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香港大學社會科學學院

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Bachelor of Social Sciences (BSocSc) Admissions Talk



Background

Founded
in 1967



100+
professoriate staff



Students:

- **1,700** UG
- **300** visiting/exchange
- **1,400** TPG
- **240** RPG



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Departments



Geography



Journalism



Politics and Public Administration



Psychology



Social Work and Social Administration



Sociology

Undergraduate Curricula

JUPAS Code | Curriculum

6212		BASc*	▶	Bachelor of Arts and Sciences
6195		BEd & BSocSc[#]	▶	Bachelor of Education and Bachelor of Social Sciences
6810		BSocSc (G&L) & LLB	▶	Bachelor of Social Sciences (Government and Laws) and Bachelor of Laws
6717		BSocSc	▶	Bachelor of Social Sciences
6822		BJ	▶	Bachelor of Journalism
6731		BSW	▶	Bachelor of Social Work

** Jointly offered with the Faculty of Arts and Faculty of Science*

[#]Jointly offered with the Faculty of Education

Bachelor of Social Sciences

(BSocSc) 6717



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Curriculum Structure

University Requirements

a. Core University English course	Introductory	6
b. English in the Discipline course	Advanced	6
c. Chinese Enhancement course	Introductory	6
d. Common Core courses	Introductory	36

Disciplinary Major

a. Introductory course	Introductory	6-12
b. Pre-requisites	Introductory	12
c. Advanced courses	Advanced	42-48
d. Capstone requirement	Advanced	6-12
e. Social Innovation and Global Citizenship	Advanced	24

Free electives / other major / minor

Advanced/ Introductory	90
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Total: 240 credits

Majors / Minors Options



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Disciplinary Majors

Students shall declare at least **one of these disciplinary majors** in the first semester of their Year 2 studies, and confirm their major(s)/minor(s) by the second last semester of their studies.



China Studies



Geography



**Politics and Public
Administration**



Sociology



Psychology



**Social Policy &
Social Development**

Multi-disciplinary Majors and Minors



Criminology



Neuroscience



**Urban
Governance**



**Media & Cultural
Studies**



Counselling



**Cognitive
Science**

Majors / Minors Options

Apart from the disciplinary major, students may also opt for **double majors or 1-2 minor(s)** offered by the Faculty of Social Sciences or other Faculties.



Majors / Minors Options



Psychology
(major)



**Politics and Public
Administration**
(major)



Sociology
(major)



Counselling
(major)

Majors / Minors Options



**Social Work and
Social Administration**
(major)

+
Neuroscience
(major)

+
Economics
(minor)



Geography
(major)



Finance
(major)



China Studies
(major)



Marketing
(minor)



Translation
(minor)

Social Innovation & Global Citizenship

Experiential Learning



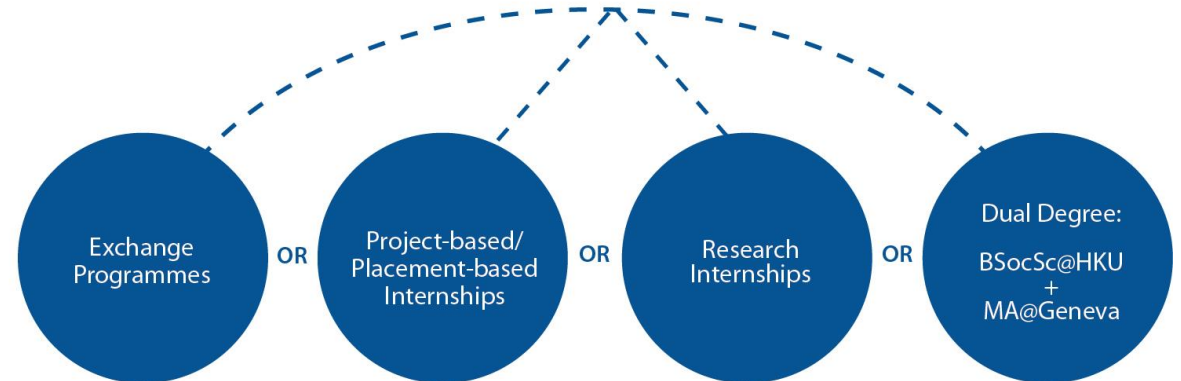
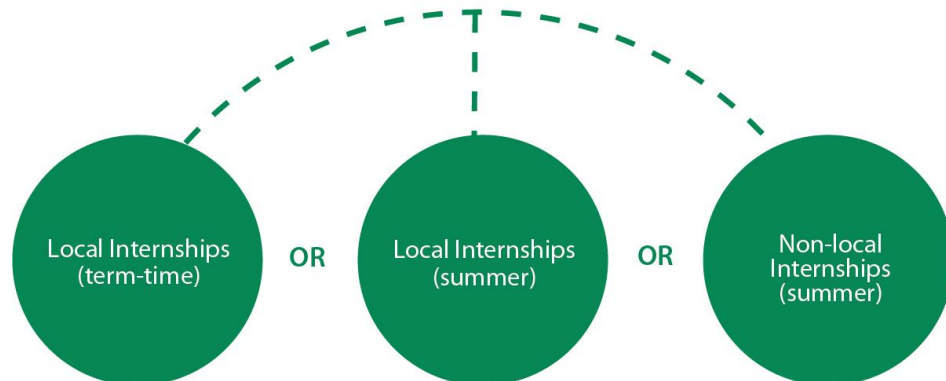
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SOCIAL INNOVATION AND GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

SIGC
24 CREDITS



Internship Community Partners

**Social
Innovation**

12 credits

**global
Citizenship**

12 credits



Total No. of CPs > 160

global
Citizenship

12 credits

Exchange Partners



- Full-year / One-semester exchange opportunities
- Summer / Winter study programmes for credit transfer

Entrance Requirements



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For JUPAS Applicants

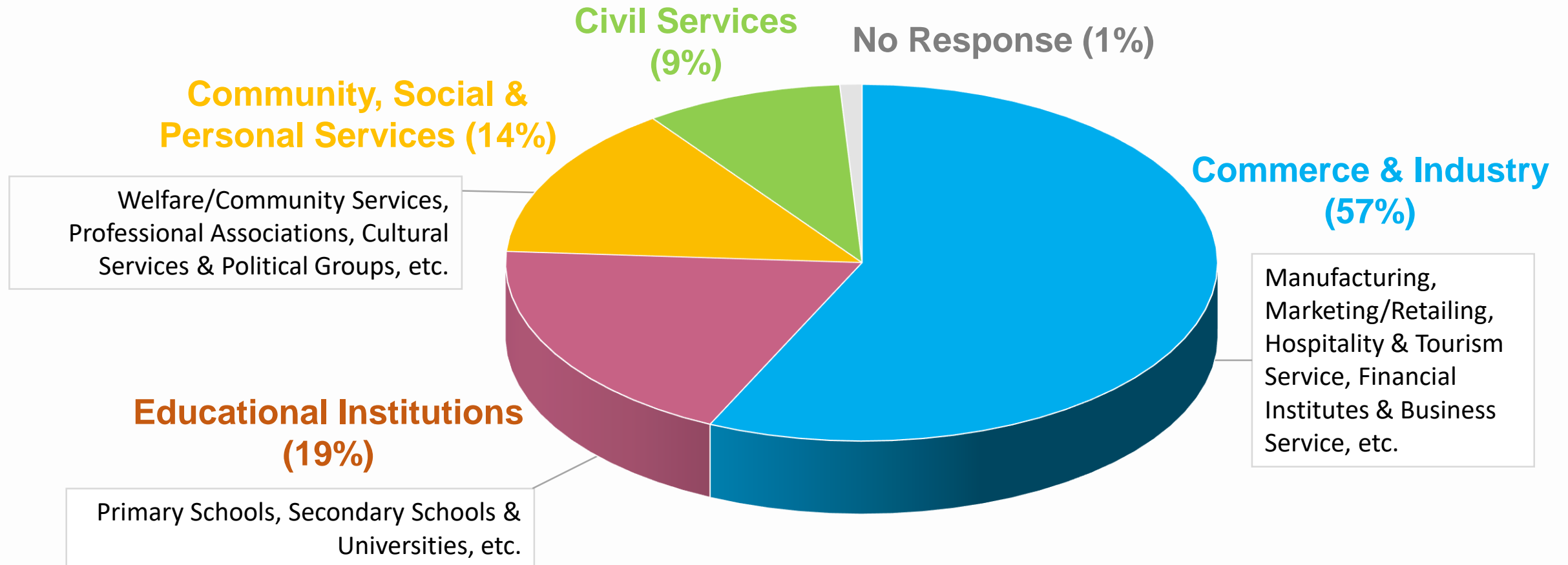
- Best 5 among Category A or C subjects excluding M1/M2
- Candidates may be invited for interview
- Admission only to Band A applicants

**Make BSocSc (6717) as
Band A choice**

For Non-JUPAS Applicants

- Expected lower boundary of BSocSc admission for reference:
IB: 34 or above
GCE A-Level: at least 2A1B (excluding English and Chinese Language)
- May vary from year to year
- Never lower than the University Entrance Requirements

BSocSc Graduates Careers 2019



(Graduate Employment Survey 2019)



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MENTAL WELLNESS

Psychological Well-being: Suicide Prevention A Cradle of Academic Leaders

Water Initiative on Sustainability and Engagement **Voices of the Society** Creative Healing with Art

State Key Laboratory: Interdisciplinary Brain and Cognitive Sciences Making Impact through Innovative Internships

Personal Empowerment to Collective Transformation Socien**ti**st.CantoPop.James Wong

An Inclusive City: Walkability Nature-based Solutions for Cities Social Work Education since 50s

Counselling Profession - Capacity Building Evolution of the Faculty of Social Sciences

ExCEL3 Knowledge Informed Professional Practice Intellectual Exchange@FOSS

Fraternity@FOSS From Gown to Serve

Socien**ti**st Chief Executive Deanship@FOSS

Teaching Excellence Revolution: Body.Mind.Spirit

Professional Journalism Autism Support Network

Impact

Educational Psychology - the Profession The Alumni - Journalists around the World

Holistic Support for Elderly Mental Wellness ENABLE In Honour and Appreciation... Dedicated Colleagues@FOSS

Footprints in Global Extra-curricular Contests Honourable Socien**ti**stists Read & Write

3+1 Is@Celebration Year Inclusiveness.Choices.Life Planning Government Leaders

Social Sciences Society Rural Sustainability@Lai Chi Wo CADENZA Community Engagement@FOSS

International Recognition - Outstanding Research Awards Ready to Serve We are the World

Promoting Community Safety through Partnership Clinical Psychology - Understanding and Helping People

End-of-Life Community Care Internationalisation on Campus

Teaching & Learning

experiential learning

RESOURCES BANK

CLASS of 2020

Student Ambassadors Scheme

BASC Bachelor of Arts & Sciences

e-Learning Teaching Bank

Events

Firstyear Experience

social innovation

global Citizenship

Community Projects

Knowledge Exchange

ExCEL3

JCEPCC

Jockey Club Lab for Cultural Diversity Study

JC-WISE

Jockey Club "Peace and Awareness" Resilience Culture in Schools Initiative



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