



LAW UNDERGRADUATE

RESEARCH and LEADERSHIP
PROGRAMME



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What's in the Laidlaw programme for me?

10 scholarships to support:

- leadership training led by Common Purpose
- research internship for 8 to 10 weeks during summer (2018) and winter (2018-2019) breaks in **HKU**, **University College London** and **the University of Leeds**



Programme highlights

Research internship (summer 2018 and winter 2018-19)

- receive supervision from expert researchers
- deliver a research project
- cultural immersion
- broaden horizons

Bespoke leadership training in Manila/Yangon (June 2018)

- devise, plan and implement group projects
- gain access to leading organizations
- boost cultural intelligence
- learn about the UN's 17 Sustainable Development Goals & Design Thinking



Schedule

Research Leadership Training

March 15 & 16, 2018	Official launch of leadership development workshop
April – May 2018	10-hour online module on leadership development
June 4-29, 2018	4-week overseas leadership development programme
July – August 2018	Summer research project in host institution for 5-7 weeks*
September 2018	Formulating and developing research report
October 2018	One-day leadership development event for reflection and experience sharing
December 2018 – January 2019	Finalizing research project in host institution for 2-4 weeks*

Note: Interviews to be held in January/February 2018

Eligibility and funding

- Undergraduates in their second or third year of study
- Free registration for leadership development programme (<https://tl.hku.hk/horizons/ldp/>)
- \$5,000 (overseas) / \$2,000 (local) per week for 8-10 weeks for research attachment
- \$10,000 for laboratory-related expenses
- \$10,000 stipend for leadership development programme and other travel



Possible expenses

- International airfare
- Accommodation in the host country
- Living expenses in the host country
- Visa application fee
- Health/travel insurance
- Other fees charged by the host institution



Preparing your application

- Completed Research Proposal
- Copy of latest transcript showing Cumulative GPA
- Online application for the HKU-Common Purpose Leadership Development Programme (Deadline: December 31, 2017)

Laidlaw Undergraduate Research and Leadership Programme
(Deadline: 5pm, January 22, 2018)

Research proposal

- Title of research project
- Research question
- Summary of the work to be undertaken:
background, location, history, context, limitation, etc.
- Details of supervision arrangements

UCL's list of projects available at <http://www.ucl.ac.uk/laidlaw-scholarships/projects>.

(Students from HKU are advised to apply for projects which accept 2 students (i.e., except projects 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, 17 and 19 which accept 1 UCL student only).



Support required from academic staff members

- Supervision for 8 to 10 weeks during **summer 2018** and **winter 2018-19** - coaching on successfully completing a research project

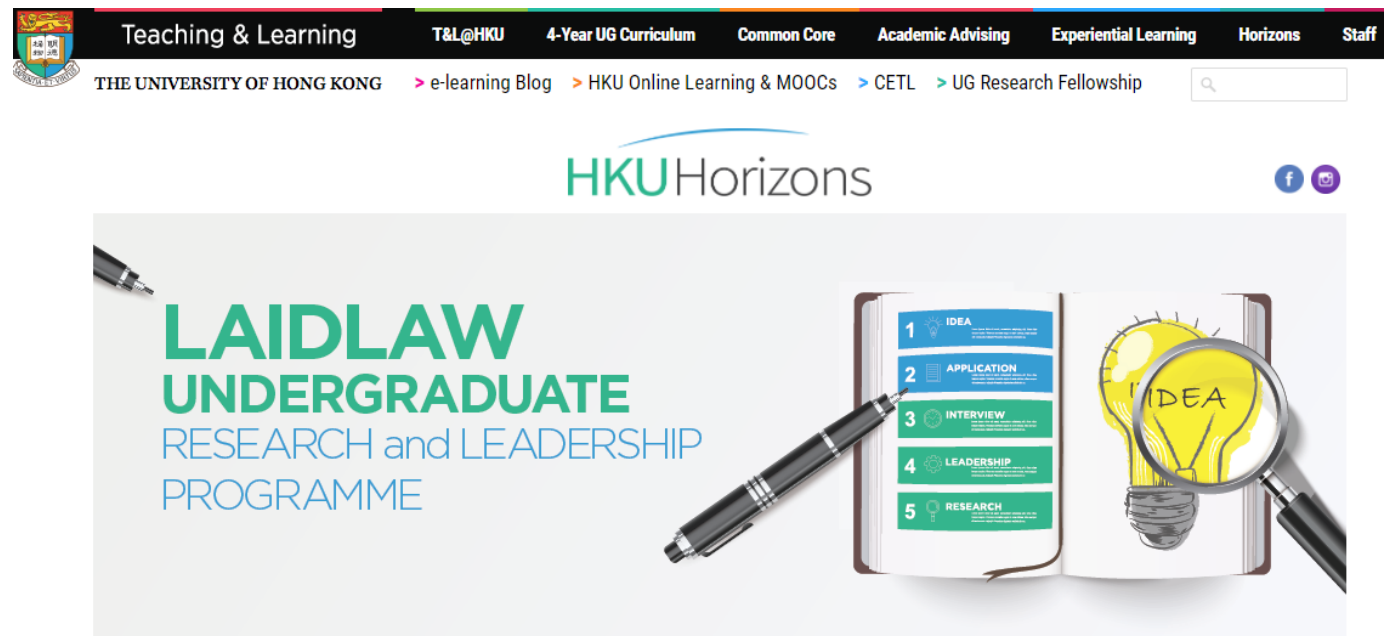
Support provided by Horizons Office to incoming students

- Pre-arrival student advising
 - Visa application
 - Reservation of on-campus accommodation
 - Orientation pack - getting around and settling in Hong Kong and HKU

Further Information & Enquiries

<https://tl.hku.hk/horizons/laidlaw/>

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Latest Updates

Nov 9, 2017

Applications for 2018 are now accepted until 5:00pm, **January 22, 2018**.

A briefing session will be held at **4:30-5:30pm** on **November 29, 2017** (Room 237, 2/F, Main Building) to introduce the objectives and funding model of the scholarship. All are welcome.

Thank You

