## 2023-2024 CUHK Inter-collegiate Badminton Competition Rules and Regulations

## I. System of Play:

Please refer to the inter-collegiate competition system of play announced by the Intra University Activities Sub-committee on Physical Education Unit.

## II. Rules:

Unless stated in the prospectus and the guidelines, all rules and regulations will be governed by the rules and regulations of Hong Kong Badminton Association.

## III. Format:

(1) Knockout System: the loser is immediately eliminated from the competition whereas the winner will play in the next round.
(2) Order of Play: (i)singles (ii)singles (iii)doubles (iv)doubles (v)singles
(3) Team events will be played in the best-of-five matches (sets). All matches will be played in the best-of-three games to 31 points. All matches must be played out at the same time, regardless of the score in the contest.
(4) 7 players can actually participate whereas the maximum number of registered players in each team could be 10. Each player can participate in only ONE match.
(5) Any team with less than 4 players' presence when submitting the line-up roster will not be allowed to compete.
(6) Representatives of each team will be served as referees.

## IV. Withdrawal:

Any team with less than 4 players' presence before the time of the fixture will be considered as abstention.

## V. Appeal:

Matters of any protest should be reported to the convener immediately. Also, it should be submitted to the appeal board in writing within 24 hours after the match. The judgement from the appeal board will be the final decision.

## VI. Remarks :

If there is any inadequacy in these guidelines, the convener reserves the right for amendments.

