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The Department of Accountancy Ranked First in the Greater China Region in the PHBS 50 in the Past Five Years

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For the past five years, The City University of Hong Kong (CityU) Department of Accountancy has ranked first in the Greater China region in the Peking University HSBC Business School (PHBS) ranking (PHBS 50 ranking) in the Accountancy category. This ranking is based on the department's number of publications in the top five accounting journals, namely *The Accounting Review*, the *Journal of Accounting Research*, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, the *Review of Accounting Studies and* the *Journal of Accounting and Economics*.

The Department has topped the PHBS 50 ranking in the last five years, with 35 papers published in those five years in the above-mentioned top accounting journals. This attests to the Department's exceptional performance in publishing research work in high-calibre accounting journals. The key topics explored in these papers include voluntary disclosure, mergers and acquisitions, management forecasts, corporate governance, earnings management, audit quality, tax avoidance, litigation risk, real effects, and executive compensation.

The Department strives to continually produce high-quality research that is published in top accounting journals, thereby exerting a meaningful impact and contributing on the study of accountancy.