  - an equivalent score in a recognised test
- Interview will be conducted
- 持有認可院校頒發的學士學位
- 若申請人所獲學歷之授課語言非英語，應考獲：
  - 托福網考最低79分；或
  - 雅思6.0分或以上；或
  - 大學英語六級考試450分或以上，並提供口語能力証明；或
  - 其他認可考試的同等成績
- 通過入學面試

Application Fee 申請費	Tuition fee 學費
HK$400	HK$190,000

Programme Website
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