

THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

ENDOWED PROFESSORSHIPS

Each gift comes with a story
And a dream ...

Lam Woo Professorship in Biomedical Engineering

Incumbent: Ed X Wu

Mr Lam Woo was a well-known builder at the turn of the twentieth century in Hong Kong, Shanghai, and Guangzhou. He was the founder of the YMCA and many churches and schools in Hong Kong.

The Lam Woo Foundation supports education, social welfare and medical facilities in both China and Hong Kong. Biomedical engineering encompasses engineering and medicine, leading to numerous advances in diagnosis and treatment. It is most appropriate for us to endow this professorship.

Lam Woo Foundation

Lady Edith Kotewall Professorship in the Built Environment

Incumbent: David PY Lung

The endowment for the Lady Edith Kotewall
Professorship in the Built Environment will facilitate
significant improvement in the research of the
relationship between architecture and the environment.
Lady Edith Kotewall, a woman of great inner beauty,
loved to spend her days sitting in the garden admiring
the view, the trees and plants and the few but beautiful
buildings surrounding her home.

It is therefore a great honour for me that the Chair in the Built Environment should be given in my mother's name to recognise her passion in humanising our living environment.

Mrs Helen Zimmern

Vivian Taam Wong Professorship in Integrative Medicine

Appointment to be announced

Hong Kong is in a unique position to study the practice of Traditional Chinese Medicine in its pure form because it is illegal for Chinese medicine practitioners to use Western diagnostic and treatment modalities. However, integrating Chinese and Western medicine is practised by most individuals in the community. HKU, with our wide spectrum of world class experts in different scientific fields, offers fertile research ground for this Professor who would strive to combine the best of both systems to formulate the new medicine of the 21st century, as directed by our former Minister of Health, Professor Chen Zhu. Hence your support for the research on Integrative Medicine would be deeply appreciated.

Professor Vivian Taam Wong

Ng Chun-Man Professorship in Orthopaedic Bioengineering

Incumbent: William W Lu

In recent decades Orthopaedic Bioengineering has successfully enabled quantum leaps in the development of orthopaedic surgery and has improved the quality of life for countless people. It is my hope that dedicated researchers in this exciting field will be given support in their quests for additional ways and means to relieve chronic pain and reduce permanent physical disabilities.

Mrs Ella Ng In memory of her late husband, Mr Ng Chun-Man

Tsao Yen-Chow Professorship in Paediatrics and Adolescent Medicine

Incumbent: Godfrey C F Chan

This professorship is named in honour of my uncle Dr Tsao Yen-Chow, an expert on child health and medicine whose expertise helped shape the field of paediatric medicine in Hong Kong since the 1970s. The Foundation hopes that this professorship will contribute to the professional development of paediatric medicine in Hong Kong in its crucial role of safeguarding the well-being of our future generations.

Dr Walton W T Li Chairman, Li Shu Fan Medical Foundation



Incumbent: Lau Chak-Sing

Rheumatoid diseases affect not only the joints and musculature but also the entire human organism and the patient's sense of well-being. It is my wish to facilitate the elite professors' efforts in caring for the affected community through education and medicinal support as well as their intensive research on the underlying causes and possible remedies for these debilitating disorders.

Mr Daniel C K Yu

Li Shu Fan Medical Foundation Professorship in Surgery

Incumbent: Chan See-Ching

The vast strides in surgical education, cancer-related research and surgical techniques in Hong Kong are a testament to the Department of Surgery's established tradition of academic and clinical excellence. The Department plays a key role in enabling advanced surgical procedures, and it is fitting that the Li Shu Fan Medical Foundation continues its tradition of supporting the development of medical research in this field.

Dr Walton W T Li Chairman, Li Shu Fan Medical Foundation