THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
DEPARTMENT OF LAW

RECOMMENDED BOOKLIST 2021-22
(Core subjects and PCLL pre-requisites)
(For those courses which are not mentioned in this book list, students should consult with the teachers concerned directly.)

LLAW1001 & 1002 (LAW OF CONTRACT)

Required Textbook:

Optional References:
Hugh Beale, Chitty on Contracts, 33rd ed. (London: Sweet and Maxwell, 2020)*

*This optional reference text retails for HKD8,921 after applying a HKU discount. Please note, however, that the resource is available for free through the university’s subscription to Westlaw Asia.

LLAW1005 & 1006 (LAW OF TORT)

Basic Text:
Rick Glofcheski, Tort Law in Hong Kong, 4th edition (2018) (Re-issue)

Reference & Optional:
Rogers, Winfield and Jolowicz on Tort (London: Sweet & Maxwell, 19th edn, 2014)

LLAW1008 (LEGAL SYSTEM)

Required text:
Eric C. Ip, Law and Justice in Hong Kong (Sweet & Maxwell, 3rd edn., 2019)
**Recommended texts:**
Tom Bingham, The Rule of Law (Penguin, 2010).

Johannes M.M. Chan, Paths of Justice (Hong Kong University Press, 2018).

**LLAW1009 (LAW AND SOCIETY)**

There is no prescribed textbook for this course. Duplicated reading materials will be issued. Students are also advised to consult basic textbooks on political science, political philosophy, sociology and history.

**LLAW1013 (LEGAL RESEARCH & WRITING)**

Recommended reading list (Duplicated reading materials will be provided):
Finch E & Fanfiski S, Legal Skills, 7th edn (Oxford University Press 2019)

Hollan J & Webb J, Learning Legal Rules, 10th edn (Oxford University Press 2019)

**LLAW 2001 (CONSTITUTIONAL LAW)**

Highly recommended:

Recommended for reference:
Johannes M. M. Chan, H.L. Fu & Yash Ghai (eds), *Hong Kong’s Constitutional Debate: Conflict Over Interpretation* (HKU Press, 2000).


**LLAW2003 & 2004 (CRIMINAL LAW I & II)**

Textbook (Optional)
Simon So, Criminal Law in Hong Kong (Lexis Nexis, 2020)

Michael Jackson, Criminal Law in Hong Kong (Hong Kong University Press, 2003)

David Ormerod and Karl Laird, Smith & Hogan’s Criminal Law (OUP, 15th ed, 2018)


Statutory Materials (Optional)

LLAW2009 (INTRODUCTION TO CHINESE LAW)

Required reading:
• Albert Chen, An Introduction to the Chinese Legal System (LexisNexis, 5th ed 2019).

Recommended reading:

LLAW2013 & 2014 (LAND LAW)

Recommended Text:
S.H. Goo & Alice Lee, Land Law in Hong Kong (LexisNexis, 2015, 4th edition)

LLAW2012 (COMMERCIAL LAW)

Text

Resource book

LLAW2017 (LEGAL RESEARCH & WRITING II)

Recommended reading list (Duplicated materials will be provided):
Judith Embley and others, Legal Systems & Skills, 4th ed (Oxford University Press 2020)

David Pope & Dan Hill, Mooting and Advocacy Skills, 3rd edn (Sweet & Maxwell 2015)
LLAW3094 & 3095 (EQUITY AND TRUSTS)

Prescribed textbooks:
Jamie Glister and James Lee, Hanbury & Martin: Modern Equity, 22nd edition (Sweet & Maxwell, 2021) (to be published in Sept 2021)


LLAW3001 (INTRODUCTION TO LEGAL THEORY)

Prescribed:

Further references recommended
M.D.A. Freeman, Lloyd's Introduction to Jurisprudence (London: Sweet & Maxwell, 9th ed 2014)


LLAW3010 (BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS)

Reading List (Duplicated materials will be provided):


Paul L Davies and Sarah Worthington, Gower & Davies Principles of Modern Company Law, Tenth Edition, 2016 Sweet & Maxwell

Stefan H C Lo and Charles Z Qu, Law of Companies in Hong Kong, 3rd edition, 2018 Sweet & Maxwell (electronic version available on Westlaw)
**LLAW3102 (EVIDENCE I)**

**Prescribed Textbooks (Compulsory)**

There are no compulsory textbooks for this course. Other prescribed reading materials (e.g. Lecture outlines/slides, cases and legislation) shall be posted on Moodle.

**Suggested Reading Materials (Optional; Non-compulsory)**

A. le Roux-Kemp, Hong Kong Law of Evidence (Hong Kong: Wolters Kluwer, 2020) [Student’s edition available]

S. So, Law of Evidence in Hong Kong (Hong Kong: Sweet & Maxwell, 2020) [Student’s edition available]

**LLAW3093 (ADMINISTRATIVE LAW)**

**Prescribed:**
Stephen Thomson, Administrative Law in Hong Kong (Cambridge University Press, 2018)

**Reference:**
Swati Jhaveri, Michael Ramsden, and Anne Scully-Hill, *Hong Kong Administrative Law* (Hong Kong: Lexis Nexis Butterworths, 2nd, 2013)

Craig, *Administrative Law* (Sweet & Maxwell, 8th edn, 2016)

Lord Woolf et al, *De Smith’s Judicial Review* (Sweet & Maxwell, 8th edn, 2018)


Cane, *An Introduction to Administrative Law* (5th edn. 2011)


Gordon and Mok, *Judicial Review in Hong Kong* (Hong Kong: LexisNexis, 2nd edn. 2014)

**LLAW3097 (CIVIL PROCEDURE)**

LLAW3099 (CRIMINAL PROCEDURE)

Prescribed Textbooks (Compulsory)

There are no compulsory textbooks for this course. Other prescribed reading materials (e.g. Lecture outlines/slides, cases and legislation) shall be posted on Moodle.

Suggested Reading Materials (Optional; Non-compulsory)

A. Whitfort, Criminal Procedure in Hong Kong: A Guide for Students (Hong Kong: LexisNexis, 3rd edn, 2020)

C. Liu, Criminal Procedure in Hong Kong (Hong Kong: Sweet & Maxwell, 2nd edn, 2021) [Student's edition available]

A. le Roux-Kemp, Hong Kong Criminal Procedure (Hong Kong: Wolters Kluwer, 2019) [Student's edition available]