

FACULTY OF CHINESE STUDIES 中华语言文化学院



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南方大学学院



Faculty of Chinese Studies

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The Faculty of Chinese Studies was established on June 6, 2023, on the foundation of the Department of Chinese Studies, which was initiated in 1997. The Department of Chinese Studies is currently the sole department operated by the Faculty of Chinese Studies, boasting 28 years of experience in higher education administration. The department offers a range of programmes, spanning from Diploma, Bachelor's Degree, Master's Degree to the Doctoral level.

The Faculty of Chinese Studies is closely associated with other academic units at Southern University College, including the Research Institute of Chinese Ethnicity and Culture, the Malaysian Chinese Literature Centre, the Southern University College Academic Journal, the Chao Foon literary magazine, and the Southern Salon. Additionally, it is actively engaged in various major research projects and seminars. These academic units work in tandem with each other to achieve a comprehensive effect of collaboration, learning clusters, and interdisciplinary engagement.

南方大学学院中华语言文化学院成立于2023年6月6日，其前身为1997年创立的中文系。目前，中华语言文化学院下设唯一的学系—中文系，至今已累积28年的办学经验，开设涵盖文凭、学士、硕士及博士层级的完整课程体系。

中华语言文化学院与南方大学学院多个学术单位紧密合作，包括华人群与文化研究所、马华文学馆、《南方大学学报》、《蕉风》杂志及南方沙龙学术讲座等。此外，学院也积极参与各类重要研究项目和学术研讨会。这些学术单位相互协作，形成跨学科的学术生态，推动研究与文化交流的深度融合。





Programmes 课程

Diploma in Chinese Studies 中文专业文凭
Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Chinese Studies 中文 (荣誉) 学士学位
Master of Arts in Chinese Studies 中文硕士 (研究型)
Doctor of Philosophy (Chinese Studies) 中文博士 (研究型)

Diploma in Chinese Studies 中文专业文凭

R3/0232/4/0001 (MQA/A 9858) 03/29

Programme Duration: 2 Years 3 Months

Programme Introduction 课程介绍

The Department of Chinese Studies at Southern University College is the pioneering Chinese Studies department approved by the Malaysian Ministry of Education, preceeding all other Chinese community-funded universities in Malaysia. The objective of the Diploma in Chinese Studies programme is to foster the interest in Chinese Studies among students at the pre-university level. Our curriculum focuses on literature, history and philosophy of classical Chinese, as well as modern Western humanities. In addition, our department incorporates Malaysian Chinese literature and Malaysian culture into the framework of the programme.

中文专业文凭课程面向大学预科阶段学生，旨在培养对中文研究的兴趣。课程内容涵盖中国文学、历史、哲学，并融入现代西方人文学科，同时特别关注马来西亚华文文学与文化，构建具有本土特色的中文研究体系。

Courses 课程

Compulsory 必修

- Introduction to Literature 文学概论
- Readings in Pre-Qin and Han Literature 先秦两汉文学选读
- Readings in Wei-Jin-Nan-Bei-Chao Literature 魏晋南北朝文学选读
- Readings in Tang and Song Literature 唐宋文学选读
- Ming and Qing Novels 明清小说
- Modern Chinese Literature 中国现代文学
- Contemporary Chinese Literature 中国当代文学
- Chinese Literature in Malaysia 马华文学
- History of Chinese Literature 中国文学史
- Introduction to Ancient Texts 古籍概论
- Classical Chinese 古代汉语
- Modern Chinese 现代汉语
- Chinese Philology 文字学
- Chinese Phonology 汉语声韵学
- Critical Interpretation of Ancient Texts 训诂学
- Chinese Calligraphy 书法
- History of Chinese Philosophy 中国哲学史
- The Analects of Confucius 论语
- General History of China 中国通史
- History of Malaysian Chinese 马来西亚华人史
- Chinese Teaching Methodology 中文教学法

Elective 选修

- The Book of Songs (Shi Jing) 诗经
- Songs of Chu (Chu Ci) 楚辞
- Selected Readings in Chinese Poetry (Shi Ci Xuan) 诗词选
- Introduction to Linguistics 语言学概论
- The Commentary of Zuo (Zuo Zhuan) 左传
- The Book of History (Shi Ji) 史记
- The Book of Changes (Yi Jing) 易经
- Mencius 孟子
- The Thought of Lao Zi and Zhuang Zi 老庄思想
- Han Fei Zi 韩非子
- General English/ Communicative English 通用英语/交际英语

Entry Requirements 入学资格

- **SPM/O-Level:** With a minimum of 3 credits including Chinese; OR,
马来西亚教育文凭/中学普通水平考试: 至少三科C等或以上，包括华文科；或者
- **UEC:** With at least a Grade B in 3 subjects including Chinese; OR
马来西亚统考文凭: 至少三科B等或以上，包括华文科；或者
- **Certificate:** A certificate in a related field; OR
证书: 相关领域证书；或者
- **Others:** Any other recognized equivalent qualifications.
其他: 其他受承认的同等学历
- **English Competency Requirement for International Students:** A minimum score of 4.0 in the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) or Band 3 in Malaysian University English Test (MUET) or its equivalent.
国际学生英语能力要求: 雅思 (IELTS) 成绩4.0或以上，或马来西亚统一英语测试 (MUET) 3级。

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Chinese Studies 中文（荣誉）学士学位

R2/0232/6/0001 (MQA/FA 2808) 11/28

Programme Duration: 3 Years

Programme Introduction 课程介绍

This programme prepares students with comprehensive concepts, knowledge, competencies, skills, and techniques in Chinese Studies, including language, literature, historiography, philosophy, culture, and art. In addition to gaining professional knowledge, students will develop strong analytical skills, language usage, appreciation, and expression skills. The programme also fosters their sense of humanities, spirit of exploration, and commitment to self-improvement for success in today's environment.

中文（荣誉）学士课程为学生提供与中文学科相关的全面概念、知识、能力、技能和技巧，旨在培养具备中文语言、文学、史学、哲学、文化及艺术专业知识的高素质人才。学生不仅能够掌握扎实的专业知识，还能锻炼批判思维、语言表达及研究能力，为未来在学术或相关行业的发展奠定基础，帮助他们在当今社会中取得成功。

Courses 课程

Compulsory 必修

- Introduction to Literature 文学概论
- Readings in Ancient Chinese Prose 历代文选
- Reading in Chinese Poetry 诗选
- Reading in Ci-poetry 词选
- Modern Chinese Literature 中国现代文学
- Contemporary Chinese Literature 当代华人文学
- Chinese Literature in Malaysia 马华文学
- History of Chinese Literature 中国文学史
- Introduction to Ancient Texts 古籍概论
- Classical Chinese 古代汉语
- Modern Chinese 现代汉语
- Chinese Philology 文字学
- Chinese Phonology 汉语声韵学
- Critical Interpretation of Ancient Texts 训诂学
- Chinese Calligraphy 书法
- History of Chinese Thought 中国思想史
- The Book of Songs (Shi Jing) 诗经
- The Analects of Confucius and Mencius 论孟
- Survey of Chinese History 中国通史
- History of Malaysian Chinese 马来西亚华人史
- Chinese Cultural Studies and Social Survey 华人文化研究与社会调查
- Chinese Writing and Practical Chinese 中文写作与实用中文
- Chinese Teaching Methodology 中文教学法
- Industrial Internship 工业实习
- Research Methodology / Graduation Thesis 研究方法/毕业论文

Elective 选修

- Classical Chinese Novels 中国古典小说
- Comparative Literature 比较文学
- The Commentary of Zuo (Zuo Zhuan) 左传
- The Book of History (Shi Ji) 史记
- The Book of Changes (Yi Jing) 易经
- The Thought of Lao Zi and Zhuang Zi 老庄思想
- Han Fei Zi 韩非子
- English Proficiency/ Academic English 优质英语/学术英语

Entry Requirements 入学资格

- **STPM/A-Level:** With a minimum of Grade C (GPA 2.00) in any two subjects and a credit in Chinese in SPM or its equivalent; OR
马来西亚高等教育文凭/中学高级水平考试:0 至少两科C等 (GPA 2.0), 且SPM华文达C等或以上; 或者
- **UEC:** With at least a Grade B in 5 subjects including Chinese; OR
马来西亚统考文凭: 至少五科B等或以上, 包括华文科; 或者
- **Matriculation/Foundation:** With a minimum CGPA of 2.00 or its equivalent and a credit in the Chinese subject in SPM or its equivalent; OR
大学预科班/基础班: CGPA至少2.0, 且SPM华文达C等或以上, 或同等资历; 或者
- **Diploma:** With a minimum CGPA of 2.0 or its equivalent and a credit in the Chinese subject in SPM or its equivalent.
专业文凭: 至少CGPA 2.0或同等成绩, 以及SPM华文科C等或以上, 或同等资历。
- **English Competency Requirement for International Students:** A minimum score of 5.0 in IELTS or Band 3.5 in MUET or its equivalent.
国际学生英语能力要求: 雅思 (IELTS) 成绩5.0或以上, 或马来西亚统一英语测试(MUET) 3.5级。

Master of Arts in Chinese Studies 中文硕士（研究型）

R2/0232/7/0011 (MQA/FA5096) 03/32

Programme Duration: Full-Time: 2 – 5 years; Part-Time: 3 – 7 years

Programme Introduction 课程介绍

Inheriting the tradition of Sinology, The Master of Arts in Chinese Studies covers both classical and modern Chinese language, literature, history, and philosophy on one hand, and transcends the model of traditional disciplines on the other hand. It incorporates emerging disciplines such as Chinese Ethnic Studies, Malaysian Chinese literature, Southeast Asian culture, and East-West Comparative Studies.

本课程承袭汉学研究的优良传统，涵盖中华古今语言、文学、历史与哲学等领域，同时突破传统学科的界限，融入华人族群研究、马华文学、东南亚文化及东西方比较研究等新兴领域。

Courses 课程

Courses of Study 课程结构

Students may choose to enroll in the programme on either a full-time or part-time basis. Students are required to complete 15 credits (equivalent to 3 courses), including 6 credits of core courses, and 9 credits of a research-based thesis.

本课程提供全日制与非全日制学习模式，学生须修满 15 学分方可毕业，其中包括 6 学分核心课程及 9 学分研究论文。

- Research Methodology in Chinese Studies (3 credits) 研究资料与方法 (3 学分)
- Directed Readings and Research (3 credits) 专书导读与研究 (3 学分)
- Graduation Thesis (9 credits) 论文 (9 学分)

Career Opportunities 就业机会

- Educator at a university or college 高校或学院教育工作者
- Researcher 研究员
- Manager/Director in a related field 相关领域主管
- Career progression 现有职业的发展与晋升

Entry Requirements 入学资格

- A Bachelor's degree in the field or a related field with a minimum CGPA of 2.75 or its equivalent; OR, 取得相关领域的学士学位，累积平均绩点 (CGPA) 不低于 2.75; 或
- A Bachelor's degree in the field or a related field with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 but not meeting CGPA of 2.75, can be accepted subject to a rigorous internal assessment; OR, 取得相关领域的学士学位，CGPA 介于 2.50 - 2.74，经严格内部评估后可获录取; 或
- A Bachelor's degree in the field or a related field with a minimum CGPA of 2.00 but not meeting CGPA of 2.50, can be accepted subject to a minimum of 5 years working experience in a relevant field and a rigorous internal assessment. 取得相关领域的学士学位，CGPA 介于 2.00 - 2.49，须具备至少 5 年相关工作经验，并通过严格内部评估;
- **Others:** Any recognised equivalent qualification. **其他:** 其他被认可的同等学术资历。
- **English Competency Requirement for International Students:** A minimum score of 5.0 in IELTS or its equivalent. **国际学生英语能力要求:** 雅思 (IELTS) 成绩 5.0 或以上，或同等资历。

International applicants who do not meet the minimum English Competency requirements are required to attend the 'Preparatory Intensive English' course conducted by Southern University College, known as the Southern Enrichment English Course (SEEC). International students must achieve a required IELTS score or its equivalent (the band requirements may vary depending on the selected programme)

未达到MER英语鉴定要求的国际学生，须就读由南方大学学院提供的“强化英语预备课程”，即SOUTHERN ENRICHMENT ENGLISH COURSE (SEEC)。国际学生需取得规定的雅思成绩 (IELTS) 或同等语言水平，具体分数要求因申请课程的不同而有所差异。

Doctor of Philosophy (Chinese Studies) 中文博士（研究型）

R/0231/8/0005 (MQA/FA 10010) 12/30

Programme Duration: Full-Time: 3 – 6 years; Part-Time: 4 – 8 years

Programme Introduction 课程介绍

Inheriting the tradition of Sinology, The Doctor of Philosophy (Chinese Studies) covers both classical and modern Chinese language, literature, history, and philosophy on one hand, and transcends the model of traditional disciplines on the other hand. It incorporates the emerging disciplines such as Chinese Ethnic Studies, Malaysian Chinese literature, Chinese-Japanese-Korean literature, Southeast Asian culture, and East-West Comparative Studies.

中文博士 (PhD) 课程承袭汉学研究的深厚传统, 涵盖中华古今语言、文学、历史与哲学研究。同时, 本课程突破传统学科界限, 融入华人族群研究、马华文学、中日韩比较文学、东南亚文化以及东西方比较研究等新兴领域。

Courses 课程

Courses of Study 课程结构

- Research Resources and Methodology in Chinese Studies (3 Credits) 研究资料与方法 (3 学分)
- Graduate Research Skills (3 Credits) 研究技能 (3 学分)
- Dissertation (9 credits) 论文 (9 学分)

Career Opportunities 就业机会

- Educator at a university or college 高校或学院教育工作者
- Researcher 研究员
- Manager/Director in a related field 相关领域主管
- Career progression 现有职业的发展与晋升

Entry Requirements 入学资格

- A Master's degree (Level 7, MQF) in language or a related field.
取得语言学或相关领域的硕士学位 (MQF 第 7 级); 或
- **Others:** Equivalent professional qualification from a recognized professional body.
其他: 取得受认可专业机构颁发的同等专业资格。
- **English Competency Requirement for International Student:** A minimum score of 5.0 in IELTS or its equivalent.
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