

Course Checklist for BSocSc Students
(For details, please refer to the Programme Structure.)

Major in Economics

Course Category		Recommended Study Year	No. of Credits
Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence		Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27
Cluster Courses A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters: (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies		Any year	
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II		Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6
English Language For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language): <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II One English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language): <u>LUE1002</u> University English II Two English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	Year 1 (for LUE1001 & 1002) Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for ELE Elective & LUE4003)	12
5 Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>ECO2104</u> Introduction to Microeconomics <u>ECO2105</u> Introduction to Macroeconomics <u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science <u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology <u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology		Year 1	15
Major Required Courses (4 in all) <u>ECO3104</u> Tools for Economic Analysis <u>ECO3105</u> Introduction to Statistics and Econometrics <u>ECO3201</u> Intermediate Microeconomics <u>ECO3202</u> Intermediate Macroeconomics		Year 2 or 3	12
Major Elective Courses (Choose 6 in all, but at least 3 in 4000-level) [BSocSc students under the Major in Economics who have completed the five concentration courses (marked with “@” below) are qualified for declaring the Concentration in Global Economics and Banking.]		Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for 3000-level courses) Year 3 or 4 (for 4000-level courses)	18
<u>ECO3001</u> The Hong Kong Housing Market <u>ECO3002</u> The Economics of the Digital Economy <u>ECO3003</u> Public Economics, Finance and Policymaking <u>ECO3203</u> Labour Economics <u>ECO3208</u> Principles of Public Policy <u>ECO3209</u> The Hong Kong Economy <u>ECO3211</u> Chinese Economy <u>ECO3213</u> China, Hong Kong, and the World Economy: the Greater Bay and beyond <u>ECO3214</u> Globalisation and Economic Integration <u>ECO3216</u> Behavioural Economics <u>ECO3218</u> Development Economics <u>ECO3311</u> Economics of the Family <u>ECO3313</u> Urban Economics	<u>ECO4001</u> Economics of Markets and Regulations <u>ECO4002</u> Economics of Law and Policy <u>ECO4203</u> Applied Econometrics <u>ECO4217</u> Money and Banking @ <u>ECO4305</u> International Trade and Trade Policy @ <u>ECO4306</u> International Finance @ <u>ECO4316</u> Industrial Economics and Competition Policy <u>ECO4320</u> Game Theory and Strategic Behaviour <u>ECO4323</u> Financial Economics @ <u>ECO4324</u> Environmental Economics and Policy <u>SSC2113</u> Linear Algebra <u>SSC2114</u> Calculus <u>SSC3312</u> Health Policy <u>SSC4207</u> International Political Economy @ <u>SSC4319</u> Senior Thesis		
SSC3319 Junior Research Project		Year 3 or 4	3
9 Free Elective Courses		Any year	27
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree			120

Major in Government and International Affairs

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Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence	Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27
Cluster Courses <u>A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters:</u> (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies	Any year	
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II	Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6
English Language <u>For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>One</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences <u>For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>Two</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	Year 1 (for LUE1001 & 1002) Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for ELE Elective & LUE4003)	12
4 Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>ECO2101</u> Introduction to Economics <u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science <u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology <u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology	Year 1	12
Major Required Courses (4 in all) <u>GOV3101</u> Empirical Political Analysis: Approaches and Methods <u>GOV3203</u> International Politics <u>GOV3210</u> Comparative Politics <u>GOV3217</u> Modern Political Ideologies	Year 2 or 3	12
Major Elective Courses (Choose 7 in all, but at least 3 in 4000-level) <u>GOV3103</u> Gender and Politics <u>GOV3104</u> Media, Data and Politics <u>GOV3105</u> Political Economy of Development <u>GOV3106</u> Small States in World Politics <u>GOV3107</u> Contemporary Asia Pacific <u>GOV3201</u> Government and Politics of Contemporary China <u>GOV3205</u> Global Governance <u>GOV3208</u> Public Policy: Values and Processes <u>GOV3214</u> Government and Politics of Hong Kong <u>GOV3215</u> Taiwan: Politics and Society <u>GOV3216</u> American Foreign Policy <u>GOV3218</u> War and Peace <u>GOV3219</u> Introduction to Computational Political Science <u>GOV3221</u> Ethics and Public Affairs <u>GOV4001</u> Seminar in International Political Economy <u>GOV4003</u> Comparative Judicial Politics <u>GOV4004</u> Elections, Party Competition and Electioneering <u>GOV4005</u> Religion and Political Conflicts <u>GOV4006</u> Regional Cooperation and Integration <u>GOV4007</u> Politics and Foreign Relations of Japan <u>GOV4303</u> Global Environmental Politics <u>GOV4305</u> Chinese Foreign Policy <u>GOV4308</u> Selected Issues in Asian Pacific Governance <u>GOV4309</u> Current Issues in International Politics <u>GOV4319</u> International Politics of Northeast Asia <u>GOV4320</u> International Politics of Southeast Asia <u>SSC3213</u> Political Psychology and Behaviour <u>SSC4319</u> Senior Thesis	Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for 3000-level courses) Year 3 or 4 (for 4000-level courses)	21
SSC3319 Junior Research Project	Year 3 or 4	3
9 Free Elective Courses	Any year	27
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree		120

Major in Psychology

Course Category	Recommended Study Year	No. of Credits
Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence	Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27
Cluster Courses <u>A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters:</u> (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies	Any year	
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II	Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6
English Language <u>For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>One</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences <u>For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>Two</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	Year 1 (for LUE1001 & 1002) Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for ELE Elective & LUE4003)	12
4 Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>ECO2101</u> Introduction to Economics <u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science <u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology <u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology	Year 1	12
Major Required Courses (5 in all) <u>PSY3101</u> Research Methods and Statistics for Psychology I <u>PSY3201</u> Human Development and Psychology of Adulthood @ <u>PSY3205</u> Social Psychology + <u>PSY3209</u> Cognitive Psychology <u>PSY4101</u> Research Methods and Statistics for Psychology II	Year 2 or 3	15
Major Elective Courses (Choose 6 in all, but at least 3 in 4000-level) BSocSc students under the Major in Psychology who have completed the five counselling-related courses (marked with “@”) are qualified for declaring the <u>Concentration in Counselling Psychology</u> . BSocSc students under the Major in Psychology who are not pursuing any other Concentration(s) and have completed the five courses related to I-O Psychology (4 required courses marked with “+” and 1 out of 3 elective courses marked with “++”) are qualified for declaring the <u>Concentration in Industrial and Organisational (I-O) Psychology</u> . <u>PSY3001</u> Stress and Coping: Theory and Practices @ <u>PSY3102</u> Exploring Psychology in Western and Chinese Cultures <u>PSY3103</u> Psychology of Human Performance and Technology++ <u>PSY3202</u> Psychology Applied to Occupational Safety and Health++ <u>PSY3206</u> Abnormal Psychology @ <u>PSY3207</u> Health Psychology <u>PSY3208</u> Personality and Individual Differences + <u>PSY3210</u> Engineering Psychology and Human-Centered Design <u>PSY3301</u> Positive Psychology and Positive Living <u>PSY3332</u> Environmental Psychology <u>PSY3333</u> Educational Psychology <u>PSY4001</u> Biological Psychology <u>PSY4002</u> Sensation and Perception <u>PSY4003</u> Psychological Testing and Assessment @+ <u>PSY4102</u> Cross-cultural Psychology ++ <u>PSY4103</u> Contemporary Issues in Psychology <u>PSY4310</u> Counseling Psychology @ <u>PSY4325</u> Industrial and Organisational Psychology + <u>PSY4326</u> The Neuroscience of Social Behaviour <u>SSC3213</u> Political Psychology and Behaviour <u>SSC4319</u> Senior Thesis	Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for 3000-level courses) Year 3 or 4 (for 4000-level courses)	18
SSC3319 Junior Research Project	Year 3 or 4	3
9 Free Elective Courses	Any year	27
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree		120

Major in Sociology

Course Category		Recommended Study Year	No. of Credits
Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence		Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27
Cluster Courses <u>A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters:</u> (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies		Any year	
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II		Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6
English Language <u>For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>One</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences		<u>For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>Two</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	12
4 Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>ECO2101</u> Introduction to Economics <u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science <u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology <u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology		Year 1	
Major Required Courses (4 in all) <u>SOC3101</u> Sociological Research Methods <u>SOC3201</u> Classical Sociological Theory <u>SOC3202</u> Contemporary Sociological Theory <u>SOC3204</u> Society and Social Change		Year 2 or 3	12
Major Elective Courses (Choose 7 in all, but at least 3 in 4000-level and one research method course, either SOC4217 Quantitative Research Methods or SOC4101 Qualitative Research Methods) BSocSc students under the Major in Sociology who have completed the five concentration courses (2 required courses marked with "@" and 3 out of 4 elective courses marked with "@@") are qualified for declaring the <u>Concentration in Social Innovation and Social Studies</u> . <u>SDA3001</u> Social Networks <u>SOC3002</u> Family and Society <u>SOC3003</u> Ethnicity and Ethnic Minorities @@ <u>SOC3004</u> Community and Society @@ <u>SOC3102</u> Mass Communication <u>SOC3203</u> Social Gerontology <u>SOC3212</u> Hong Kong Society <u>SOC3311</u> Urban Sociology <u>SOC3323</u> Organisations and Bureaucracy <u>SOC3330</u> Crime and Delinquency <u>SOC3334</u> Science, Technology and Society <u>SOC3335</u> Housing and Society <u>SOC3336</u> Digital Society <u>SOC3338</u> Social Stratification and Inequality <u>SOC3340</u> Consumption and Society		<u>SOC3341</u> Social Innovation Seminar: Dialogue with Change-Makers @ <u>SOC3342</u> Non-Profit Organizations and the Voluntary Sector@ <u>SOC3343</u> Understanding Social Impact @@ <u>SOC3344</u> Measuring Society <u>SOC4001</u> Historical Justice and Collective Memory <u>SOC4002</u> Gender and Society <u>SOC4101</u> Qualitative Research Methods <u>SOC4103</u> Social Issues in Contemporary Chinese Societies <u>SOC4104</u> Special Topics in Sociological Analysis <u>SOC4213</u> Risk, Society and Modernity <u>SOC4217</u> Quantitative Research Methods <u>SOC4321</u> Social Justice <u>SOC4324</u> Work and Occupation <u>SOC4328</u> Ageing, Adaptation and Change @@ <u>SOC4341</u> Integrative Seminar in Global Media and Society <u>SSC4319</u> Senior Thesis	21
SSC3319 Junior Research Project		Year 3 or 4	
9 Free Elective Courses		Any year	27
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree			120

Major in Social and Public Policy Studies

Course Category	Recommended Study Year	No. of Credits
Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence	Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27
Cluster Courses <u>A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters:</u> (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies	Any year	
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II	Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6
English Language <u>For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>One</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences <u>For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>Two</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	Year 1 (for LUE1001 & 1002) Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for ELE Elective & LUE4003)	12
4 Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>ECO2101</u> Introduction to Economics <u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science <u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology <u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology	Year 1	12
Major Required Courses (4 in all) <u>ECO3208</u> Principles of Public Policy or <u>SOC3001</u> Principles and Practice of Social Policy <u>SOC3203</u> Social Gerontology <u>SSC3102</u> Seminar in Social and Public Policy Issues Any <u>one</u> of the following methods courses offered by the Majors in the BSocSc Programme, i.e. ECO3105, ECO4203, GOV3101, PSY3101, SOC3101, or SOC4217.	Year 2 or 3	12
Major Elective Courses (Choose 7 in all) BSocSc students under the Major in Social and Public Policy Studies who have completed the four required courses in the Major in SPSS and five concentration courses (3 required courses marked with "@" and 2 out of 3 elective courses marked with "@@") are qualified for declaring the <u>Concentration in Smart Cities and Digital Society</u> . <u>ECO3001</u> The Hong Kong Housing Market <u>ECO3002</u> The Economics of the Digital Economy @ <u>ECO3003</u> Public Economics, Finance and Policymaking <u>ECO3208</u> Principles of Public Policy <u>ECO3209</u> The Hong Kong Economy <u>ECO3313</u> Urban Economics @@ <u>ECO4002</u> Economics of Law and Policy <u>ECO4324</u> Environmental Economics and Policy <u>GOV3208</u> Public Policy: Value and Processes <u>GOV3214</u> Government and Politics of Hong Kong <u>PSY3103</u> Psychology of Human Performance and Technology @@ <u>PSY3202</u> Psychology Applied to Occupational Safety and Health <u>PSY3332</u> Environmental Psychology <u>SOC3212</u> Hong Kong Society <u>SOC3311</u> Urban Sociology @@ <u>SOC3327</u> Social Welfare and Social Problems in Hong Kong <u>SOC3335</u> Housing and Society <u>SOC3336</u> Digital Society @ <u>SOC3337</u> Smart Cities Seminar @ <u>SOC4328</u> Ageing, Adaptation and Change <u>SOC4329</u> Global Health <u>SOC4340</u> Digitisation and Datafication of Social Policy <u>SOC4341</u> Integrative Seminar in Global Media and Society <u>SSC3218</u> Environment and Society in Hong Kong <u>SSC3312</u> Health Policy <u>SSC3315</u> Labour Market and Education Policy <u>SSC4301</u> Policy-making, Collective Action and Public Choice <u>SSC4319</u> Senior Thesis	Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for 3000-level courses) Year 3 or 4 (for 4000-level courses)	21
SSC3319 Junior Research Project	Year 3 or 4	3
9 Free Elective Courses	Any year	27
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree		120

Major in Health and Social Services Management

Course Category		Recommended Study Year	No. of Credits	
Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence		Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27	
Cluster Courses <u>A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters:</u> (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies		Any year		
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II		Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6	
English Language <u>For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>One</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences		<u>For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language):</u> <u>LUE1002</u> University English II <u>Two</u> English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	Year 1 (for LUE1001 & 1002) Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for ELE Elective & LUE4003)	12
4 Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>ECO2101</u> Introduction to Economics <u>GOV2101</u> Introduction to Political Science <u>PSY2101</u> Introduction to Psychology <u>SOC2101</u> Introduction to Sociology		Year 1	12	
Major Required Courses (5 in all) <u>HSM3001</u> Introduction to Health and Social Care <u>HSM4001</u> Leading and Managing Health and Social Services <u>HSM4003</u> Fundraising and Programme Evaluation <u>SOC3101</u> Sociological Research Methods <u>SOC4329</u> Global Health		Year 2 or 3	15	
Major Elective Courses (Choose 6 in all, but at least 2 in 4000-level) <u>HSM3002</u> Health and Social Service Provisions for Special Populations <u>HSM3004</u> Community-based Social Services <u>HSM3005</u> Modern Technology in Health and Social Services <u>HSM3006</u> Human Resources in Health and Social Services <u>HSM4002</u> Health and Social Service Project <u>HSM4004</u> Social and Healthcare Policies in Hong Kong and China <u>PSY3001</u> Stress and Coping: Theory and Practices <u>PSY3207</u> Health Psychology		<u>SOC3001</u> Principles and Practice of Social Policy <u>SOC3002</u> Family and Society <u>SOC3203</u> Social Gerontology <u>SOC3327</u> Social Welfare and Social Problems in Hong Kong <u>SOC3335</u> Housing and Society <u>SOC3341</u> Social Innovation Seminar: Dialogue with Change-Makers <u>SOC3342</u> Non-Profit Organizations and the Voluntary Sector <u>SOC3343</u> Understanding Social Impact <u>SOC4321</u> Social Justice <u>SOC4328</u> Ageing, Adaptation and Change <u>SSC3312</u> Health Policy	Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for 3000-level courses) Year 3 or 4 (for 4000-level courses)	18
SSC3319 Junior Research Project		Year 3 or 4	3	
9 Free Elective Courses		Any year	27	
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree			120	

Major in Social Data Science

Course Category		Recommended Study Year	No. of Credits
Common Core <u>CCC8011</u> Critical Thinking: Analysis and Argumentation <u>CCC8012</u> The Making of Hong Kong <u>CCC8013</u> The Process of Science <u>CCC8014</u> China in World History <u>CCC8015</u> Generative Artificial Intelligence		Year 1 (for CCC8011, 8012 & 8015) Year 2 (for CCC8013 & 8014)	27
Cluster Courses A total of 4 courses, 1 course from 4 of the following Clusters: (1) <u>CLA</u> - Creativity and Innovation (2) <u>CLB</u> - Humanities and the Arts (3) <u>CLC</u> - Management and Society (4) <u>CLD</u> - Science, Technology, Mathematics and Society (5) <u>CLE</u> - Values, Cultures and Societies		Any year	
Chinese Language <u>LCC1010</u> Chinese Communication I <u>LCC2010</u> Chinese Communication II		Year 1 (for LCC1010) Year 2 (for LCC2010)	6
English Language For Group A Students (HKDSE Level 3 or equivalent in English Language): <u>LUE1001</u> University English I <u>LUE1002</u> University English II One English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Course <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	For Group B Students (HKDSE Level 4 or above or equivalent in English Language): <u>LUE1002</u> University English II Two English Language Enhancement (ELE) Elective Courses <u>LUE4003</u> Professional Communication in English for Social Sciences	Year 1 (for LUE1001 & 1002) Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for ELE Elective & LUE4003)	12
Social Sciences Foundation Courses <u>SDA1001</u> Introduction to Social Data Science Any <u>two</u> of the following 4 foundation courses offered by the BSocSc Programme, i.e. ECO2101, GOV2101, PSY2101, and/or SOC2101.		Year 1	9
Major Required Courses (5 in all) <u>CDS1001</u> Introduction to Programming for Data Science <u>CDS1004</u> Mathematical Fundamentals for Data Science <u>CDS2002</u> Introduction to Artificial Intelligence <u>CDS3004</u> Data Mining <u>SSC4319</u> Senior Thesis		Year 1 (for CDS1001 & 1004) Year 2 (for CDS2002) Year 3 or 4 (for CDS3004 & SSC4319)	15
Major Elective Courses (7 in all) Social Data Science Electives (Choose 2 or 3 elective courses) <u>ECO3002</u> The Economics of the Digital Economy <u>GOV3219</u> Introduction to Computational Political Science <u>PSY3103</u> Psychology of Human Performance and Technology <u>PSY3210</u> Engineering Psychology and Human-Centered Design <u>SDA3001</u> Social Networks <u>SOC3334</u> Science, Technology and Society <u>SOC3336</u> Digital Society <u>SOC4340</u> Digitisation and Datafication of Social Policy	Concentration (Choose 1 out of 4 Concentrations, and complete the set of courses in the chosen Concentration) A. Concentration in Economics (4 in all) <u>ECO3104</u> Tools for Economic Analysis <u>ECO3105</u> Introduction to Statistics and Econometrics <u>ECO3201</u> Intermediate Microeconomics <u>ECO3202</u> Intermediate Macroeconomics B. Concentration in Government and International Affairs (4 in all) <u>GOV3101</u> Empirical Political Analysis: Approaches and Methods <u>GOV3203</u> International Politics <u>GOV3210</u> Comparative Politics <u>GOV3217</u> Modern Political Ideologies C. Concentration in Psychology (5 in all) <u>PSY3101</u> Research Methods and Statistics for Psychology I <u>PSY3201</u> Human Development and Psychology of Adulthood <u>PSY3205</u> Social Psychology <u>PSY3209</u> Cognitive Psychology <u>PSY4101</u> Research Methods and Statistics for Psychology II D. Concentration in Sociology (4 in all) <u>SOC3101</u> Sociological Research Methods <u>SOC3201</u> Classical Sociological Theory <u>SOC3202</u> Contemporary Sociological Theory <u>SOC3204</u> Society and Social Change	Year 2 or 3 or 4 (for 3000-level courses) Year 3 or 4 (for 4000-level courses)	21
<u>SSC3319</u> Junior Research Project		Year 3 or 4	3
9 Free Elective Courses		Any year	27
Minimum Credits for Honours Degree			120

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