

Biology Programme School of Life Sciences Science Faculty CUHK

Pursuit of Excellence

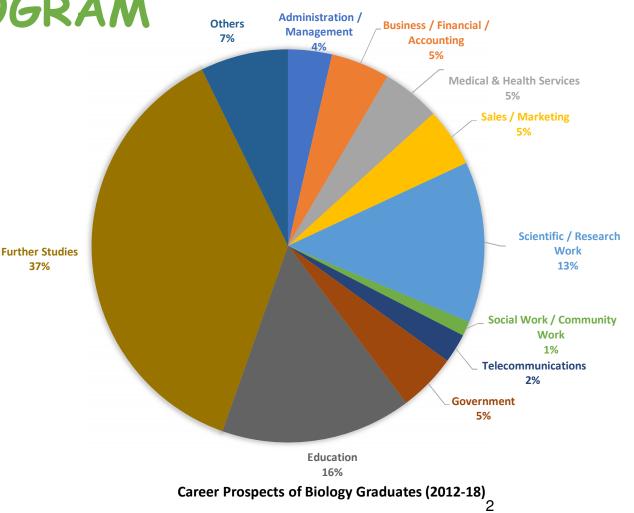
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BIOLOGY PROGRAM

Our Missions

- 1. To provide our students with the core knowledge in biological sciences
- 2. To prepare our students with great competence in understanding **biological issues** and appreciation of biological knowledge, with awareness in biological **conservation** and other environmental issues
- To develop students' generic skills in scientific thinking and communication, problem solving and IT



Biology@CUHK - 4 year Curriculum and Training

Broadening your Scope in Science Biological Sciences, Chemistry & Mathematics/Physics/Statistics

Expanding your Knowledge and Understanding of the Unity of Life Biochemistry, Cell Biology, Genetics & Ecology

Exploring the Diversity and Evolution of Life *Evolution, Vertebrates, Invertebrates, Fungi, Plants & Microorganisms*

Specializing in your Area of Interest to fit your Career Plan Selection from >30 Major Elective Lecture/Laboratory Courses

Choose ANY 1 or more out of 3 Study Packages[^]

Biology for Teaching Career

Plant Physiology Animal Physiology (or Human Physiology for Nutrition Studies I & II) Marine Biology Human Biology Physiological Investigations Developmental Biology Environmental Pollution and Toxicology Molecular Biology or Genetic Engineering

Organismic Biology

Marine Biology Field and Environmental Biology Hong Kong Flora and Vegetation Plant Physiology Animal Physiology Physiological Investigations Conservation Biology Human Biology

Human Biology Human Genetics Developmental Biology Aspects of Neuroscience Basic and Applied Immunology Biochemistry for Sport and Exercise Cancer Cell Biology Stem Cell Biology Nutrition and Human Development Human Physiology for Nutrition Studies

Capstone courses: Including Experimental / Literature Research in Biology , Internship & Field Study



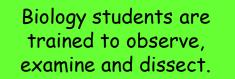




Students can choose not to follow any of these packages and make their own combinations of courses as guided by the Programme study scheme. To complete a study package, a student must take at least 15 units from courses listed in the study package.

Biology students learn how to examine organisms and conduct field studies







Studying Stream Ecology



Our students fully learn how to work as a team!

Biology students learn OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOMS



Self-learning through Online Courseware for Biology students

Biology students learn from OVERSEAS experience



Mammalogy field trip in Canada



Learning *ikebana* in Japan



Visiting Cape of Good Hope, South Africa

Overseas Exchange 2012-18			
Host University	Host Country		
The University of Adelaide	Australia		
The University of New South Wales			
The University of Western Australia			
Queen's University			
University of Calgary	Consta		
University of Ottawa	Canada		
University of Toronto (Sci Prog)			
Nanjing University	China		
University of Copenhagen	Denmark		
Aarhus University			
University of Helsinki	Finland		
Universite Catholique de Lille	France		
Leibniz Universitat Hannover	C		
Freie Universitat Berlin	Germany		
International Christian University	Japan		
Waseda University			
Nagoya University of Commerce & Business			
Ewha Womans University	Korea		
Yonsei University			
Universidad de Monterrey	Mexico		
Tilburg University	Netherlands		
University of Groningen			
Stellenbosch University	South Africa		
Karlstad University (Sci Prog)	Sweden		
University of Bern	Switzerland		
Taiwan University (Sci Prog)	Taiwan		
Aston University	United Kingdom		
University of Aberdeen			
University of Glasgow			
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	USA		
University of Massachusetts Amherst			

Internship Programmes

Overseas Internship (2012-18)			
Overseas host organization	Area/Country	No. of students	
Biology, University of Regensburg	Germany	1	
University of Regensburg	Germany	2	
Wellington Bird Rehabilitation Trust	New Zealand	1	
Academia Sinica	Taiwan	4	
Biodiversity Research Center, Academia Sinica	Taiwan	5	
Oxford Univeristy	UK	1	
The University of Oklahoma	USA	1	
University of California at Davis	USA	1	
Sun Yat sen University (School of Life Sciences)	Zhaoqing, Zhuhai, China	3	

Local Internship (2012-18)

Examples of Local Internship Providers /	No. of students
Organisations	
Hong Kong Wetland Park	11
Eco-Education & Resources Centre	6
World Wild Fund for Nature (HK)	6
Policy for Sustainability Lab, HKU	3
Agriculture, Fisheries & Conservation Dept	3
Christ College, Teacher Internship	2
Greener Actions	2
Ho Koon Nature Education Centre	2
New Life Farm	2
Widex Technology Development Ltd	2
Kadoorie Farm and Botanic Garden	2
Conservation Earth and Animal Association, San Po	1
Kong Animal Hospital	
Ecosystems Ltd	1
Environmental Protection Dept	1
Fung Yuen Butterfly Reserve Environmental	1
Association	
Ocean Park Corporation	1
The Mushroom Initiative	1

New Internship opportunities

• 2017

- MOU with Biodiversity Research Center, Academia Sinica (BRCAS) on collaboration in education and research
- 4-6 students/year

• 2018

- Teaching internships
- 2018: 2 students to Christ College & 1 to G.T. (Ellen Yeung) College
- 2019: 1-2 internship quota from Immaculate Heart of Mary College



Teaching Biology as a TA for Christ College

Biennial programme-wide field trips

- 2016
- Singapore
- 40 participants



National University of Singapore



Singapore Botanic Gardens



Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve



Lee Kong Chian Natural History Museum

- 2018
- Taiwan
- 16 participants



Hehuan Mountain



Herbarium, Endemic Species **Research Institute Conservation Education** Center 集集特有生物研究 保育中心





Good Teacher-Student Relationship









