



**IMPORTANT:** As [announced](#) by the University in June 2022, all teaching activities in AY 2022-23 resume normal (i.e. you are required to attend f2f classes). Please be reminded to make necessary travel arrangements and complete your compulsory quarantine before the commencement of academic year. Please also note the requirement of [HKU Vaccine Pass](#) and plan ahead if you have yet to take the second dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

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## **Incoming Exchange Students 2022-23 Guidelines for the Selection of Courses**

Please read these guidelines before making your course selection.

### **1. Standard Workload**

Our standard workload for all exchange students is 30 credits in a combination of 5 courses in each semester. Students may opt for a different workload in the following circumstances:

- i. Opt for a minimum workload of 24 credits;
- ii. Opt for a workload of 4 courses (for students who are eligible to take Postgraduate Electives); or
- iii. Opt for a maximum workload of 36 credits.

In any of the above mentioned cases, students must obtain prior written approval from their home university. If such approval is granted, then students must seek prior written approval from Mr Hayson Chan ([haysonc@hku.hk](mailto:haysonc@hku.hk)) or Ms Jacqueline Wong ([laffairs@hku.hk](mailto:laffairs@hku.hk)).

### **2. Online Course Selection**

#### **Initial Round of Course Selection (3 - 8 August 2022):**

You may indicate your preferences via our course selection system:

<https://web.law.hku.hk/lawfac/exchangeA/> [this link is applicable to students from undergraduate programmes – see p2 of this document for further information]

<https://web.law.hku.hk/lawfac/exchangeB/> [this link is applicable to Masters-level and final-year students from an extended law programme – see p2 of this document for further information]

<https://web.law.hku.hk/lawfac/exchangeC/> [this link is applicable to JD students from North America – see p2 of this document for further information]

Details for each of the offered courses can be found online

<https://course.law.hku.hk/law-electives/> (for courses with prefix LLAW3xxx)

<https://course.law.hku.hk/llm/> (for courses with prefix LLAW6xxx)

The selection will start at **10:00 am on Wednesday August 3<sup>rd</sup> (HK Time, UTC +08:00) and end**

at 4:00 pm on Monday August 8<sup>th</sup> (HK Time, UTC +08:00).

Due to quota constraints, we might not be able to accept all your course enrolment requests. Places are not allocated on a first come first served basis. When a course is over-subscribed, places will be determined by auto-ballot which will be carried out after August 9<sup>th</sup>. **You will be notified of the result of your course enrolments via email during 15-16 August 2022.**

You can only select law courses in the initial round of course selection. If you intend to take a Chinese language course, you may select the course during Main Round of Course Selection (19-25 August 2022) or Course Add/Drop Period (1-15 September 2022). If you intended to take a non-law course offered by other departments, please send your request together with the written approval from the course coordinator to both email addresses below:

Mr Hayson Chan: [haysonc@hku.hk](mailto:haysonc@hku.hk)

Ms Jacqueline Wong: [laffairs@hku.hk](mailto:laffairs@hku.hk)

### **Main Round of Course Selection (19 August – 25 August 2022):**

The main round of course selection will commence from **10:00 am on August 19<sup>th</sup> (HK Time)** and end at **4:00 pm on August 25<sup>th</sup> (HK Time)**.

You will be asked to register online in mid-August (exact date to be announced) to activate your HKU Portal account. Once you have activated your Portal account, you may amend your course enrolment via Portal <https://hkuportal.hku.hk/login.html>.

### **3. Course Add/Drop Period (1 – 15 September 2022):**

You may further amend your course selection by adding/dropping courses online (via HKU Portal <https://hkuportal.hku.hk/login.html>) from **10:00 am on September 1<sup>st</sup> to 4.00 pm on September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

Late add/drop requests will not be allowed. You are reminded to finalise your course selection before the end of amendment period on **15 September 2022**. The add/drop period for intensive courses is the first two classes of the course.

### **4. Electives Offered**

For the 2022-2023 academic year, the electives offered are listed in Appendix A, B and C. Please check your eligibility for specific courses as outlined below before your course selection. Course descriptions can be found at <https://course.law.hku.hk/law-electives/>.

- A. Students from undergraduate programmes** can choose from undergraduate electives listed in **Appendix A**.
- B. Masters-level and final-year students from an extended law programme** can choose from undergraduate electives listed in **Appendix B** and up to one postgraduate elective in **Appendix C**.
- C. JD students from North America** can choose from undergraduate electives listed in **Appendix B** and postgraduate electives in **Appendix C**.

## 5. Request for Special Consideration

If any student has a strong desire to take a course not offered in Appendix A, you may apply in writing for special consideration. Please include the following information in your application:

- The course you wish to take.
- The reasons for your request for special consideration.
- Any supporting information that demonstrates your eligibility to take the course.

Please note that special consideration will only be granted in exceptional circumstances. In exercise its discretion, the Department will take into account factors including but not limited to: the academic performance of the student, the nature of the course, the availability of similar content in other courses, the number of applicants, relevant background of the student, evidence of student interest and reason(s) for taking the course.

Please send your requests to both email addresses below:

Mr Hayson Chan: [haysonc@hku.hk](mailto:haysonc@hku.hk)

Ms Jacqueline Wong: [laffairs@hku.hk](mailto:laffairs@hku.hk)

## Appendix A

### INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS 2022-23

#### Electives Offered<sup>1</sup> to Students from Undergraduate Programme

[Subject to subsequent changes: last updated 4 August 2022]

<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Name</u>
LLAW3022	Human rights in Hong Kong [online course]
LLAW3024	Insurance law [October intensive]
LLAW3044	Public international law
LLAW3068	Rights of the child in international and domestic law
LLAW3069	Regulation of financial markets
LLAW3071	Equality and non-discrimination
LLAW3072	International business taxation
LLAW3075	Privacy and data protection
LLAW3085	International and comparative intellectual property law
LLAW3097	Civil procedure
LLAW3099	Criminal procedure
LLAW3117	Economic, social and cultural rights
LLAW3123	Competition law I
LLAW3124	Competition law II
LLAW3140	Animal law
LLAW3142	Law and politics of constitutions
LLAW3164	Arbitration and Conflict of Laws in Greater China
LLAW3172	Law and social theory
LLAW3178	Online dispute resolution (September intensive)
LLAW3191	Comparative family law (October intensive) [online course]
LLAW3200	Copyright and creativity
LLAW3205	Advanced legal theory
LLAW3222	Human rights in practice
LLAW3233	Law, history and culture
LLAW3239	Law and social justice at the intersections: gender, race, religion and sexuality
LLAW3245	Cross border corporate insolvency: issues and solutions
LLAW3246	Disability rights clinic
LLAW3252	The global migration legal clinic
LLAW3254	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) - tech startup law
LLAW3255	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) lab - tech startup law
LLAW3259	Innovation, creativity and ethics for globalized legal practice
LLAW3261	The regulation of technological platforms: theory and practice
LLAW3269	Legal foundations for global health and development
LLAW3272	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) lab - lawtech and regtech sandbox
LLAW3275	Legal language in Hong Kong: issues and directions

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<sup>1</sup> Electives in Appendix A - each course bears 6 HKU credits.

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Name</b>
LLAW6005	Hong Kong intellectual property law
LLAW6007	International dispute settlement
LLAW6025	Company law and securities regulation in the PRC
LLAW6029	Managing commercial disputes in China: law, issues and techniques
LLAW6036	International criminal law
LLAW6070	Human rights in China
LLAW6073	International protection of refugees and displaced persons
LLAW6096	International tax and tax planning
LLAW6124	Communications Law
LLAW6139	China information technology and electronic commerce law
LLAW6156	Comparative constitutional law
LLAW6179	Multiculturalism and the law
LLAW6181	Management and commercialisation of intellectual property
LLAW6182	International organizations
LLAW6196	Preventative law: approaches to conflict prevention and resolution
LLAW6201	PRC taxation law and policy
LLAW6215	Seminar on human rights and constitutionalism in Asia
LLAW6225	PRC shipping law (in Putonghua) <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6227	Introduction to private international law (conflict of laws)
LLAW6232	Clinical legal education programme - refugee stream
LLAW6248	Comparative contract law <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6249	Entertainment law
LLAW6250	The regulation of biomedical research
LLAW6256	Law of anti-money laundering and counter-terrorist financing and compliance issues
LLAW6272	Medical law and ethics
LLAW6280	Introduction to artificial intelligence and law
LLAW6285	Legal data science
LLAW6287	FinTech Finance
LLAW6291	Mental Disability and the Law
LLAW6297	Macau and Hong Kong comparative constitutional law <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6300	Digitalisation: Health, Law and Policy
LLAW6303	EU financial regulation and technology <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6304	Governing online platforms: law, economics and politics
LLAW6306	The economic analysis of law <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6308	Law and society in China
LLAW6316	Transnational criminal law

## Appendix B

### INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS 2022-23

Electives Offered<sup>2</sup>  
to  
Students undertaking a Masters-level degree and final-year students from an extended law  
programme  
and  
JD students from North America

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<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Name</u>
LLAW3022	Human rights in Hong Kong [online course]
LLAW3024	Insurance law [October intensive]
LLAW3044	Public international law
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LLAW3246	Disability rights clinic
LLAW3252	The global migration legal clinic
LLAW3254	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) - tech startup law
LLAW3255	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) lab - tech startup law
LLAW3259	Innovation, creativity and ethics for globalized legal practice
LLAW3261	The regulation of technological platforms: theory and practice
LLAW3269	Legal foundations for global health and development

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<sup>2</sup> Electives in Appendix B - each course bears 6 HKU credits.

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Name</b>
LLAW3272	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) lab - lawtech and regtech sandbox
LLAW3275	Legal language in Hong Kong: issues and directions
LLAW6005	Hong Kong intellectual property law
LLAW6007	International dispute settlement
LLAW6025	Company law and securities regulation in the PRC
LLAW6029	Managing commercial disputes in China: law, issues and techniques
LLAW6036	International criminal law
LLAW6070	Human rights in China
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LLAW6291	Mental Disability and the Law
LLAW6297	Macau and Hong Kong comparative constitutional law <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6300	Digitalisation: Health, Law and Policy
LLAW6303	EU financial regulation and technology <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6304	Governing online platforms: law, economics and politics
LLAW6306	The economic analysis of law <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6308	Law and society in China
LLAW6316	Transnational criminal law

## Appendix C

### INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS 2022-23

Postgraduate Electives Offered<sup>3</sup>  
to  
Students undertaking a Masters-level degree and final-year students from an extended law  
programme (one only)  
and  
JD students from North America

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<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Name</u>
LLAW6002	Credit and security law
LLAW6008	Introduction to Chinese law and legal system
LLAW6024	Banking law
LLAW6056	Law and economics of Chinese capitalism
LLAW6076	Seminar in human rights research
LLAW6082	Corporate governance and shareholder remedies - Class A
LLAW6082	Corporate governance and shareholder remedies - Class B
LLAW6093	Regulation of financial markets - Class A
LLAW6102	White collar crime: law & practice
LLAW6120	Intellectual property and information technology
LLAW6170	Law and the internet
LLAW6174	Family mediation
LLAW6185	China investment law
LLAW6219	Patent law
LLAW6230	Law and practice of investment treaty arbitration
LLAW6239	Law and regulation of private banking and wealth management
LLAW6274	The beginning and end of life
LLAW6294	International investment: structuring, protecting, and resolving related disputes
LLAW6307	Hong Kong National Security Law in comparative perspective
LLAW6311	Data and privacy regulation in China: law, economics and politics
LLAW6315	Theories and methods on law & society

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<sup>3</sup> Electives in Appendix C - each course bears 9 HKU credits.