

DATES OF SEMESTERS 2020–2021: SUMMARY

Dates of semesters for the academic year 2020–2021 are as follows¹:

First Semester:

Dates of Teaching:

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| 01.07.20 – 31.01.21: | Medicine – MRes(Med) |
| 01.08.20 – 30.11.20: | Law – JD1 |
| 10.08.20 – 30.11.20: | Architecture – PDLA |
| 17.08.20 – 30.11.20: | Architecture – MLA |
| 29.08.20 – 06.12.20: | Architecture – MSc(Conservation) and PDip(Conservation) |
| 01.09.20 – 30.11.20: | Architecture [except MLA, MSc(Conservation), MURbanDesign, PDip(Conservation) and PDLA] |
| | Arts – BA, BA&LLB, BASc, MA except in the field of Chinese Language and Literature, MBC and MBuddhStud |
| | Business and Economics – BBA, BBA(Acc&Fin), BBA(IS), BBA(IBGM), BBA(Law)&LLB, BEcon, BEcon&Fin, BFin(AMPB) and BSc(QFin) |
| | Education – BA&BEd(LangEd), BASc(StDS), BEd(ECE&SE), BEd&BSc, BEd&BSocSc, BSc(ACD), BSc(Sp&HearSc), MEd and MSc(Audiology) |
| | Engineering – BASc(FinTech), BEng, BEng(BME), BEng(EngSc), MSc(CompSc) and MSc(Eng) |
| | Law – LLB, JD2 and MCL |
| | Science [except MSc in the fields of Applied Geosciences, and Food Safety and Toxicology] |
| | Social Sciences |
| 01.09.20 – 03.12.20: | Arts – MA in the field of Chinese Language and Literature |
| 01.09.20 – 05.12.20: | Dentistry – BDS |
| | Engineering – MSc(ECom&IComp) |
| 01.09.20 – 07.12.20: | Architecture – MURbanDesign |
| | Education – BSc(IM) |
| | Law – PCLL and PCLL (P/T) (Year 1 and 2) |
| 01.09.20 – 09.12.20: | Arts – MA(AppliedLinguistics) |
| 01.09.19 – 17.12.20: | Education – PGDE (P/T) |
| 01.09.20 – 18.12.20: | Education – PGDE |
| 01.09.20 – 23.12.20: | Medicine – BASc(GHD), BBiomedSc, BChinMed, MBBS, BNurs and BPharm |
| | Science – MSc in the field of Applied Geosciences |
| 01.09.20 – 31.12.20: | Medicine – MCLinPharm, MNurs, MPsyMed, DNurs and PDipPsyMed |
| 01.09.20 – 31.01.21: | Medicine – MChinMed, MMedSc, MPH, PDipID and PDipMDPath |
| 04.09.20 – 04.01.21: | Science – MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology |
| 07.09.20 – 30.11.20: | Law – LLM |
| 07.09.20 – 05.12.20: | Education – MA(TESOL) |
| 07.09.20 – 07.12.20: | Education – MSc(ITE) and MSc(LIM) |
| 14.09.20 – 05.12.20: | Arts – MFA |
| 22.09.20 – 18.12.20: | Medicine – BNurs (RN) (P/T) |

¹ Not applicable to EMBA, MAcct, MBA, IMBA, MBA (Executive stream), MEcon, MFin, MGM, MSc(BA), MSc(Mktg) and DBA.

Dates of teaching for Dentistry taught postgraduate programmes: 01.09.20 – 31.07.21.

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| <i>Reading/Field Trip Week:</i> | 12.10.20 – 17.10.20 ² |
| <i>Revision Period:</i> | 01.12.20 – 07.12.20 ³ |
| <i>Assessment Period:</i> | 08.12.20 – 23.12.20 ⁴ |

Second Semester:

Dates of Teaching:

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| 14.12.20 – 30.04.21: | Law – PCLL (P/T) (Year 2) ⁵ |
| 02.01.21 – 30.04.21: | Medicine – MPsyMed and PDipPsyMed |
| 04.01.21 – 16.04.21: | Medicine – BNurs (RN) (P/T) |
| 04.01.21 – 30.04.21: | Engineering – MSc(ESoc&IComp) |
| 04.01.21 – 29.05.21: | Medicine – MBBS |
| 04.01.21 – 31.08.21: | Medicine – DNurs and MNurs |
| 05.01.21 – 22.05.21: | Architecture – MSc(Conservation) and PDip(Conservation) |
| 05.01.21 – 28.08.21: | Science – MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology |
| 06.01.21 – 30.04.21: | Law – PCLL (P/T) (Year 1) |
| 11.01.21 – 24.04.21: | Architecture – MURbanDesign |
| 11.01.21 – 30.04.21: | Law – PCLL ⁵ |
| 11.01.21 – 24.07.21: | Dentistry – BDS |
| 16.01.21 – 31.07.21: | Medicine – MCLinPharm |
| 18.01.21 – 30.04.21: | Architecture [except MSc(Conservation), MURbanDesign, and PDip(Conservation)] |
| | Arts – BA, BA&LLB, BASc, MA except in the field of Chinese Language and Literature, MBC and MBuddhStud |
| | Business and Economics – BBA, BBA(Acc&Fin), BBA(IS), BBA(IBGM), BBA(Law)&LLB, BEcon, BEcon&Fin, BFin(AMPB) and BSc(QFin) |
| | Education – BA&BEd(LangEd), BASc(SDS), BEd(ECE&SE), BEd&BSoc, BEd&BSocSc, BSc(ACD), BSc(Sp&HearSc), MEd, MA(TESOL) and MSc(Audiology) |
| | Engineering – BASc(FinTech), BEng, BEng(BME), BEng(EngSc), MSc(CompSc) and MSc(Eng) |
| | Law – LLB, JD1, JD2 and MCL |

² Reading week for BDS: 07.12.20 – 12.12.20.

Reading/Field trip weeks for MURbanDesign: 05.10.20 – 17.10.20.

Not applicable to MBBS and BPharm.

No Reading/Field trip week for:

Architecture – MHousMan, MSc(Conservation), MSc(ConstProjectMan), MSc(IPD), MSc(RealEst) and PDip(Conservation)

Arts – MA(AppliedLinguistics) and MFA

Education – PGDE and PGDE (P/T)

Medicine – BNurs (RN) (P/T)

Science – MSc in the fields of Food Industry: Management and Marketing, and Food Safety and Toxicology

Social Sciences – MSocSc in the field of Corporate Environmental Governance

³ Revision Period for BNurs (RN) (P/T): 07.12.20 – 12.12.20.

No Revision Period for MA in the field of Chinese Language and Literature, MA(AppliedLinguistics), MFA, MIPA, MJ, MPA, MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology, MSc(Conservation), MURbanDesign, DPA and PDip(Conservation).

Not applicable to BDS and MBBS.

⁴ Assessment Period for BDS: 04.01.21 – 09.01.21 and BNurs (RN) (P/T): 14.12.20 – 18.12.20.

No Assessment Period for MA(AppliedLinguistics), MA(TESOL), MEd, MJ, MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology, MSc(Conservation), MSc(ITE), MSc(LIM), PDip(Conservation), PGDE and PGDE (P/T).

⁵ Trial Advocacy Elective will be held after the written examinations from end of May to mid-June (intensive block teaching for three to four weeks).

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| | Science [except MSc in the fields of Applied Geosciences, and Food Safety and Toxicology] |
| | Social Sciences |
| 18.01.21 – 07.05.21: | Education – PGDE |
| 18.01.21 – 08.05.21: | Education – BSc(IM), MSc(ITE) and MSc(LIM) |
| 18.01.21 – 20.05.21: | Arts – MA(AppliedLinguistics) |
| 18.01.21 – 29.05.21: | Medicine – BASc(GHD), BBiomedSc, BChinMed, BNurs and BPharm |
| | Science – MSc in the field of Applied Geosciences |
| 19.01.21 – 07.05.21: | Education – PGDE (P/T) |
| 19.01.21 – 08.05.21: | Arts – MA in the field of Chinese Language and Literature |
| 01.02.21 – 30.04.21: | Medicine – MPH |
| 01.02.21 – 30.06.21: | Medicine – MRes(Med) and PDipMDPath |
| 01.02.21 – 31.08.21: | Medicine – MChinMed, MMedSc and PDipID |
| 25.01.21 – 30.04.21: | Arts – MFA |
| | Law – LLM |

Class Suspension Period for Lunar New Year: 12.02.21 – 18.02.21

Reading/Field Trip Week: 08.03.21 – 13.03.21⁶

Revision Period: 03.05.21 – 08.05.21⁷

Assessment Period: 10.05.21 – 29.05.21⁸

Optional Summer Semester⁹:

Teaching and Assessment Period: 28.06.21 – 21.08.21

⁶ Reading/Field trip week for MA in the field of Chinese Historical Studies: 08.03.21 – 12.03.21; and MUrbanDesign: 01.03.21 – 13.03.21.

Not applicable to MBBS and BPharm.

No Reading/Field trip week for:

Architecture – MHousMan, MSc(Conservation), MSc(ConstProjectMan), MSc(IPD), MSc(RealEst) and PDip(Conservation)

Arts – MA(AppliedLinguistics) and MFA

Education – PGDE and PGDE (P/T)

Science – MSc in the fields of Food Industry: Management and Marketing, and Food Safety and Toxicology

Social Sciences – MSocSc in the field of Corporate Environmental Governance

⁷ Revision Period for BNurs (RN) (P/T): 29.03.21 – 03.04.21.

Not applicable to MBBS.

No Revision Period for MA in the field of Chinese Language and Literature, MA(AppliedLinguistics), MFA, MIPA, MJ, MPA, MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology, MSc(Conservation), MUrbanDesign, DPA and PDip(Conservation).

⁸ Assessment Period for BNurs (RN) (P/T): 06.04.21 – 16.04.21.

No Assessment Period for MA(AppliedLinguistics), MA(TESOL), MEd, MJ, MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology, MSc(Conservation), MSc(ITE), MSc(LIM), PDip(Conservation), PGDE and PGDE (P/T).

⁹ Not applicable to MBBS.

Summer semester for BASc(SDS), BDS, BPharm and BSc(IM): 31.05.21 – 21.08.21; BNurs (RN) (P/T): 26.04.21 – 16.07.21 (Revision Period: 05.07.21 – 10.07.21 and Assessment Period: 12.07.21 – 16.07.21); JD1, JD2 and LLM: 31.05.21 – 31.07.21; MDASC, MSc(EnvMan) and MStat: 31.05.21 – 21.08.21; MEd: 01.05.21 – 20.07.21; MJ: 03.05.21 – 31.05.21; MPsyMed, MPH and PDipPsyMed: 01.05.21 – 31.08.21; MSc(CompSc) and MSc(Eng): 15.06.21 – 21.08.21; MSc(ES&IComp): 20.05.21 – 21.08.21; MSc(ITE) and MSc(LIM): 10.05.21 – 21.08.21; MExpArtsTh, MSocSc in the fields of Behavioral Health, Counselling, Nonprofit Management, and MSW: 17.05.21 – 21.08.21; MUrbanDesign: 03.05.21 – 02.08.21; and PDipMDPath: 01.07.21 – 31.08.21.

DATES OF DEGREE EXAMINATIONS ¹⁰

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| 08.12.20 – 23.12.20 | First Semester examinations for all undergraduate curricula following the credit unit system, unless specified otherwise. |
| 10.05.21 – 29.05.21 | Second Semester examinations for all undergraduate curricula following the credit unit system, unless specified otherwise. |

First Semester

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| November 2020: | Medicine – PDipID |
| November and December 2020: | Medicine – MBBS Final Summative Re-examination |
| December 2020: | Medicine – MCLinPharm, MMedSc, MNurs, MPH, MPsyMed, DNurs, PDipMDPath and PDipPsyMed |
| December 2020 and January 2021: | Medicine – MChinMed |
| 01.12.20 – 23.12.20: | Social Sciences – MIPA, MPA and DPA |
| 07.12.20 – 18.12.20: | Medicine – BNurs (RN) (P/T) (Second Year) |
| 07.12.20 – 23.12.20: | Arts – MFA in the field of Creative Writing in English |
| 08.12.20 – 12.12.20: | Medicine – BNurs (Fourth and Final Years) |
| 08.12.20 – 23.12.20: | Architecture – taught postgraduate curricula [except MSc(Conservation) and PDip(Conservation)] |
| | Arts – MA in the fields of Art History, Chinese Historical Studies, Chinese Language and Literature, English Studies, Linguistics, Literary and Cultural Studies, and Translation; MBC and MBuddhStud |
| | Education – MSc(Audiology) |
| | Engineering – taught postgraduate curricula |
| | Law – JD, MCL, LLM, LLM(Arb&DR), LLM(Chinese Law), LLM(CR), LLM(CFL), LLM(HR), LLM(IT&IPL), LLM(T&IPL), and LLM(MEL) |
| | Medicine – BNurs (First, Second and Third Years) |
| | Science – taught postgraduate curricula |
| | Social Sciences – taught postgraduate curricula [except MIPA, MJ MPA and DPA] |
| 12.12.20: | Law – PCLL (P/T) (Second Year) |
| 14.12.20 – 18.12.20: | Medicine – BNurs (EN) (P/T) and BNurs (RN) (P/T) (First Year) |
| 12.12.20 – 04.01.21: | Law – PCLL (P/T) (First Year) |
| 12.12.20 – 09.01.21: | Law – PCLL |
| 04.01.21 – 09.01.21: | Dentistry – BDS |
| February 2021: | Medicine – MRes(Med) |

Second Semester

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| February or May 2021: | Medicine – MChinMed |
| March and July 2021: | Medicine – MPsyMed and PDipPsyMed |
| April and May 2021: | Medicine – MBBS Final Summative Examination |
| April, June and July 2021: | Medicine – PDipMDPath |
| April and July 2021: | Medicine – PDipID |
| 06.04.21 – 16.04.21: | Medicine – BNurs (RN) (P/T) |

¹⁰ The examination schedules for DBA, EMBA-Global Asia, HKU-PKU EMBA, IMBA, MAcct, MBA, MEcon, MFin, MGM, MSc(BA), MSc in the field of Food Safety and Toxicology, MSc(Mktg) and the taught postgraduate curricula offered by the Faculty of Dentistry will be announced separately.

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| 12.04.21 – 16.04.21: | Medicine – BNurs (EN) (P/T) |
| 26.04.21 – 01.05.21: | Architecture – MUrbanDesign |
| May 2021: | Medicine – MBBS First Summative Examination, MBBS Second Summative Examination, MBBS Fourth Summative Examination, MMedSc, MPH and MRes(Med) |
| May and June 2021: | Medicine – MClinPharm |
| 03.05.21 – 15.05.21: | Law – PCLL and PCLL (P/T) (First and Second Years) |
| 03.05.21 – 18.05.21: | Engineering – MSc(ES&IComp) |
| 03.05.21 – 29.05.21: | Arts – MFA in the field of Creative Writing in English Social Sciences – MIPA, MPA and DPA |
| 10.05.21 – 15.05.21: | Medicine – BNurs (Third and Fourth Years) |
| 10.05.21 – 29.05.21: | Architecture – taught postgraduate curricula [except MSc(Conservation), MUrbanDesign and PDip(Conservation)] Arts – MA in the fields of Art History, Chinese Historical Studies, Chinese Language and Literature, English Studies, Linguistics, Literary and Cultural Studies, and Translation; MBC and MBuddhStud Dentistry – BDS Education – MSc(Audiology) Engineering – MSc(CompSc) and MSc(Eng) Law – JD, MCL, LLM, LLM(Arb&DR), LLM(Chinese Law), LLM(CR), LLM(CFL), LLM(HR), LLM(IT&IPL), LLM(T&IPL), and LLM(MEL) Medicine – BNurs (First and Second Years) Science – taught postgraduate curricula Social Sciences – taught postgraduate curricula [except DPA, MIPA, MJ and MPA] |
| June 2021: | Medicine – MBBS Third Summative Examination and MBBS Final Summative Re-examination |
| June and July 2021: | Medicine – MBBS Fourth Summative Re-examination |
| July 2021: | Medicine – DNurs and MNurs |
| July and August 2021: | Medicine – MBBS First Summative Re-examination and MBBS Second Summative Re-examination |
| 05.07.21 – 09.07.21: | Arts – CertChinLang |

Summer Semester

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| 03.05.21 – 31.05.21: | Social Sciences – MJ |
| 03.05.21 – 02.08.21: | Architecture – MUrbanDesign |
| 17.05.21 – 21.08.21: | Social Sciences – MExpArtsTh; MSocSc in the fields of Behavioral Health, Counselling, and Nonprofit Management; and MSW |
| 28.06.21 – 21.08.21: | Architecture – taught postgraduate curricula [except MSc(Conservation), MUrbanDesign and PDip(Conservation)] Social Sciences – taught postgraduate curricula [except MExpArtsTh; MJ; MSocSc in the fields of Behavioral Health, Counselling, and Nonprofit Management; and MSW] |
| 12.07.21 – 16.07.21: | Medicine – BNurs (EN) (P/T) and BNurs (RN) (P/T) |
| 09.08.21 – 21.08.21: | Engineering – MSc(ES&IComp) |
| 16.08.21 – 21.08.21: | Engineering – MSc(CompSc) and MSc(Eng) |