



# Hong Kong Baptist University Faculty of Social Sciences Social Sciences Scholarships for Community Action 社會科學院獎學金(社會服務)

[For Academic Year 2017/18]

# **AIMS**

To encourage and recognize Social Sciences students with outstanding commitment to community service, the Faculty of Social Sciences is pleased to offer **Social Sciences Scholarships for Community Action** to social sciences students who exhibit excellent performance in community service.

#### **AWARD**

A scholarship of HK\$4,000 will be awarded to the best examples of community service.

# **ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible for the above scholarship, students are required to meet the following conditions:

- Applicants must be enrolled in one of the undergraduate programmes offered by the Faculty of Social Science, HKBU;
- Applicants should have an excellent service portfolio;
- Students can only apply for one of the two Social Sciences Scholarships (Community Action or Global Exchange) at a time;
- Students who received one of the two scholarships before are NOT eligible to apply for the same scholarship again.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

- Shortlisted candidates will be invited to a panel interview
- Judged on basis of written portfolio and panel interview

The award shall be offered to students with:

- a) A demonstrated positive attitude and a convincing record in providing ongoing services to the community; and
- b) An excellent written portfolio that reflects on their community action/voluntary service not limited to the following:
  - Proven leadership qualities in the organization of student activities such as team building skills, event management, problem solving and organizational abilities.
  - Reflections on the learning experience of being service leaders and the contribution of their experience to personal growth.

(The awarding criteria are subject to review every year)

# **APPLICATION**

Applicants should submit the followings to the Faculty Office in person (AAB1325, Baptist University Road Campus):

- i. A completed application form
- ii. Any other relevant supporting documents

## **PANEL INTERVIEW**

Shortlisted candidates will be invited to an interview in February or March 2018.

# **ENQUIRY**

**Faculty of Social Sciences** 

Hong Kong Baptist University

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Baptist University Road Campus, HKBU

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## Remarks:

1. Full-time Undergraduate Programmes under the Faculty of Social Sciences include:

#### **Broad-based Admission Programmes**

- Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) in History / Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Geography / Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Government & International Studies / Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Sociology
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) in History and Bachelor of Education (Hons.) in Liberal Studies Teaching / Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Geography and Bachelor of Education (Hons.) in Liberal Studies Teaching / Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Sociology and Bachelor of Education (Hons.) in Liberal Studies Teaching

# **Programme-based Admission Programmes**

- Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) in English Language & Literature and Bachelor of Education (Hons.) in English Language Teaching
- Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) in Physical Education and Recreation Management
- Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in China Studies
- Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in European Studies (French and German)
- Bachelor of Social Work (Hons.)

#### **Top-up Degree Programmes**

- Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Psychology
- Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Social Policy
- Bachelor of Social Sciences in Sport and Recreation Leadership
- Bachelor of Social Sciences (Hons.) in Environment and Resources Management
- 2. Selection panel is composed by the Dean's designated and one representative from each Department of the Faculty of Social Sciences, HKBU.
- 3. Faculty of Social Sciences reserves the right to make the final decision as to the list of recipients.

<sup>\*</sup>Application deadline for AY2017/18 will be announced on the Faculty Webpage in due course.