

Recommended Study Plan
(for Bachelor's degree students admitted in 2026/27 and thereafter)

Academic Unit: SCM **Admission Type:** Advanced Standing I (ASI)

Programme: BSCSCMU3 **Major:** Creative Media (CRM1)

Year 1

Semester A		Semester B		Summer Term	
Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs
LC0200A English for Academic Purposes 1* OR GE1401 University English or GE2413 Word, Sound and Image: Writing for Creative Media (GE #1)	3	LC0200B English for Academic Purposes 2* OR GE1401 University English or GE2413 Word, Sound and Image: Writing for Creative Media (GE #3)	3		
GE1601 Whole-Person Development (GE #2)	1	GE #4 (Area 1/2/3)	3		
		CHIN1001 University Chinese I*	3		
SM1701 New Media Art	3	CS2204 Fundamentals of Internet Applications Development	3	☐ Go Global - Exchange ☐ Go Global - Internship ☐ Go Global - Learning Abroad ☒ Go Global - Service Learning <i>Students are encouraged to participate in activities / programmes outside Hong Kong for not less than 4 weeks (28 days) and/or internship.</i>	
SM1702A Creative Media Studio IA	3	SM1702B Creative Media Studio IB	3		
SM2714 Fundamentals of Animation	3	SM3601 Games Prototyping and Design	3		
CS1103B Media Computing	3	Major Elective #1 (CS or SCM)^^	3		
	16		18		
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Year 2

Semester A		Semester B		Summer Term	
Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs
GE1501 Chinese Civilization – History and Philosophy (GE #5)	3	GE #6 (Area 1/2/3)	3		
CS2116 Computer Systems	3	CS2303 Data Structure for Media	3		
CS2313 Computer Programming	3	School-Specified Course ^	3	☒ Go Global - Exchange ☒ Go Global - Internship ☒ Go Global - Learning Abroad ☒ Go Global - Service Learning <i>Students are encouraged to participate in activities / programmes outside Hong Kong for not less than 4 weeks (28 days) and/or internship.</i>	
SM3611 New Media for Installation, Events and Performance	3	CS2403 Data Management and Cloud Storage	3		
Major Elective #2 (CS or SCM)^^	3	SM2609 Visual Communication (UI/UX)	3		
	15		15		
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Year 3

Recommended Plan for Stream-based Electives (**Game Stream**)@

Semester A		Semester B		Summer Term	
Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs
SM4712B Graduation Thesis / Project%	3	SM4712B Graduation Thesis / Project%	3		
CS3301 Applied Algorithms	3	CS4182 Computer Graphics (ME #6)^^^	3		
CS4386 AI Game Programming (ME #3)^^^	3	CS4187 Computer Vision for Interactivity (ME #7)^^^	3	☐ Go Global - Exchange ☒ Go Global - Internship ☒ Go Global - Learning Abroad ☒ Go Global - Service Learning	
SM2603 2D Game Production (ME#4)^^^	3	Major Elective #8 (SCM)^^^	3		
Major Elective #5 (SCM)^^^	3	Major Elective #9 (CS or SCM)^^^	3		
	15		15		
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Recommended Plan for Stream-based Electives (Animation Stream) @

Semester A		Semester B		Summer Term	
Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs
SM4712B Graduation Thesis / Project%	3	SM4712B Graduation Thesis / Project%	3		
CS3301 Applied Algorithms	3	CS4182 Computer Graphics (ME#6)^	3		
SM3605 3D Contents Production in Maya (ME#3)^	3	SM4124 Character Animation (ME#7)^	3	☐ Go Global - Exchange ☒ Go Global - Internship ☒ Go Global - Learning Abroad ☒ Go Global - Service Learning <i>Students are encouraged to participate in activities / programmes outside Hong Kong for not less than 4 weeks (28 days) and/or internship.</i>	
SM3701 Digital Composition (ME#4)^	3	Major Elective #8 (CS or SCM)^	3		
Major Elective #5 (CS)^	3	Major Elective #9 (CS or SCM)^	3		
	15		15		
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Recommended Plan for Stream-based Electives (Installation / Interactivity Stream) @

Semester A		Semester B		Summer Term	
Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs	Course Code	CUs
SM4712B Graduation Thesis / Project%	3	SM4712B Graduation Thesis / Project%	3		
CS3301 Applied Algorithms	3	CS4187 Computer Vision for Interactivity (ME#6)^	3		
CS3483 Multimodal Interface Design (ME#3)^	3	SM2716 Physical Computing and Tangible Media (ME#7)^	3	☐ Go Global - Exchange ☒ Go Global - Internship ☒ Go Global - Learning Abroad ☒ Go Global - Service Learning <i>Students are encouraged to participate in activities / programmes outside Hong Kong for not less than 4 weeks (28 days) and/or internship.</i>	
SM2260 Interactive Narrative (ME#4)^	3	Major Elective #8 (CS or SCM)^	3		
Major Elective #5 (SCM)^	3	Major Elective #9 (CS or SCM)^	3		
	15		15		
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Additional Information

*Students are required to take LC0200A and LC0200B (6 credit units for the two courses or 3 credit units for LC0200A with early exit arrangement) and CHIN1001 University Chinese I (3 credit units) if they do not meet the respective threshold requirement. The credit units are excluded from the minimum requirement for graduation but are counted in maximum credit units allowed.

^ Students may select one of the following courses: MA1200 Calculus and Basic Linear Algebra I, MA1501 Coordinate Geometry, MA2185 Discrete Mathematics or CS2402 Introduction to Computational Probability Modeling to fulfil the School-Specified Gateway Education Course Requirement.

^^ Students should take a minimum 6 credit units for CS elective courses and 9 credit units for SCM elective courses, free choice between CS and SCM elective courses for remaining credits.

% Joint course between CS and SCM

@ Declaration of Stream is optional

Mandatory School-Specified Course	6CUs
School Requirement	12CUs
CS Major Core	18CUs
SCM Major Core	15CUs
Major Elective	27CUs
Gateway Education (GE)	16CUs
Minimum Total	94CUs

(Maximum CUs permitted for Advanced Standing I students is 114 CUs)

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