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Dear Faculty of Engineering,

Faculty of Construction and Environment
Taught Postgraduate Programmes and Admission Information (2025/26 academic year)

The Faculty of Construction and Environment (FCE) of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University is a key higher education provider for the construction industry in Hong Kong. The Faculty is comprised of the Departments of Building Environment and Energy Engineering, Building and Real Estate, Civil and Environmental Engineering as well as Land Surveying and Geo-Informatics.

FCE offers taught postgraduate programmes via its four departments in diverse and extensive subject areas, covering breadth and depth in the professional as well as academic research fields of real estate and construction, urban planning and intelligent cities, civil engineering and environmental management, to help students pursue their personal interests, professional excellence, and career advancement. Many of our graduates have become leaders in the construction industry worldwide.

We have enclosed copies of the taught postgraduate programmes collaterals for the 2025/26 academic year. We should be grateful if you could arrange to share these with students who may be interested in pursuing postgraduate education in the construction and environment fields in Hong Kong.

If you have any queries or need extra copies of the collaterals, please contact us at faculty.ce@polyu.edu.hk or +852 3400 8496.

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List of taught postgraduate programmes offered (2025/26 admissions)

Department	Programme title (Code)	Duration	Tuition Fee per credit for local and non-local students ¹	Professional Recognition
Department of Building Environment and Energy Engineering (BEEE)	Master of Engineering in Building Services Engineering (33082)	1 year (Full-time) 2 years (Part-time)	HK\$8,000	CIBSE
	Master of Science in Building Services Engineering (33084)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$8,000	CIBSE
	Master of Science in Carbon Neutral Cities and Urban Sustainability (33088)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$9,650	RICS
	Master of Science in Facility Management (33085)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$6,750	CIBSE HKIFM RICS
	Master of Science in Fire and Safety Engineering (33086)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$6,750	CIBSE
	Master of Science in High Performance Buildings (33087)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$6,750	CIBSE RICS
Department of Building and Real Estate (BRE)	Doctor of International Real Estate and Construction (32109)	3 years	HK\$9,300	-
	Master of Science in Construction and Real Estate (32111)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$8,160	RICS
	Master of Science in Intelligent Construction (32114)	1 year (Full-time) 2 years (Part-time)	HK\$8,060	-
	Master of Science in Project Management (32113)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$8,160	CIOB HKIPM RICS
Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering (CEE)	Master of Science in Civil Engineering (31077)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$7,000	-
	Master of Science in Environmental Management and Engineering (31078)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$6,550	-
Department of Land Surveying and Geo-Informatics (LSGI)	Master of Science in Geomatics (34084)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$6,400	CICES HKIES HKIS RICS
	Master of Science in Urban Informatics and Smart Cities (34083)	1 year (Full-time) 2.5 years (Part-time)	HK\$8,000	HKIS RICS ²

¹ Except for the 1-credit bearing Academic Integrity and Ethics subject for which credit fee will not be charged.

² Accreditation will be sought.

CIBSE = Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers
CICES = Chartered Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors
CIOB = Chartered Institute of Building
HKIES = The Hong Kong Institution of Engineering Surveyors

HKIFM = The Hong Kong Institute of Facility Management
HKIPM = Hong Kong Institute of Project Management
HKIS = The Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors
RICS = Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors

Admission requirements

General Entrance Requirements

For admission to a Doctoral degree programme, you must possess a Master's degree. As for the Master's degree or Postgraduate Diploma, the basic requirement is a Bachelor's degree from an institution that is recognised by PolyU. In addition, you must meet the entrance requirements that are specified by individual programmes. PolyU may accept equivalent qualifications. The decision is made on an individual basis.

English Language Requirement

If you are not a native speaker of English, and your Bachelor's degree or equivalent qualification is awarded by institutions where the medium of instruction is not English, you are expected to provide one of the following proficiency test results (taken in a single sitting within 2 years) to fulfil the minimum English language requirement for admission purpose:

- A score of 80 or above in the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) Internet-based test
OR
- An Overall Band score of 6.0 or above in the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) Academic module

Remarks: TOEFL iBT Home Edition, the IELTS Online and IELTS indicator test results will not be considered for meeting the English language requirements for taught programmes.

Application

Applications are received online via eAdmission system. Please note that our University does not authorize any person, organisation or agency for student recruitment purposes. Interested person should submit your application and provide any updated information to us via eAdmission directly.

The application fee for admission to taught postgraduate programmes for 2025/26 is HK\$450. The fee is non-refundable and non-transferrable. You must settle the application fee upon submission of your online application, otherwise, your application will not be further processed.

Departments will consider applications on a rolling basis until places are filled. To secure a study place, applicants should apply as early as possible before the application deadlines of individual programmes.

Please visit <https://www.polyu.edu.hk/study/pg/taught-postgraduate> for application.



Application

Credits required for graduation

Doctor of International Real Estate and Construction	52
Master of Engineering/Science	31

- The above credit requirements include a 1-credit subject on Academic Integrity and Ethics (AIE) Requirement, normally within their first semester of study.
- In addition to the subjects of the enrolled taught postgraduate programme, students are also required to complete a 3-hour e-learning lecture, titled “Understanding China and the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, P.R.C.”, plus 3 hours of self-study on National Education as a graduation requirement for taught postgraduate programmes.
- Master of Science students can apply to graduate with an exit award of Postgraduate Diploma (22 credits).

Scholarships

Entry scholarships may be provided by individual programme-offering departments. Please visit <https://www.polyu.edu.hk/study/financial-assistance-and-scholarships-tpg> for up-to-date information.



Financial Assistance and Scholarships