Students who wish to pursue the Dual Degree option are required to declare their intention to do so at the beginning of the academic year. The duration of the SPEA MPA is subject to the regulations of the Indiana University. For details, please refer to the Indiana University’s website by scanning the above QR code.

Dual Degree at SPEA at IU, Bloomington*

IMPORTANT DATES

**Deadlines of online application**
- November 6, 2020 (Round 1)
- February 26, 2021 (Round 2)
- March 29, 2021 (Round 3) Full-time only
- May 31, 2021 (Round 3) Part-time only

**Admission tests & interviews**
- November 22-23, 30 and December 1, 2020 (Round 1)
- February 28-March 7, 2021 (Round 2)
- March 25-31, 2021 (Round 3) Full-time only
- April 6-10, 2021 (Round 3) Part-time only

**Announcement of the results (Provisional Offer)**
- Late December, 2020 (Round 1)
- Late March, 2021 (Round 2)
- Late April 2021 (Round 3) Full-time only
- Late June 2021 (Round 3) Part-time only

**Deadline of Application**
- The online application will be closed on March 22, 2021 (For Full-time only) and May 31, 2021 (For Part-time only).
- To apply, please go to http://www.ast.hku.hk/tpg

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**PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES**

- Professional Network and Skills Development
  - As a student you will join a network of like-minded individuals and
  - Meet nonprofit professionals during in-class guest lectures, field visits and study trips to innovative nonprofits
  - Gain experience and valuable insight into the Hong Kong non-profit sector with internship opportunities at local nonprofits
  - Join a rich alumni network, and have the opportunity to participate in exclusive alumni events where they can interact with prominent local and international experts

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**ENQUIRY**

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**Workshops & Info Sessions**

- **November 11, 2020**
  - 7:00 – 8:30 pm
  - Zoom or CJF 5.32, 5/F, The Jockey Club Tower, Centennial Campus, HKU

- **January 13, 2021**
  - 7:00 – 8:30 pm
  - Zoom or CJF 5.33, 5/F, The Jockey Club Tower, Centennial Campus, HKU

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MESSAGE FROM PROGRAMME DIRECTOR

The Master of Social Sciences in Nonprofit Management programme is the first master degree in nonprofit management in Hong Kong. Our programme trains global leaders in the nonprofit sector, with a focus on the Asia/Pacific regions. It addresses cutting-edge developments in social innovation, strategic problem-solving, impact philanthropy, and capacity enhancement through effective leadership, financial planning, social branding, and design thinking.

This curriculum offers cross disciplinary research-led teaching and connects nonprofit leaders from the field including NPM alumni, local and global experts to share experiences and insights, deepening students' knowledge and practice competence. Students will examine a wide range of nonprofit-related entities including social service and advocacy organizations, family foundations, corporate social responsibility programmes, and social enterprises. The blended learning involving intensive on-campus teaching and online forum is uniquely designed for working professionals. Students are prepared to advance their careers in the nonprofit sector and to create broader social impact locally and internationally following graduation.

The programme is designed to train the next generation of leaders that promote the sustained growth of the non-profit sector and philanthropic foundations in the East, where civil society has been actively developing in recent years with vibrant socioeconomic development.

We look forward to welcoming you.

Dr. Lucy P. JORDAN
Programme Director
Master of Social Sciences in Nonprofit Management
Department of Social Work and Social Administration

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates are required to have a Bachelor’s degree with honours or equivalent, and preferably have an equivalent three years of full-time relevant working experience in the public, private or nonprofit sectors. For further details, please visit: http://www.socialwork.hku.hk/programme/msse/mnmp/admission

DURATION

1 year full-time (with intensive on-campus teaching week on a monthly basis and online distance learning, supplemented by field visits and study trips)
2 year part-time

CURRICULUM STRUCTURE

Students are required to complete 4 compulsory courses, 4 elective courses, and a capstone project (equivalent to two courses) in order to receive the MSocSc (NPM) degree. Students can also take elective courses from the Master of Social Sciences (Social Service Management) programme upon approval from the respective Programme Director.

WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THE PROGRAMME?

Professionals from charitable foundations, social and civic organisations, corporations, the media, governmental units, welfare and religious service organisations, etc who wish to take on leadership roles to make a better society, should apply. The Programme will help graduates deliver outstanding service, make decisions and carry out programme relevant research.

SCHOLARSHIPS#

Simatelex Charitable Foundation Scholarship in Nonprofit Management
The Scholarship aims to train and nurture professionals in nonprofit organisations to take on leadership roles to create public good in developing countries. It will be awarded annually to academically outstanding and leadership competency student(s) studying in the MSocSc (NPM) programme. The selected scholarship holder will receive a grant which shall be equivalent to the composition fee on admission to the programme.

Madam Lo Ng Kiu Ying Anita Memorial Scholarships in Nonprofit Management
The Scholarship shall be awarded to student(s) studying in the MSocSc (NPM) programme, on the basis of academic merits and leadership qualities. The scholarship recipient(s) should have successfully complete the curriculum within the normative study period (i.e. one year) and his/her academic results should attain an average of Grade B+ or above.

# scholarship will be awarded on a merit basis starting from the first round

TUITION FEE

HK$ 167,300* per year (Full-time)
HK$ 88,650* per year (Part-time)

* subject to the University’s approval