THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

NOTICE TO RESEARCH POSTGRADUATE AND SJD STUDENTS

COMPOSITION FEE 2020-21

All research postgraduate students (i.e. MPhil, PhD) and SJD students are invited to note the following schedule of the composition fee for the academic year 2020-21:

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<th>Date of e-Invoice being issued to Student HKU Portal Account</th>
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<td>First Instalment²</td>
<td>By 15th calendar day of the month of admission</td>
<td>End of the month of admission</td>
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<td>Second Instalment</td>
<td>By 15th calendar day in the 7th month after admission</td>
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(Note: Composition fees for research postgraduate and SJD students shall be payable in 6-month intervals from the month of admission throughout their normative study period.)

2. The electronic invoice of the composition fee shall be issued to the HKU Portal account of the students concerned. Please note that NO hard copy of the invoice will be sent. The invoice can be generated and printed from the Student Information System (SIS) and all students are encouraged to check the balance of their student accounts in the SIS from time to time. Students who have registered their local mobile telephone numbers (8-digit numbers) with the University through the SIS will receive a SMS message in due course about the issuance of the invoice.

3. According to General Regulation G17, students who do not settle their fee payment within 30 days after the due date shall be de-registered and prohibited from using University facilities and/or services. In order to reinstate the student status and have University facilities and/or services resumed, the student has to pay a surcharge of 10% of the outstanding fees, or HK$500, whichever is the lesser, IN ADDITION to settling the outstanding fees. The student may also be required to compensate the University for any loss of interest for any late payment or non-payment of fees. Students having difficulty in settling the payment on time should contact the Centre of Development and Resources for Students (CEDARS) before the due date for assistance and advice.

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September 4, 2020

¹ Under the Tuition Waiver Scheme for Local Research Postgraduate Students, eligible local students enrolled in full-time UGC-funded research postgraduate programmes will be provided with a tuition waiver and the entire composition fee will be waived during the students' normative study period.

² Not including newly admitted students in the academic year 2020-21 who have already paid up in full the first instalment of the composition fee in the form of an admission deposit upon acceptance of the admission offer.