



## Admission to MPhil-PhD in Architecture 2025-26

### List of Application Materials

Submission deadline: **1 December 2024**

All application materials should be submitted directly to the School of Architecture, Room 106, Lee Shau Kee Architecture Building, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, NT, Hong Kong SAR ( Attention: Application for MPhil-PhD in Architecture, Phone (852) 3943 1309) **right after the submission of online application**, and in any case not later than 1 December 2024.

Items	Item/Requirement	Graduate School's <a href="#">online system</a>	Original document to be posted to School of Architecture^
1.	Completed <a href="#">application form</a> .	NO	YES
2.	Bank draft/cheque (in HK\$) for the application fee with the Payment Voucher, <u>if not pay by Visa/Master Card</u> .	NO	YES
3.	<p>Official transcripts of academic records of Bachelor's and/or Master's degree obtained PLUS grading scheme.</p> <p>Original transcripts issued by the applicants' former/ current University in sealed envelope with stamp from the University's Registry <u>must be</u> provided. (Photocopy / certified true copy of transcripts will not be accepted.)</p> <p>There should be explanatory notes printed / attached to the transcripts indicating the <u>grading scheme</u> / reference of the University.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Grading Scheme Sample: <a href="http://www.res.cuhk.edu.hk/en-gb/general-information/guide-to-grading-system">http://www.res.cuhk.edu.hk/en-gb/general-information/guide-to-grading-system</a></li><li>If your university do not have a grading scheme, please ask for a certifying letter from University Registry indicating that your programme do not have grading scheme.</li></ul>	YES	YES
4.	Graduation certificate(s) of Bachelor's and/or Master's Degree(s) obtained and/or a Letter of Proof of your study status (for current students).	YES	NO
5.	Copies of other academic/professional qualifications, if any (in 1 pdf).	YES	YES
6.	Original English test report of TOEFL, IELTS, or GMAT for applicants from non-English speaking countries.	YES	YES



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	<p>Applicant should fulfill the <a href="#">English Language Proficiency Requirement</a> set by the Graduate School at the application stage.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TOEFL and IELTS are valid for two years from the test date. GMAT is considered valid for five years from the test date. Photocopy/ certified true copy of transcripts will not be accepted.</li> <li>Since original TOEFL report will take 2 months to be delivered from the issuing authority to our University, you are strongly advised to obtain the report before October 2024.</li> </ul>		
7.	Identity card and/or passport (if appropriate) as given in the application form.	YES	NO
8.	Confidential recommendations from 3 referees who have taught you or worked closely with you, and could comment in detail on your research abilities and personalities. (Referee can choose to submit the recommendation form / and letter for you via <a href="#">online system</a> or in hard copy <sup>^</sup> .)	NO	YES
9.	<p>Thesis proposal (Expected length: 2,000 – 3,000 words) It shall lay out the domain and direction of inquiry and lie within the scope of the Design Research Units of the School of Architecture.</p> <p>The proposal shall be written in English.</p> <p><b>Please indicate the name of the supervisor that you would like to work with on the cover of your research proposal.</b> Applicants who FAIL to nominate a supervisor WILL NOT be considered.</p>	YES	YES
10.	Evidence of intellectual preparation. (It can take the form of course papers, publications, design portfolio or other work with a research component, but English-language writing or refereed publications will be considered more favorably than other evidence.)	YES	YES
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