

## Doctor of Optometry (DOptom)

# Developing Optometry Leaders

Commence in September 2025

- 🎯 School of Optometry is #1 in Asia and #15 globally\*
- 🎯 Be competent orthokeratology practitioners
- 🎯 First Doctor of Optometry in Hong Kong
- 🎯 Specialised in selected optometry specialty areas

### Programme Aims

- ▶ To educate practising optometrists to become independent, competent, and evidence-based optometry specialists;
- ▶ To educate practising optometrists to incorporate the latest scientific and technological advances into their optometric services;
- ▶ To equip practising optometrists with the ability to conduct research and apply research findings in their chosen optometry specialty areas.

### Your Future

- ▶ Practise evidence-based myopia management
- ▶ Deliver services of selected optometry specialty areas
- ▶ Co-manage ocular and visual problems with other health professionals
- ▶ Advise on policies to improve eye care services for the community

### Entrance Requirements

- ▶ A Master's degree in optometry, or equivalent; and
- ▶ At least 3 years of full-time experience in optometry practice; and
- ▶ Fulfil the English and General Requirements stipulated by The Hong Kong Polytechnic University.

**Remark:** Candidates with a recognised 4- or 5-year undergraduate degree in optometry with at least second upper class honours and 5 years of full-time optometry experience, or those with 2 years of postgraduate residency training, may be considered on a case-by-case basis.

### Information Seminar Recap



#### Curriculum



#### Subject Offerings



### Application

Starting from end of Oct 2024

### Enquiry

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#### Programme Details



#### e-Admission

