6858 Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Laws (BSc&LLB)

Nurtures professionals with scientific and legal knowledge in a STEM-driven society

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5-year double degree programme

Bachelor of Science + Bachelor of Laws

Talents with interdisciplinary knowledge and skills in science and law

Scientist

Legal Professional
The HKSAR government has actively promoted innovation and technology as well as technological transfer and entrepreneurship.

To cater the needs of grooming a new generation of students with both scientific and legal knowledge.

To equip our students to assume important positions relating to innovation and policy-making, whether in Hong Kong, the Greater Bay Area, or globally.
Key features:

Offers **first of its kind** in Hong Kong for students who intend to develop expertise in both law and science.

Cultivates **legal and scientific mindsets** for academic talents.

Copes with the soaring demand of **patent practitioners and legal professionals** in the technology industry.

Feeds into the development of **STEM talents** who are capable of handling a wide variety of innovation-related matters such as patent applications.
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What the Programme Covers

1. Law
   - Foundational legal concepts and systematic honing of professional skills such as critical thinking, analytical and problem-solving skills etc.
     - Courses on case reading, legal research and writing, and statutory interpretation, etc.
   - Valuable experiential learning opportunities such as mooting competitions and clinical legal education

2. Science
   - Scientific knowledge & research skills
     - Lectures, laboratory and workshops courses

3. Interdisciplinary
   - Cross-disciplinary knowledge, analytical and evaluation skills
   - Independent research experience with original thinking
     - Research courses
     - Field camps and Project-based courses
   - Work experience
     - Internships
     - Placements
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What You Will Learn

Science

- Disciplinary and capstone courses: 96 credits

Law

- Disciplinary electives and capstone courses: 156 credits

Law & Science

- Interdisciplinary electives: 12 credits

300 credits in 5 years

University Education

- 36 credits
  - English, Chinese and Common Core courses
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Where this Programme may lead you to

1. Business compliance professionals in technology companies
2. Entrepreneurs in biotechnology industry
3. Environmentalists
4. Solicitors, barristers or in-house counsel specialising in intellectual property/technology-related matters
5. Government or regulatory officials handling intellectual property/technology-related matters
6. Researchers in the fields of science or law
Where this Programme may lead you to

**Transferable skills**

- Extensive subject knowledge and specialised training in law

**Scientific literacy coupled with legal knowledge** to formulate solutions for challenges

**Articulations**

- Being in a position to apply for other postgraduate programmes in law or science

- Eligibility to apply for the Postgraduate Certificate in Laws (PCLL) after completing the double degree programme
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**Tuition Fees** *(tentative)*

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Local:</th>
<th>Non-local</th>
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<td>Year 1 – 4</td>
<td>HKD 42,100 per year</td>
<td>HKD 171,000 per year</td>
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<td>Year 5</td>
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*Subject to review annually.

*Fees based on 2021-22, for reference only

**Quota** *(tentative)*

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Admissions Requirements – JUPAS *(tentative)*

**Minimum programme requirements**

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<th>English Language</th>
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<th>Mathematics</th>
<th>Liberal Studies</th>
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<td>Level 3 (two subjects)</td>
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**Selection principle: BEST 6**

- English Language x 2
- Best subject in Mathematics/M1/M2 x 2
- Best Science Elective Subject x 2
- Best 3 remaining subjects x 1

**Notes:**

**Elective subjects can be any Category A subject or M1/M2, one of them must be a science subject: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Combined Science, or Integrated Science**
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Non-JUPAS Application *(tentative)*

Students holding non HKDSE qualifications are considered individually.

**IB**
[Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches/ Mathematics: Applications and Interpretation/ Mathematics]
+ [Biology/ Chemistry/ Physics] in Standard or Higher Level

**GCEAL**
[Mathematics/ Further Mathematics]
+ [Biology/ Chemistry/ Physics] at A Level
Interview

Interview is an integral part of the admissions process. It serves to exhibit a different dimension of your ability and facilitate our deeper understanding on your suitability for this programme.

JUPAS tips

You must put 6858 BSc&LLB as one of your Band A choices in JUPAS application in order to be considered.
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Thank you!