HONG KONG METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

Regulations for the Master of Business Administration (in Chinese) (Face-to-face mode)

This 5-credit system programme requirements document is applicable to students admitted between 2018 Autumn term and 2022 Autumn Term

1. General

- 1.1 These regulations are made under paragraphs 1 to 4 of the Regulations for the Award of Postgraduate Degrees.
- 1.2 In these regulations, definitions shall apply as in the Regulations for the Award of Postgraduate Degrees and in the Interpretation section of the Academic Rules and Regulations.
- 1.3 A student shall complete the **Master of Business Administration (in Chinese) (Face-to-face mode)** programme according to the following study duration:

	Minimum Period of Study	Normal Period of Study	Maximum Period of Study	
Normal: 60 credits	1 year (full-time)	18 months (full-time)	3.5 years (full-time)	
Pathway 1: 40 credits	1 year (full-time)	18 months (full-time)	3.5 years (full-time)	

2. Master of Business Administration (in Chinese) (Face-to-face mode)

- 2.1 To enter the **Master of Business Administration (in Chinese) (Face-to-face)** programme, a student shall normally possess:
 - 2.1.1 a recognized degree in a business-related area (or its equivalent); or
 - 2.1.2 a recognized degree in a non-business area (or its equivalent), plus at least three years of supervisory/managerial experience; or
 - 2.1.3 a recognized post-secondary qualification at Qualifications Framework Level 4 (or its equivalent), plus at least ten years of supervisory/managerial experience.
- 2.2 To be eligible for the award of the degree of **Master of Business Administration (in Chinese)** (Face-to-face mode), a student shall:
 - 2.2.1 comply with the Regulations for Admission, Registration and Maintenance of Status; and
 - 2.2.2 comply with the Regulations for the Award of Postgraduate Degrees; and
 - 2.2.3 obtain the following 60 credits prescribed by the regulations as appropriate to the degree:
 - 2.2.3.1 successfully complete 30 credits from BUS B859CF/BUS B860CF and MGT B831CF (labelled CM in Table 1); and
 - 2.2.3.2 obtain a further 30 credits from elective courses (labelled OM in Table 1).
 - 2.2.4 successfully complete BUS B087CF³ Business Transformation Immersion Programme (for full-time students only).

Master of Business Administration (in Chinese) (Face-to-face mode) (through 3. Pathway 1)

- 3.1 To enter the Master of Business Administration (in Chinese) (Face-to-face mode) (through Pathway 1) programme, a student shall normally possess:
 - 3.1.1 a recognized degree in a business-related area (or its equivalent); or
 - 3.1.2 a recognized degree in a non-business area (or its equivalent), plus at least three years of supervisory/managerial experience; or
 - 3.1.3 a recognized post-secondary qualification at Qualifications Framework Level 4 (or its equivalent), plus at least ten years of supervisory/managerial experience.
- 3.2 To be eligible for the award of the degree of **Master of Business Administration (in Chinese)** (Face-to-face mode) (through Pathway 1), a student shall:
 - 3.2.1 comply with the Regulations for Admission, Registration and Maintenance of Status; and
 - 3.2.2 comply with the Regulations for the Award of Postgraduate Degrees; and
 - 3.2.3 obtain the following 40 credits prescribed by the regulations as appropriate to the degree:
 - 3.2.3.1 successfully complete 30 credits from BUS B859CF/BUS B860CF and MGT B831CF (labelled CM in Table 1); and
 - 3.2.3.2 obtain a further 10 credits from elective courses (labelled OM in Table 1).
 - 3.2.4 successfully complete BUS B087CF³ Business Transformation Immersion Programme (for full-time students only).

Table 1: Courses currently on offer (Phased out course that can be counted towards the degree is listed in note 3)

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	MBACF			
Compulsory Courses						
BUS B859CF ¹	Applied Business Project	20	CM			
BUS B860CF ¹	Applied Business Project (1 year)	20	CM			
MGT B831CF	Strategic Management	10	CM			
Elective Courses						
BIS B842CF	Advanced Information Systems and Electronic Commerce Strategy	10	OM			
BUS B823CF	Economic Theory and Practice	10	OM			
BUS B870CF	Sustainable Business Practices	10	OM			
FIN B833CF	Corporate Finance	10	OM			
IB B890CF	International Management Strategy	10	OM			

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	MBACF
IB B893CF	Strategic Issues for Management in the Asia Pacific Region	10	OM
LAW B811CF	International Economic and Trade Law	10	OM
LAW B845CF	Chinese Laws on Enterprises	5	OM
LAW B854CF	Chinese Legal Framework for Settlement of Commercial Disputes	5	OM
MGT B834CF	Human Resource Management	10	OM
MGT B835CF	Agility and Resilience in Leadership	10	OM
MKT B841CF	Marketing Management in Practice	10	OM
MGT B842CF	Innovation and Entrepreneurship	10	OM

Notes:

- 1. This course forms an excluded combination with other course(s). Only one of the courses in the excluded combination can be counted towards an HKMU award. Students should refer to the list of excluded combinations for details.
- 2. Students who have enrolled on BUS B880CF and/or BUS B899CF before September 2021 and passed the course(s) will have the credits counted as courses labelled OM towards the MBACF programmes.
- 3. If students have successfully completed BUS B088F/BUS B818F before 2022 Autumn term, they are deemed to have satisfied the requirements for BUS B087CF.
- 4. The following phased out courses are no longer available. Students who have successfully completed any of these courses can have the credits awarded for the phased out course(s) counted towards the MBACF programme, and are deemed to have completed corresponding replacement course(s), if any, subject to the requirements of relevant regulations.

Table 2: Phased out courses

Phased out Course		Replacement course		Label in			
Course Code	Course Title	Course credits	Course Code	Course Title	Course credits	MBACF/ MBACF1	Note
BUS B818F	Global Immersion Programme (Postgraduate Level)	0	BUS B088F	Global Immersion Programme (Postgraduate Level)	0		1

Note to Table 2:

1. Change of course code