# Biotechnology and Clinical Research

(For 2017/18 intake and after)

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**What is it about?**

The Minor programme places emphasis on contemporary biomedical R&D innovations, and introduces the frameworks in translating and transforming basic science knowledge to new products, processes or services. This minor also offers operational concepts in clinical research that ranges from study design and human research ethics in clinical trials.

| Offering Department/ School/Institute: | School of Biomedical Sciences |

**Pre-requisite requirements and/or other conditions for declaring the major/minor**

*Minor:*  
BBMS1001 & any one of these courses: BBMS2008, BBMS2009  
For details, please check with the School of Biomedical Sciences.

**Minor Programme Requirements:**  
*Minor:*  
Students are required to complete 36 credits of the following courses subject to the University’s regulations on credit double-counting: BBMS1001, BBMS2005, BBMS2008, BBMS2009, BBMS2010, BBMS3012, BBMS3018, BBMS4005, BIOL3409, MEDE4604

**Career opportunities:**

The Minor programme is designed to educate and prepare future biomedical professionals looking to acquire knowledge and managerial skills in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries.

**Further information:**


**Contact:**

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P: 3917 9488

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<td>What is it about?</td>
<td>It is about understanding the basis of health and diseases, with an aim to provide an up-to-date account of our knowledge of genetics and genomics, and their role in health and disease development.</td>
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### Pre-requisite requirements and/or other conditions for declaring the major/minor:

**Minor:**

- BIOC1600 & any one of these courses: BBMS2007, BBMS2003

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### Minor Programme Requirements:

**Minor:**

Students are required to complete 36 credits of the following courses subject to the University’s regulations on credit double-counting:

- BIOC1600, BBMS2007, BBMS2003, BBMS3007, BBMS3008, BBMS3009, BBMS4003, BIOC3605, BIOC4612, BBMS4004

### Career opportunities:

The Minor programme explores the application of genetics and genomics to clinical practice and population health, and is highly relevant to students who aspires a scientific or academic career in the field.

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<td><strong>What is it about?</strong></td>
<td>Kinesiology is a multidisciplinary field of study that contributes to the understanding of human movement and physical activity. This minor programme will introduce and expose students to the key subdisciplines of kinesiology including exercise physiology, exercise psychology, motor control and biomechanics, in addition to nutritional aspects of human health and performance.</td>
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| **Offering Department:** | School of Biomedical Sciences  
School of Public Health |
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| **Minor Programme Requirements:** | Minor:  
Students are required to complete 36 credits of the following courses subject to the University’s regulations on credit double-counting:  
| **Career opportunities:** | This minor programme equips and prepares students for career development in health and fitness industry, research study in exercise science and sports medicine, and for future certification/study and work as exercise-related health professionals such as exercise specialist and physiotherapist. |
| **Further information:** | http://sph.hku.hk/kinesiology |
| **Contact:** | E: exhealth@hku.hk  
P: 3917 9890 |

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## Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine
### Pharmaceutical Sciences
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### Pre-requisite requirements and/or other conditions for declaring the major/minor:

- **Minor:**
  - BIOC1600 & BBMS2005
  - For details, please check with the School of Biomedical Sciences.

### Minor Programme Requirements:

- **Minor:**
  - Students are required to complete 36 credits of the following courses subject to the University’s regulations on credit double-counting:
    - BIOC1600, BBMS2005, BIOC2600, CHEM2442, BBMS3014, BPHM3151, BPHM4142, BPHM4147, BBMS4002

### Career opportunities:

- The Minor programme complements Majors in life sciences and natural sciences. Students will find the minor relevant in pharmaceutical industry, healthcare professions and in the field of pharmacology research.

### Further information:


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