

# UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

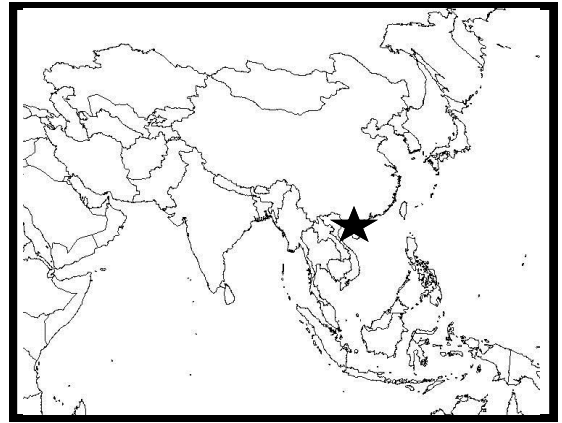
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## APPLICATION DEADLINE\*

February 8: all terms for 2012-2013 academic year

## ELIGIBILITY

GPA: 3.0  
Enrollment is limited.  
No previous Chinese is required



This program includes the following opportunities:

- Internships     Service Learning     Community/Field Study     Research     Community Service

## CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER: AUGUST—DECEMBER

SPRING SEMESTER: JANUARY—MAY

## PROGRAM

The University of Hong Kong was founded in 1911. HKU prides itself on being a pioneering research-led university with world-class teaching. An internationally-favored location means that the school attracts students from across the globe. You are enrolled directly into regular university courses. This is a demanding program which requires flexibility and independence. The International Exchange Office is available for assistance. The University has just over 22,200 students (12,300 undergraduates, 9,900 postgraduates), of which more than 2,700 are mainland Chinese and international students.

## ACADEMICS

The University has the following faculties open to exchange students: architecture, arts, business and economics, education, engineering, science, and social sciences. HKU undergraduate curricula encourage students to construct their own understanding of issues and devise solutions to real-world problem scenarios through means such as Problem-Based Learning (PBL). Students typically enroll in 30 HKU credits per semester. HKU reports their courses using the ECTS system, so for equivalent DU credit, you multiple the hours by 0.8. Normally, you would take 4-5 courses per semester.

## LOCATION: HONG KONG

Over 7.1 million people live among the islands that make up Hong Kong, which is located on China's southeastern coast. Known as an international financial center, Hong Kong is also within four hours of all major Asian cities. The majority of young people throughout Hong Kong are bilingual, bringing with them a Chinese and British cultural upbringing. HKU's main campus is beautifully situated on Hong Kong Island. Many campus buildings date back to the early 1900s and represent an array of architectural styles. Embodying the spirit of Hong Kong, HKU has a both a colonial and modern feel.

## HOUSING & MEALS

HKU does have on-campus residence halls that are open to international students. This housing can be arranged through the University; however, the fees for any housing option are the student's responsibility and are NOT billed through DU. The housing options vary greatly and it is important for you to research your choices before making arrangements. Students are also responsible for their meals on this exchange program.

## CULTURAL CONNECTIONS

The HKU student community is very active. There are over 110 student societies and clubs under the Students' Union of the University, catering to virtually any interest you might have. Astronomy Club, Fishing Club, Judo Club, Magic Club, Ramblers' Club, Social Service Group, and Union Choir are just a few examples of these student societies and clubs. In addition, there are also student associations in almost all departments and faculties. The Exchange Office can help you find an organization that works for your tastes!

## COST

### Billed by DU:

- DU Tuition
- DU Technology Fee

*Non-Cherrington Scholars will be charged a \$50 application fee.*

### Student Costs\*\*:

- Housing & Meals

The cost of living varies in other cities and countries. Talk to returnees from the program to find out what personal expenses to expect, but remember that they vary by lifestyle. Check [www.xe.com](http://www.xe.com) for current exchange rates.

**\*Instructions on how to apply are on the back of this flyer →**

\*\*For more details on student expenses, refer to DU's web site: <http://www.du.edu/intl/abroad/costs.html>

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# HOW TO APPLY

⇒ **Attend Study Abroad 101**

Held weekdays at the I-House. See website for schedule ([www.du.edu/intl/abroad/info\\_sessions.html](http://www.du.edu/intl/abroad/info_sessions.html)).

⇒ **Meet with an international education advisor.**

Learn about your options and get answers to your questions.

⇒ **Apply for a passport—<http://travel.state.gov/passport>**

If you already have one, make sure you know where it is and when it expires.

⇒ **Apply to study abroad!**

If you are convinced the program described on this flyer is right for you, follow the steps below to apply.

Turn your COMPLETE application in to the front desk at the I-House.

**ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED. THIS IS A LIMITED-ENROLLMENT PROGRAM.**

## DU APPLICATION: DUE FEBRUARY 8

- University of Denver Study Abroad Application on [MyWeb](#)
- Academic Advisor's signature on your completed and printed online application form
- DU short-answer essays
- Official transcript(s) from other universities attended, if applicable
- Non-Cherrington students will be charged a \$50 application fee to their DU account.

**Note:** Cherrington status may be revoked at any time due to a change in your student conduct or academic status.

## PROGRAM APPLICATION: DUE AFTER YOU'VE BEEN NOMINATED

Once you have been nominated for this program, you will be required to submit the following:

- One Professor Recommendation Letter  
If nominated by DU for this exchange, a link to online application materials will be sent to you from the University of Hong Kong.

**Note:** The OIE will request your DU transcript; check and clear any holds now to avoid delays in processing your application!



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