



Hong Kong Customs College Partners with Universities to Provide Articulation Pathways for Degree Programmes

Cooperation Partners

Hong Kong Customs College (HKCC) has been joining hands with Hong Kong Metropolitan University (HKMU) (formerly The Open University of Hong Kong) and the School of Continuing and Professional Education (SCOPE) of City University of Hong Kong (CityU) to enhance enforcement training of Inspector Induction Course and Customs Officer Induction Course, and provide articulation pathways for the graduates. Apart from various concepts of criminology, sociology and psychology, the enforcement training also covers practical knowledge in conflict management, psychological skills, media relations, etc., so as to fully enhance Customs officers' practical foundation training.

Credit Exemption

Starting from June 2020, graduate Inspectors and Customs Officers of the induction courses with the enhanced training will be awarded the "Certificate in Law Enforcement and Customs Management" by HKMU. They will be entitled to an exemption of 30 credits when pursuing the "Bachelor of Social Sciences in Law Enforcement and Security Management" (or with Honours). Together with the credit exemption offered by HKMU since 2004, qualified Customs Officers will be granted at most 50 credits exemption, therefore, saving about one-third of curriculum time and course fee. Officers holding local accredited Higher Diplomas or Associate Degrees may even gain further credit exemption. Besides, the graduates can gain 36 credits exemption when enrolling in the "Advanced Diploma in Management Studies" offered by the SCOPE of CityU. The Advanced Diploma course is also articulated with the "Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Public Administration and Management" jointly organised by the SCOPE of CityU and De Montfort University of the United Kingdom.



Degree Programmes Articulation Pathways



Hong Kong Metropolitan University
(formerly The Open University of Hong Kong)



The School of Continuing and Professional Education of City University of Hong Kong
De Montfort University of the UK



Bachelor of Social Sciences in Law Enforcement and Security Management (or with Hons)



Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Public Administration and Management



Exemption of **30** credits for pursuing "B.Soc.Sc. in Law Enforcement and Security Management",
Further **20** credits exemption for qualified Customs Officers* to pursue relevant honours degree (saving about 1/3 curriculum time/fee)



Articulated with "BA (Hons) in Public Administration and Management" jointly organised by SCOPE of CityU and De Montfort University of the UK



Graduates will be awarded "Certificate in Law Enforcement and Customs Management" by HKMU



Graduates will be granted **36** credits exemption when pursuing "Advanced Diploma in Management Studies"



HKMU delivers **Social Studies and Psychological Studies in Law Enforcement**



SCOPE of CityU delivers **Public Service Management**



Professional Diploma in Customs Management for Inspectors
Professional Diploma in Customs Operations for Customs Officers

*Together with the credit exemption offered by HKMU since 2004, Customs Officer Grade Officers completed the "Diploma in Law Enforcement and Security Management" of HKMU and with at least two subsequent years of working experience in the C&ED will be granted 20 credits exemption when pursuing the "Bachelor of Social Sciences (Honours) in Law Enforcement and Security Management".