

Programme Requirements for Master of Arts in Bilingual Professional Translation

This 3-credit-unit system programme requirements document is applicable to students admitted in 2023 Autumn term and thereafter.

1. Period of Study and Entry Requirement

- 1.1 A student shall complete the **Master of Arts in Bilingual Professional Translation** programme within the prescribed periods as stipulated below:

Normative Period of Study	Maximum Period of Study*
1 year (full-time)	3 years (full-time)
2 years (part-time)	4 years (part-time)

**The maximum period of study shall include any periods of leave of absence and deferment of studies.*

- 1.2 To enter the **Master of Arts in Bilingual Professional Translation** programme, a student should:
- 1.2.1 hold a Bachelor's degree from a recognized tertiary education institution, or equivalent; and
 - 1.2.2 satisfy the University English language proficiency requirements.

2. Programme Requirement - Master of Arts in Bilingual Professional Translation (MABPTF)

- 2.1 To be eligible for the award of the degree of **Master of Arts in Bilingual Professional Translation**, a student shall:
- 2.1.1 obtain 30 credit-units as prescribed below:
 - 2.1.1.1 24 credit-units from all compulsory courses labelled MA in Table 1;
 - 2.1.1.2 6 credit-units of elective courses labelled MAE from one of the two options in Table 1;
 - and
 - 2.1.2 attain the CGPA for graduation as prescribed in the Regulations for the Award of Postgraduate Degrees.

Table 1

Course Code	Course Title	Credit-units	Course label
Compulsory Courses			
TRAN 8000ABF	Research Issues in Translation Studies	3	MA
TRAN 8002ABF	Translation for Professional Practitioners	3	MA
TRAN 8010AEF	Socio-cultural Issues for Translators in English	3	MA
TRAN 8005ABF	Translation Practicum	6	MA

Course Code	Course Title	Credit-units	Course label
TRAN 8012ACF	Chinese Language Arts for Translators	3	MA
TRAN 8032ABF	Advanced Translation	6	MA
Elective Courses			
Option 1			
TRAN 8052ABF	Translation Project	6	MAE
Option 2			
TRAN 8008ABF	Legal Translation in Hong Kong	3	MAE
TRAN 8038ABF	Selected Topics in Translation for Professionals	3	MAE

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