

**The Chinese University of Hong Kong  
Faculty of Law**

**Faculty of Law Postgraduate Scholarships for Academic Excellence 2023/24**

The Faculty of Law has set up a scholarship scheme for academically outstanding postgraduate students of the Juris Doctor (JD) and the Master of Laws (LLM) Programmes. Details of the scheme for the academic year 2023/24 are as follows:

**I. Scholarships for Academic Excellence**

**1. Number and Value of Scholarships**

**JD Programme**

*Full-time mode (the 'metallic scholarships')*

- Two Faculty of Law JD Gold Scholarships for Outstanding Academic Merit each of HK\$50,000 for JD full-time students who commenced their JD studies in 2023/24
- Two Faculty of Law JD Gold Scholarships for Outstanding Academic Merit each of HK\$50,000 for JD full-time students who commenced their JD studies before 2023/24
- Four Faculty of Law JD Silver Scholarships for High Academic Merit each of HK\$25,000 for JD full-time students who commenced their JD studies in 2023/24
- Four Faculty of Law JD Silver Scholarships for High Academic Merit each of HK\$25,000 for JD full-time students who commenced their JD studies before 2023/24
- Six Faculty of Law JD Bronze Scholarships for Academic Merit each of HK\$15,000 for JD full-time students who commenced their JD studies in 2023/24
- Six Faculty of Law JD Bronze Scholarships for Academic Merit each of HK\$15,000 for JD full-time students who commenced their JD studies before 2023/24

*Part-time mode*

- Four Faculty of Law JD Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$10,000 for JD part-time students who commenced their JD studies in 2023/24
- Eight Faculty of Law JD Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$10,000 for JD part-time students who commenced their JD studies before 2023/24

**LLM Programmes**

*LLM in Chinese Business Law*

- Eight Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$20,000 to full-time students of the LLM in Chinese Business Law Programme
- Two Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$10,000 to part-time students of the LLM in Chinese Business Law Programme

*LLM in Common Law*

- Eight Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$20,000 to full-time students of the LLM in Common Law Programme
- Four Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$10,000 to part-time students of the LLM in Common Law Programme

*LLM in Energy and Environmental Law*

- Nine Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$20,000 to full-time students of the LLM in Energy and Environmental Law Programme
- One Faculty of Law LLM Scholarship for Academic Excellence each of HK\$10,000 to part-time students of the LLM in Energy and Environmental Law Programme

### *LLM in International Economic Law*

- Sixteen Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$20,000 to full-time students of the LLM in International Economic Law Programme
- Five Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence each of HK\$10,000 to part-time students of the LLM in International Economic Law Programme

### *LLM in Legal History*

- One Faculty of Law LLM Scholarships for Academic Excellence of HK\$10,000 to full-time / part-time students of the LLM in Legal History Programme

## **2. Eligibility**

Unless indicated otherwise by a student, the following students will automatically participate in the scholarship scheme:

- All full-time LLM (except LLM in Legal History) and JD students (including JD/MBA students who have started their JD studies on the JD Programme in 2023/24 or before) who have registered for courses carrying at least 12 credit units in Term One of the academic year 2023/24 and have achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.50 after Term One of the academic year 2023/24.
- All part-time LLM (except LLM in Legal History) and JD students (including JD/MBA students who have started their JD studies on the JD Programme in 2023/24 or before) who have registered for courses carrying at least 6 credit units in Term One of the academic year 2023/24 and have achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.50 after Term One of the academic year 2023/24.
- All full-time / part-time LLM in Legal History students who have registered for courses carrying at least 6 credit units in Term One of the academic year 2023/24 and have achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.50 after Term One of the academic year 2023/24.

## **3. Selection Criteria and Procedure**

All scholarships will be awarded to students on the basis of their academic performance evidenced by their cumulative GPA after Term One of the academic year 2023/24. In the event that students have identical cumulative GPA scores the scholarship will be shared and the amounts will be divided equally among these students.

## **II. Announcement of results**

The award of the scholarships will be announced as soon as examination results are available and internal administrative procedures have been completed. The Faculty of Law expects to be able to make the announcements in March 2023.

## **III. Postgraduate Scholarship Committee**

The scholarship scheme will be supervised and administered by the Postgraduate Scholarship Committee consisting of the JD Programme Director, the LLM Programme Director and the Dean of the Faculty of Law.

## **IV. Enquiries**

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