### THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

## LEARNING OUTCOMES

# **Bachelor of Social Sciences - Social Development (minor)**

#### 1. Outcomes:

This programme aims to:

- provide students with basic knowledge of social development;
- equip students with theoretical frameworks to analyze social development in diverse global contexts;
- develop students' ability in critical analysis of contemporary social issues, specifically the impact of globalization and connections between the local and global;
- equip students to evaluate diverse responses to human need taking into account personal values; and
- equip students with skills to promote well-being of people in communities and strengthen civil society actions.

## 2. Learning outcomes:

Programme Level Outcomes	Faculty Level Outcomes	University Educational Aims
On successful completion of the	On successful completion of the	Benchmarked against the
programme, students should be able	curriculum, students should be	highest international
to:	able to:	standards, the 4-year
		undergraduate curriculum at
		HKU is designed to enable
		our students to develop their
		capabilities in:
Programme-level Intended	Faculty of Social Sciences	<b>University Educational Aim</b>
Learning Outcome 1.	Intended Learning Outcome 1.	1.
understand major theories of social		
development in both local and global	critically evaluate underlying	pursuit of academic /
contexts	theories and concepts through	professional excellence, critical
Programme-level Intended	independent research in social	intellectual enquiry and life-
Learning Outcome 2.	science disciplines	long learning
know how to use fundamental		
knowledge of research to evaluate		
social development strategies		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 3.		
critically assess contemporary social		
issues and demonstrate awareness on		
social justice		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 4.		
nurture a sense of global citizenship in		
the context of social development		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 5.		
strengthen leadership in social		
development and advocacy for the		
improvement of the human service		
development		

Programme-level Intended Learning Outcome 2. know how to use fundamental	Faculty of Social Sciences Intended Learning Outcome 2.	University Educational Aim 2.
knowledge of research to evaluate social development strategies	apply social science theories and methods in analysing complex problems in a globalizing world	tackling novel situations and ill-defined problems
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 3.</b> critically assess contemporary social issues and demonstrate awareness on social justice		
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 4.</b> nurture a sense of global citizenship in the context of social development		
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 5.</b> strengthen leadership in social development and advocacy for the improvement of the human service development		
Programme-level Intended Learning Outcome 1.	Faculty of Social Sciences Intended Learning Outcome 3.	University Educational Aim 3.
understand major theories of social development in both local and global contexts	reflect critically on learning through participation in social innovation internships to engage	critical self-reflection, greater understanding of others, and upholding personal and
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 2.</b> know how to use fundamental knowledge of research to evaluate social development strategies	with the wider community	professional ethics
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 3.</b> critically assess contemporary social issues and demonstrate awareness on social justice		
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 4.</b> nurture a sense of global citizenship in the context of social development		
<b>Programme-level Intended</b> <b>Learning Outcome 5.</b> strengthen leadership in social development and advocacy for the improvement of the human service development		

Programme-level Intended	Faculty of Social Sciences	University Educational Aim
Learning Outcome 1.	Intended Learning Outcome 4.	4.
understand major theories of social	Intended Learning Outcome 4.	Τ•
development in both local and	embrace diverse learning	intercultural communication
global contexts	environments through out-of-	and global citizenship
Programme-level Intended	Hong Kong exchange and global	and groota entitenship
Learning Outcome 3.	citizenship programmes	
critically assess contemporary social	r i S	
issues and demonstrate awareness on		
social justice		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 4.		
nurture a sense of global citizenship		
in the context of social development		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 5.		
strengthen leadership in social		
development and advocacy for the		
improvement of the human service		
development	Feaulty of Secial Sciences	University Educational Aim
Programme-level Intended Learning Outcome 1.	Faculty of Social Sciences Intended Learning Outcome 5.	5.
understand major theories of social	Intended Learning Outcome 5.	5.
development in both local and	work as effective team members	communication and
global contexts	and in group projects to enhance	collaboration
Programme-level Intended	collaboration and communication	condoration
Learning Outcome 3.	skills	
critically assess contemporary social		
issues and demonstrate awareness on social justice		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 4.		
nurture a sense of global citizenship		
in the context of social development		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 5.		
strengthen leadership in social		
development and advocacy for the improvement of the human service		
development		
Programme-level Intended	Faculty of Social Sciences	University Educational Aim
Learning Outcome 2.	Intended Learning Outcome 6.	6.
know how to use fundamental	8	
knowledge of research to evaluate	demonstrate an awareness of	Leadership and advocacy for
social development strategies	current social issues and problems	the improvement of the human
	and be prepared to act as	condition
Programme-level Intended	advocates for social change	
Learning Outcome 4.		
nurture a sense of global citizenship in the context of social development		
Programme-level Intended		
Learning Outcome 5.		
strengthen leadership in social		
development and advocacy for the		
improvement of the human service		
development		
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