## Hong Kong Baptist University Curriculum for Minor Programmes

Minor Programme: Political Science (\*PS)

| Course Group      | Course               | Course Title                                                       | Unit | Core (C) /<br>Elective (E) |
|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----------------------------|
| PS Minor Require  | ed Courses (a        | #R-PS-CORE-001)                                                    |      |                            |
|                   | POLS1005             | Foundations of Political Science                                   | 3.00 | С                          |
|                   | POLS2017             | Foundations of International Relations                             | 3.00 | С                          |
| PS Minor Elective | e Courses (#I        | R-PS-ELECT-001)                                                    |      |                            |
|                   | EURO3205             | Comparative Politics of Post-Communist Central Europe              | 3.00 | Е                          |
|                   | GSIS2005             | Statistics for the Social Sciences                                 | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS2006             | Introduction to Political Economy                                  | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS2007             | Introduction to Research Methods                                   | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS2015             | Government and Politics of Hong Kong                               | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS2016             | Social Movements and Contentious Politics                          | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS2025             | Foundations of Political Philosophy                                | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3006             | Statistical and Survey Methods for Political Science               | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3017             | Government and Politics of China                                   | 3.00 | Е                          |
|                   | POLS3205             | Chinese Legal System                                               | 3.00 | Е                          |
|                   | POLS3206             | Government and Politics of Japan                                   | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3207             | Government and Politics of the United Kingdom                      | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3215             | Government and Politics of the United States                       | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3217             | Political Philosophy: Chinese and European                         | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3225             | Religion and Politics                                              | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3226             | War and Peace                                                      | 3.00 | Ē                          |
|                   | POLS3227             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3235             | Comparative Democracies: The United Kingdom and The United States  | 3.00 | Ē                          |
|                   | POLS3236             | Gender and Politics                                                | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3237             | Social and Political Developments in Contemporary China            | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS3245             | China and the World                                                | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4005             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4006             | International Political Economy                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4206             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4207             | Comparative Public Administration                                  | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4216             | Democratization in East and Southeast Asia                         | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4217             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4217             | Political Cultures and Economies in Transition                     | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4226             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4227             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4227             | Social and Political Developments in Contemporary China            | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4235<br>POLS4236 | Theories of International Relations                                | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   |                      | Topics in Asian Politics                                           |      |                            |
|                   | POLS4237             | Topics in Asian Foliacs  Topics in Comparative and Global Politics | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4245             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4247             | ·                                                                  | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4255             | Comparative Authoritarianism and Democratization                   | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4256             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4257             |                                                                    | 3.00 | E                          |
|                   | POLS4265             | Topics in Political Theory and Philosophy                          | 3.00 | E                          |
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Remarks: Students are required to take two required courses (i.e. POLS1005 and POLS2017) and three elective courses.

Students are required to take one 3-unit course at Level 3 or 4.

Students can take either POLS3006 or GSIS2005 to fulfil the requirement for Minor Programme.

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