**PILO for Research Postgraduate Programmes**

**Department of Sociology, HKBU**

**Programme Intended Learning Outcomes (PILOs)**

The Programme Intended Learning Outcomes (PILOs) of the RPg Programme (Mphil and PhD) are as below. Upon successful completion of this Programme, students will be able to have:

*PILO 1:* Ability to conduct research using appropriate methods;

*PILO 2:* Ability to think critically and independently and to make original contributions to the fields of sociology;

*PILO 3:* A good understanding of the professional ethics in the academic community;

*PILO 4:* Ability to clearly present research findings to the academic community as well as to a general audience.