

**Contemporary China Studies**  
**Applicable to students admitted in 2018-19**

**Major Programme Requirement**

Students are required to complete a minimum of 72 units of courses as follows:

	Units
1. Faculty Package: Any 3 courses chosen from the Faculty of Arts Faculty Package or from the Faculty of Social Science Faculty Package. Faculty of Arts Faculty Package courses: ANTH1020, ARTS1003, CHLL1900 or 1902, CUMT1000, CURE1000, 1110, ENGE1000, FAAS1900, HIST1000, JASP1090, LING1000, MUSC1000, PHIL1110, THEO1000, TRAN1000 Faculty of Social Science Faculty Package courses: ARCH1001, 1002, COMM1110, 1120, ECON1210, 1220, 2011, GLSD1001, GPAD1020, 1076, 1077, GRMD1302, 1401, 1402, PSYC1000, 1630, SOCI1001, 1201, SOWK1001, 1113, 1114, URSP1001, 1002	9
2. Required Courses:	
(a) Introductory Courses[a]: Any 3 courses from the following: CHES1000, CCSS1001, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1010, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2030, 2120, 2150, 2410, 2450, 2630, 2800	9
(b) Chinese Language: Students are required to take 9 units of Chinese language courses designated by the Programme depending on the student's level of Chinese language proficiency. Subject to the approval of the Programme Director, this requirement may also be fulfilled, in part or in full, by the student taking other approved courses taught in Chinese across the University's curriculum.	9
(c) Exchange Studies[b]: Students are required to undergo one term of exchange in an approved institution in mainland China or Taiwan and primarily to complete Putonghua/Chinese language courses or other courses taught in Chinese. Units obtained may, subject to the approval of the Programme Director, be recognized as 12 units of Major Programme requirements.	12
(d) Field-Study Course: (1) any 1 course from CCSS3102, 3103[c] and 4012[c]; or (2) CLCP4913#[d]	3
(e) Concentration Area Courses[e][f]: Students are required to choose one of the following concentration areas according to their respective stream and take any 5 courses in the selected area.	15
<u>Humanities Stream</u>	
(1) Culture and Society ANTH3430#, CCSS1003, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2030, 2120, 2150, 3030, 3050, 3411, 3440, 3460, 4502, FAAS3117#	
(2) Language and Culture[g] CCSS1003, 2002, 2005, 2030, 2120, 3101, 3411, 3440, 3460, 4504, 4505, CLCP4413#, 4423#, 4533#	
<u>Social Science Stream</u>	
(3) Society and Politics	

CCSS2002, 2003, 2120, 2800, 3030, 3101, 3420, 3500, 3550, 3700, 3800, 3900, GPAD2370#, 3260#

(4) Economics and Development

CCSS2002, 2410, 2450, 2630, 3451, 3500, 3550, 3600, 3610, 3700, 3900, MGNT2510#, MKTG4070#

(f) Research Course: 3

Humanities Stream[f]

Any 1 course from the following:

CCSS3111, 3112, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4015, 4016, 4410

Social Science Stream

Any 1 course from the following:

CCSS3110, 3112

(g) CCSS4520 3

3. Elective Courses[f]: 9

Any 3 CCSS courses at 2000 or above level except CCSS3102, 3103, 3110, 3111 and 3112.

**Total:** 

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72

Explanatory Notes:

1. Students are assigned to the Humanities Stream or Social Science Stream upon admission. By the approval of the Programme Director, students may be allowed to change their stream no more than once. Any application for change of stream must be made by the end of Term 2 of Year 2.
  2. In addition to the 6 units of University Core Chinese Language Requirement and the 9 units of the Major Chinese Language Requirement, students are required to take 6 units of additional Chinese language courses. Subject to the assessment results of the Department of Chinese Language and Literature and the approval of the Programme Board, these 6 units of additional required Chinese language courses may also be fulfilled, in part or in full, by taking courses taught in Chinese (Putonghua or Cantonese) across the University's curriculum. Courses so taken for such purposes shall not be used to fulfill other requirements.
  3. All CHLT, CLCC, CLCE, CLCP courses taken to fulfill this Major programme requirement cannot be counted towards the fulfillment of the University Core requirements.
  4. All CCSS courses listed above at 2000 and above level, as well as the non-CCSS courses labeled as # will be included in the calculation of Major GPA for honours classification.
  5. Students are responsible for the extra costs incurred in exchange study. Students who are able to demonstrate a genuine financial need can apply to the Centre for an exchange scholarship. The award of the scholarship is subject to funding availability, assessment by the Centre and the approval of the Programme Director.
  6. Exemption from the 4-unit Year 1 course of the University Core English Language Requirement may be granted if students have attained (i) qualifications as approved by the Senate or other qualifications as deemed equivalent; or (ii) satisfactory results in a placement test administered by the English Language Teaching Unit (ELTU).
- [a] Subject to the approval of the Programme Director, students with substantial previous study of the subject matter can fulfill this requirement, in part or in full, by taking other approved courses across the University's curriculum.
- [b] With the approval of the Programme Director, students fluent in Putonghua can fulfill the 12 units by successfully transferring the units of courses related to China Studies taken on a one-term exchange in any partnering institutions in other countries via an exchange programme administered by the Office of Academic Link or the Colleges. Students are responsible to check the details and to observe the deadlines when submitting the applications.
- [c] Under special circumstance, students can fulfill this requirement by taking CCSS3103 or

4012 subject to the recommendation of the course instructor and the approval of the Programme Director. Such approval is normally granted to students who have demonstrated advanced Chinese language level and high level of ability to undertake research in China.

- [d] CLCP4913 is offered by the Yale-China Chinese Language Centre (CLC) during the summer session for students who have completed CLCP3703 or above. Students opting for the CLCP4913 course are responsible for the relevant costs incurred.
- [e] Students are required to declare one concentration only within their respective stream. To declare a concentration, students shall apply in CUSIS in the final term of attendance.
- [f] Any courses counted towards the fulfillment of this requirement cannot be counted towards the fulfillment of any other requirements specified in the Study Scheme.
- [g] Students can take up to 3 CLCC courses for replacing the stipulated CLCP courses to fulfill the requirement of the concentration area of Language and Culture subject to the approval of the Programme Director. Students whose Putonghua proficiency level is assessed by the CLC to be at above CLCE/CLCP 4000 level are given further flexibility of taking up to 3 courses taught in Chinese and offered by the Faculty of Arts or the Departments under the Faculty of Arts for replacing the stipulated CLCP courses to fulfill the requirement of the concentration area.

	<b>Recommended Course Pattern</b>	<b>Units</b>
<b>First Year of Attendance</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> term Faculty Package: one course Major Required: one introductory course and one Chinese language course	3 6
	2 <sup>nd</sup> term Faculty Package: one course Major Required: one introductory course and one Chinese language course	3 6
	1 <sup>st</sup> term Faculty Package: one course Major Required: one introductory course and one Chinese language course	3 6
	2 <sup>nd</sup> term Major Required: Exchange Studies	12
<b>Third Year of Attendance</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> term Major Elective(s): one major elective course and two concentration elective courses	9
	2 <sup>nd</sup> term Major Required: one research course Major Elective: one concentration elective course	3 3
	Summer session Major Required: field-study course	3
	1 <sup>st</sup> term Major Elective(s): two major elective course and one concentration elective course	9

2 <sup>nd</sup> term	
Major Required: CCSS4520	3
Major Elective(s): one concentration elective course	3
<b>Total (including Faculty Package):</b>	
	<b>72</b>

<b>Minor Programme Title</b> Contemporary China Studies	
<b>Minor Programme Requirement</b>	
Students are required to complete a minimum of 18 units of courses as follows:	
1. Required Courses: Any 1 course from the following: CHES1000, CCSS1001, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1010, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2030, 2120, 2150, 2410, 2450, 2630, 2800	Units 3
2. Elective Courses: Any 5 CCSS courses at 2000 to 4000 level except CCSS3102, 3103, 3110, 3111, 3112 and those taken to fulfil requirement 1 above, with at least 6 units at 3000 or above level.	15
<b>Total:</b>	<b>18</b>

<b>Course List</b>		
<i>Course Code</i>	<i>Course Title</i>	<i>Unit(s)</i>
CHES1000	Introduction to Chinese Studies	3
CCSS1001	China's Cultural Past	3
CCSS1003	The Cultural Revolution and its Legacies	3
CCSS1004	Chinese Society in Transformation	3
CCSS1005	Modern China	3
CCSS1006	Politics and Governance in Contemporary China	3
CCSS1007	Introduction to the Chinese Economy	3
CCSS1010	Chinese Languages and Cultures: A Linguistic Perspective	3
CCSS2002	Global China	3
CCSS2003	Thinking about Contemporary China	3
CCSS2005	Contemporary Chinese Popular Culture	3
CCSS2030	Modern Chinese Literature	3
CCSS2120	Chinese Family and Marriage	3
CCSS2150	War and Revolution in China	3
CCSS2410	Theories of Development and the China Case	3
CCSS2450	Business and China	3
CCSS2630	Fundamental Principles of Economics (Macro/Micro)	3
CCSS2800	Chinese Politics in Comparison	3
CCSS3030	China Under Mao	3
CCSS3050	Shanghai in Modern and Contemporary China	3
CCSS3101	Media China	3
CCSS3102	Contemporary China: Summer Fieldwork	3
CCSS3103	Guided Fieldwork in China	3
CCSS3106	China Experience Internship	3

CCSS3110	Social Science Research Methods and China Studies	3
CCSS3111	Humanities Research on China	3
CCSS3112	Fieldwork Methodology and China Studies	3
CCSS3411	Cultural History of Modern China	3
CCSS3420	Social Issues and Problems in Contemporary China	3
CCSS3440	China on Screen	3
CCSS3451	Rural Development in China	3
CCSS3460	Chinese Literature: Late Qing to the Present	3
CCSS3500	China in Regional and World Systems	3
CCSS3550	Political Economy of China's Reform	3
CCSS3600	Geographies of Development in China	3
CCSS3610	Investment and Finance in China	3
CCSS3700	Urban China	3
CCSS3800	Popular Protest and Social Movements in China	3
CCSS3900	Environmental Politics in China	3
CCSS4008	Places of Memory in Modern China Seminar	3
CCSS4009	Student Protest in 20 <sup>th</sup> Century China Seminar	3
CCSS4010	Advanced Topics in Chinese Literature Seminar	3
CCSS4011	Advanced Topics on China and the Global Economy Seminar	3
CCSS4012	20 <sup>th</sup> Century China through Local History and Fieldwork Seminar	3
CCSS4015	Social Conflict and Policing in China Seminar	3
CCSS4016	Youth, Market and State Seminar	3
CCSS4410	Law and Society in China Seminar	3
CCSS4502	Selected Topics in Contemporary China Studies (Humanities)	3
CCSS4504	Selected Topics in Chinese Language and Culture I	3
CCSS4505	Selected Topics in Chinese Language and Culture II	3
CCSS4520	Capstone Research Paper	3