



**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 third dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

\*\*\*\* \*\*

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

Please read the following 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 and seek further written approval from the course coordinator to both email addresses below:

Ms Angela Mak: [angmak@hku.hk](mailto:angmak@hku.hk)

Ms Eliza Li: [laffairs@hku.hk](mailto:laffairs@hku.hk)

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

#### **Initial Round of Course Selection (December 5-9, 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 Monday December 5, 2022 (HK Time, UTC +08:00)** and end at **4:00 pm on Friday December 9, 2022 (HK Time, UTC +08:00)**.

Due to quota constraints, we might not be able to accommodate 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 December 9. **You will be notified of the result of your course enrollments via email during December 15-16, 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 the Course Add/Drop Period (January 16 – February 6, 2023). If you intend 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:

Ms Angela Mak: [angmak@hku.hk](mailto:angmak@hku.hk)

Ms Eliza Li: [laffairs@hku.hk](mailto:laffairs@hku.hk)

You will be asked to register online in January 2023 (10-digit HKU UID and Portal Account details will be sent by email from International Affairs Office by January 6, 2023) to activate your HKU Portal account. Once you have activated your Portal account, you may amend your course enrollment via Portal <https://hkuportal.hku.hk/login.html>.

### **Course Add/Drop Period (January 16 – February 6, 2023):**

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 January 16 to 4:00 pm on February 6, 2023.**

Late add/drop requests will not be allowed. You are reminded to finalise your course selection by the end of add/drop period on **February 6, 2023**. The add/drop period for intensive courses is the first two classes of the course.

### **3. Electives Offered**

For the 2022-2023 academic year, the electives offered are listed in Appendices 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**.

#### 4. 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:

Ms Angela Mak: [angmak@hku.hk](mailto:angmak@hku.hk)

Ms Eliza Li: [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 15 December 2022]

<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Name</u>
LLAW3022	Human rights in Hong Kong <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW3068	Rights of the child in international and domestic law
LLAW3075	Privacy and data protection
LLAW3085	International and comparative intellectual property law
LLAW3097	Civil procedure
LLAW3128	Law and literature
LLAW3142	Law and politics of constitutions
LLAW3153	China investment law
LLAW3205	Advanced legal theory
LLAW3220	Gender, sexuality and the law
LLAW3233	Law, history and culture
LLAW3246	Disability rights clinic
LLAW3255	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) lab - tech startup law
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
LLAW6005	Hong Kong intellectual property law
LLAW6007	International dispute settlement
LLAW6070	Human rights in China
LLAW6096	International tax and tax planning
LLAW6139	China information technology and electronic commerce law
LLAW6179	Multiculturalism and the law
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>
LLAW6232	Clinical legal education programme - refugee stream
LLAW6250	The regulation of biomedical research
LLAW6256	Law of anti-money laundering and counter-terrorist financing and compliance issues
LLAW6285	Legal data science
LLAW6303	EU financial regulation and technology <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6304	Governing online platforms: law, economics and politics
LLAW6308	Law and society in China
LLAW6316	Transnational criminal law

---

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

## 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

[Subject to subsequent changes: last updated 15 December 2022]

<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Name</u>
LLAW3022	Human rights in Hong Kong <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW3068	Rights of the child in international and domestic law
LLAW3075	Privacy and data protection
LLAW3085	International and comparative intellectual property law
LLAW3097	Civil procedure
LLAW3128	Law and literature
LLAW3142	Law and politics of constitutions
LLAW3153	China investment law
LLAW3205	Advanced legal theory
LLAW3220	Gender, sexuality and the law
LLAW3233	Law, history and culture
LLAW3246	Disability rights clinic
LLAW3255	Law, innovation, technology and entrepreneurship (LITE) lab - tech startup law
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
LLAW6005	Hong Kong intellectual property law
LLAW6007	International dispute settlement
LLAW6070	Human rights in China
LLAW6096	International tax and tax planning
LLAW6139	China information technology and electronic commerce law
LLAW6179	Multiculturalism and the law
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>
LLAW6232	Clinical legal education programme - refugee stream
LLAW6250	The regulation of biomedical research
LLAW6256	Law of anti-money laundering and counter-terrorist financing and compliance issues
LLAW6285	Legal data science
LLAW6303	EU financial regulation and technology <b>[online course]</b>
LLAW6304	Governing online platforms: law, economics and politics

---

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

<u>Course Code</u>	<u>Course Name</u>
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

[Subject to subsequent changes: last updated 28 November 2022]

<b><u>Course Code</u></b>	<b><u>Course Name</u></b>
LLAW6002	Credit and security law
LLAW6024	Banking law
LLAW6063	Equality and non-discrimination
LLAW6076	Seminar in human rights research
LLAW6093	Regulation of financial markets [Class B]
LLAW6102	White collar crime: law and practice
LLAW6170	Law and the internet
LLAW6174	Family mediation
LLAW6219	Patent law
LLAW6231	Justice
LLAW6294	International investment: structuring, protecting, and resolving related disputes
LLAW6311	Data and privacy regulation in China: law, economics and politics

---

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