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Programme Structure
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3. Complete a compulsory online training course on research integrity, namely Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) programme.
4. Pass a mandatory Qualifying Examination within the specified period.

Cost of Living
Non-local students are required to pay for their own travel expenses to and from Hong Kong, including airfare. The estimated average cost of living for a single student in Hong Kong is around $30,000 (~US$4,000) per month to cover tuition fees, food, lodging and general expenses.

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Tuition Fees
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In addition, students can purchase travel insurance from the Student Guidance Office (SGO) at the beginning of each academic year. The insurance premium is subject to review and revision from year to year.

Financial Assistance
Postgraduate Studentship (4-year) is available for eligible students under the joint PhD programme. The selection committee comprised CityU’s Academic Board and sub-committees from the Hong Kong main campus of CityU, CityU Shenzhen Research Institute (CityUSRI, 城市大学深圳研究院) and CityU Shenzhen Research Institute (CityUSRI, 城市大学深圳研究院) will make the decision based on the student’s academic performance and research potential.

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2. Obtain a minimum of 14 credit units (including at least 9 credit units of core courses and at least 2 credit units of research methodology and ethics course at postgraduate level). Individual Colleges/Schools/Departments may stipulate a higher credit unit requirement.
3. Complete a compulsory online training course on research integrity, namely Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) programme.
4. Pass a mandatory Qualifying Exam within the specified period

Medium of Instruction/Assessment and Thesis Presentation
The normal medium of instruction and assessment at CityU is English. Research students should write and present their theses in English.

Supervisory Arrangements
Students will follow a dual supervision system (导师制). CityU and the home university will each designate an academic staff member to be the student’s supervisor. These two supervisors will jointly discuss and decide on course selection, research direction and thesis title and so on for their student.

English Proficiency Requirement
Candidiates are required to take the University’s minimum English proficiency requirement for postgraduate programme, namely, TOEFL (internet-based test) 90 (internet-based test) 60 (paper-based test) or IELTS 6.5 (International English Language Testing System). In addition to the University’s requirement, individual Colleges and Schools may set a higher standard suitable for their discipline.

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Financial Assistance
Postgraduate Studentship/allowance is available for eligible students under the joint PhD programme. The outward bound students will each receive a monthly Studentship allowance of HK$8,900 (~US$1,159) during studies at CityU’s designated study location (Shanghai) and RMB4,700 (~US$690) during studies at CityUSRI. To foster academic exchange, an annual PhD Student Workshop is organized and students under the joint PhD programme can receive a subsidy which covers accommodation and travel expenses during the activity period.

In addition, to help widen students’ academic exposure, CityU offers the Peter Ho Conference Scholarship (何稼楠学術会議獎学金) (~US$10,000) to students under the joint PhD programme in support of attending overseas conferences.

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Mainland Collaboration Schemes — Joint PhD Programme

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