

# HONG KONG METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

## Regulations for the Master of Corporate Governance (for students admitted before 2021 Spring term)

**The Master of Corporate Governance programme has been phased out with effect from 2022 Autumn term. The last conferment of the programme will be December 2027.**

### 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 The Regulations Governing the Articulation of Qualifications shall apply for conversion of **Postgraduate Diploma in Professional Accounting** to the award of **Master of Corporate Governance**.

### 2. Entry Requirements

- 2.1 To enter the **Master of Corporate Governance** 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 an OUHK Postgraduate Certificate in Business Administration (PCBA) qualification (or its equivalent).

### 3. Master of Corporate Governance (MCG)

- 3.1 To be eligible for the award of the degree of **Master of Corporate Governance**, a student shall:
  - 3.1.1 comply with the Regulations for Admission, Registration and Maintenance of Status; and
  - 3.1.2 comply with the Regulations for the Award of Postgraduate Degrees; and
  - 3.1.3 obtain at least 60 credits in courses at the Postgraduate level prescribed by the regulations.
- 3.2 For the degree of **Master of Corporate Governance**, the University has prescribed that a student must:
  - 3.2.1 obtain 40 credits from the compulsory courses (labelled CM in Table 1); and
  - 3.2.2 obtain a further 20 credits from elective courses (labelled OM in Table 1).

**Table 1:** Courses currently on offer (Phased out courses that can be counted towards the degree are listed in note 4)

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	MCG
ACT B861 <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	Accounting for Corporations	5	CM
ACT B864 <sup>2, 3</sup>	Tax Framework	5	CM
CGV B897 <sup>2</sup>	Corporate Administration and Secretaryship	10	CM
CGV B898 <sup>2, 3</sup>	Issues in Corporate Governance	10	CM
FIN B862 <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	Treasury and Financial Management	5	CM
LAW B868 <sup>2, 3</sup>	Corporate Law	5	CM
BIS B870	Electronic Commerce for Managers	10	OM
BIS B874	Advanced Electronic Commerce Applications	10	OM
BIS B876	Electronic Financial Services	10	OM
BIS B892	Advanced Information Systems and Electronic Commerce Strategy	10	OM
BUS B859	Applied Business Project	20	OM
BUS B880	Directed Studies in Business Research	20	OM
BUS B899	Business and Entrepreneurship Project	10	OM
FIN B850	Investment and Portfolio Management	10	OM
FIN B851	Financial Planning and Risk Management	10	OM
MGT B820 <sup>1</sup>	Strategy	10	OM
MGT B839	Issues in Human Resource Management	10	OM
IB B890 <sup>3</sup>	International Management Strategy	10	OM
IB B891 <sup>3</sup>	International Marketing Strategy	10	OM
IB B893 <sup>3</sup>	Strategic Issues for Management in the Asia Pacific Region	10	OM

Notes to Table 1:

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 the MCG programme in or after October 2004 must take ACT B861, FIN B862, ACT B864, LAW B868, CGV B897 and CGV B898 as compulsory courses.
3. Students who have enrolled on the MCG programme in or before April 2004 must take ACT B861, FIN B862, ACT B864, ACT B865, ACT B867, LAW B868 and CGV B898 as compulsory courses.

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 MCG 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 Courses			Replacement courses			Label in MCG	Note
Course Code	Course Title	Course credits	Course Code	Course Title	Course credits		
FIN B883	Corporate Financial Strategy	10	FIN B862	Treasury and Financial Management	5	--	2
MKT B890	International Management Strategy	10	IB B890	International Management Strategy	10	OM	1
MKT B891	International Marketing Strategy	10	IB B891	International Marketing Strategy	10	OM	1
MKT B893	Strategic Issues for Management in the Asia Pacific Region	10	IB B893	Strategic Issues for Management in the Asia Pacific Region	10	OM	1

Notes to Table 2:

1. Change of course code
2. Students who have successfully completed FIN B883 are deemed to have completed FIN B862. However, FIN B883 may only be counted as 5 credits against the MCG programme requirements.

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