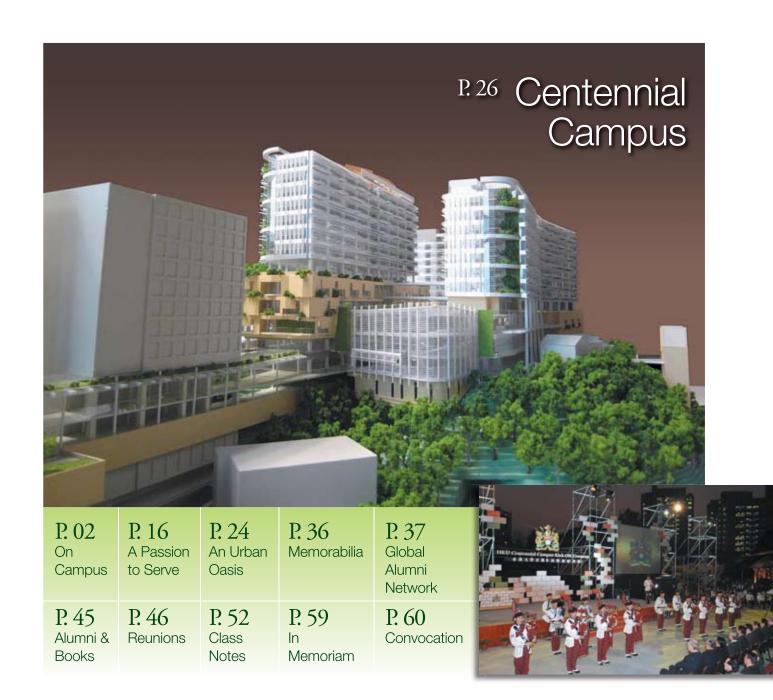
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Corrigenda (Fall Issue, 2007)

Page 59: The correct names of MBBS Class of 1963 are: (Front, from left) Rosaline Ng 吳詠璇, Watt Chung-yin 屈仲賢, Li Hak-kong 李克江, Henry Loo 盧永興. (Back, from left) Kwok Yau-yan 郭有仁, Simon Wong 黃福量, Edgar So 蘇沛霖, Yue Siu-kit 余少傑.

Page 67: Raymond Cheung is a graduate of MBBS 1987

Celebrating 120 Years of Medical Education





he Anniversary Dinner, held on December 14, 2007 at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre, marked the ultimate fete of the Faculty's Celebrations of 120 years of medical education. The event was co-organised by the Queen Mary Hospital, which also celebrated its 70th Anniversary in the same year.



The Dinner's Guest of Honour, The Hon Henry Tang 唐英年, Chief Secretary for Administration of the HKSAR, delivered a speech to kick-start the festive evening. The event was also honoured by the presence of Mr Huang Jie-fu 黃潔夫, Vice-Minister of Health, the People's Republic of China.

I A choir performance by more than 250 students and staff; ② a stand-up comedy entitled "Medic Fun Stories" by Dr the Hon Edward Leong Che-hung 梁智鴻 (MBBS 1962; Hon DSc 2006) and Professor Grace Tang 鄧惠瓊 (MBBS 1971; MD 2006); ③ over 2,500 distinguished guests, staff members, alumni, students and friends of the Medical Faculty and the Queen Mary Hospital joined the Anniversary Dinner.





its first Dean.

1941

Activities of the University are brought to a halt by the Japanese invasion in December until the surrender in August 1945.

1948

1965

The University is officially reopened and new medical undergraduates are admitted again.

Li Shu Fan Building on Sassoon Road for the accommodation of pre-clinical departments is formally opened in April.

1997

The Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) programme is reformed. The Faculty becomes the first medical institute in the region to adopt a systembased curriculum using student-centred and problem-based learning approaches.

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The "Long Service Volunteer Award Presentation cum Patient Groups' Gathering" was held immediately before the Anniversary Dinner. The special Guest of Honour, Dr the Hon Donald Tsang 曾蔭權 (Hon LLD 2005), Chief Executive of the HKSAR, presented the awards to 10 hospital volunteers with over 1,500 hours of voluntary service, as well as certificates to 16 patient groups in recognition of their contributions in promoting mutual help and care among patients.







Descendants of the Faculty's distinguished historic figures: Mr Peter Sun 孫必達 (front 2nd right), great grandnephew of Dr Sun Yat-sen 孫中山, one of the Faculty's first two graduates; Dr Gordon Manson-Bahr (back 2nd left), great grandson of Sir Patrick Manson, the Faculty's founding Dean; Ms Jean Cantlie (front 1st left), granddaughter of Sir James Cantlie, the Faculty's second Dean; and Ms Elizabeth Ride (front 2nd left), daughter of Sir Lindsay Ride, the Faculty's Dean in the 1930s and HKU's sixth Vice-Chancellor, 1949-1964.

Professor Sir David Todd 達安輝 (MBBS 1952; MD 1958; Hon DSc 1992), who had flown in from Cambridge for the Anniversary Dinner, paid tribute to the predecessors whose achievements had been instrumental in bringing both the Faculty and Queen Mary Hospital to their present international stature.

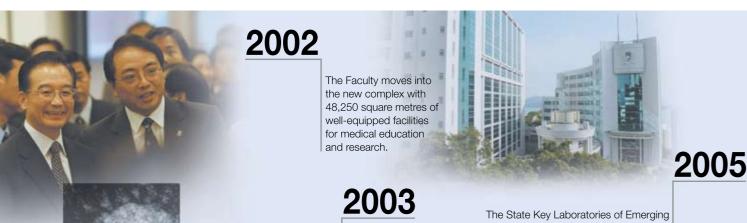




The Medical Class of 1965 won the best support and most attendance prize of the Anniversary Dinner. Dr Stephen Foo Kam-so 傅鑑蘇 accepted the prize on behalf of the Class.



"A Different Perspective" of the new complex by Anderson Tsang 曾震安 (MBBS year 3), one of the winning entries of the Anniversary photo contest.



The Department of Microbiology identifies SARS coronavirus as the primary causative agent.
Premier Wen Jiabao 溫家寶 visits the Faculty in June.

The State Key Laboratories of Emerging Infectious Diseases and Brain and Cognitive Sciences, the first State Key Laboratories located outside Mainland China, are established.





A Time to Remember

The 120th Anniversary Medical Exhibition, which celebrates the Faculty's history, milestones and contributions to the health of Hong Kong, will be permanently displayed at the foyer area of the Cheung Kung Hai Conference Centre of the William MW Mong Block.

www.hku.hk/facmed/120years

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A Celebration of 40 years' success!

n the occasion of its 40th Anniversary, the Faculty of Social Sciences gave salute to the achievements of 40 outstanding alumni from its first 40 years.





- 1 Professor Cecilia Chan Lai-wan 陳麗雲 (BSocSc 1978; MSocSc 1984; PhD 1991) Si Yuan Professor in Health & Social Work,
- 2 Professor Chan Yuen-ying 陳婉瑩 (BSocSc 1970) Director, Journalism & Media Studies Centre, HKU
- 3 Professor Edward Chen Kwan-yiu 陳坤耀 (BA 1967; MSocSc 1971; Hon DSocSc 2008) Former President, Lingnan University of Hong Kong
- The Hon Ms Eva Cheng 鄭汝樺 (BSocSc 1983) Secretary for Transport & Housing,
- 5 Professor the Hon Anthony Cheung Bing-leung 張炳良 (BSocSc 1974) President, Hong Kong Institute of Education
- 6 Mr Linus Cheung Wing-lam 張永霖 (BSocSc 1971; DipManStud 1978) Chairman, LWLC and Associates Limited; Chairman, HKU SPACE Board of Directors
- 7 Dr Susan Fan Yun-sun 范瑩孫 (MBBS 1984; MPA 1992) Executive Director, The Family Planning Association of Hong Kong
- 8 Dr the Hon Rita Fan Hsu Lai-tai 范徐麗泰 (BSc 1967; MSocSc 1973) President of the Legislative Council
- 9 Ms Christine Fang Meng-sang 方敏生 (BSocSc 1980) Chief Executive, Hong Kong Council of Social Services

- 10 Mr Alex Fong Chi-wai 方志偉 (BSocSc 1978) Chief Executive Officer, The Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce
- 11 Mr Lawrence Fung Siu-por 馮紹波 (BSocSc 1972) Chairman, Hong Kong Economic Times
- 12 Mr Frederick Ho Wing-huen 何永煊 (BSc 1966; CertEd 1971; MSocSc 1989) Former Commissioner, Census and Statistics Department, HKSAR

- 13 Mr Stephen Ip Shu-kwan 葉澍堃 (BSocSc 1973) Former Secretary for Economic Development and Labour, HKSAR
- 14 Mr Kwok Kwok-chuen 郭國全 (BSocSc 1976; CertEd 1980; MSocSc 1986) Government Economist, HKSAR
- 15 Mr Alan Lai Nin 黎年 (BA 1974; MSocSc 1983) Former Permanent Secretary for Financial Services & the Treasury, HKSAR
- 16 Ir Albert Lai Kwong-tak 黎廣德 (BScEng 1980; MSocSc 1984) Vice-chairman, Civic Party, Chairman of The Hong Kong People's Council for Sustainable Development
- 17 Mr Michael Lai Kam-cheung 賴錦璋 (BSocSc 1970) Chief Executive Officer, Administrative Division, St James' Settlement
- 18 Ms Lam Man-yee 林敏怡 (BSocSc 1972) Composer
- 19 The Hon Stephen Lam Sui-lung 林瑞麟 (BSocSc 1978) Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs, HKSAR
- 20 Mr Lam Woon-kwong 林煥光 (BSocSc 1974; MBuddhStud 2007) Chief Executive Officer, Equestrian Events (HK) of the Games of the XXIX Olympiad Company Limited
- 21 The Hon Mrs Carrie Lam Cheng Yuet-ngor 林鄭月娥 (BSocSc 1980) Secretary for Development, HKSAR
- 22 Mr Antony Leung Kam-chung 梁錦松 (BSocSc 1973) Sr Managing Director & Chairman, Blackstone Greater China, The Blackstone Group Asia Ltd
- 23 Professor Liu Meng 劉夢 (PhD 1999; MSW 2004) Vice President, the China Women's University
- 24 Mr Roger Luk Koon-hoo 陸觀豪 (BSocSc 1973) Former Managing Director and Deputy Chief Executive, Hang Seng Bank Ltd.
- 25 Mr Nicholas Ng Wing-fui 吳榮奎 (BSocSc 1970) *Chairman, Public* Service Commission

- 26 Mr Raymond Or Ching-fai 柯清輝 (BSocSc 1972) Vice Chairman and Chief Executive, Hang Seng Bank Ltd.
- 27 Dr Bartholomew Shaha (PhD 2004) Secretary General, World Alliance of YMCAs
- 28 Mr Tang King-shing 鄧竟成 (MIPA 2002) Commissioner of Police, Hong Kong Police Force, HKSAR
- 29 Mr Paul Tang Kwok-wai 鄧國威 (BSocSc 1978) Permanent Secretary for Labour & Welfare, HKSAR
- 30 The Hon Tsang Tak-sing 曾德成 (MIPA 2002; MA 2004) Secretary for Home Affairs, HKSAR
- 31 Mr Aloysius Tse Hau-yin 謝孝衍 (BSocSc 1970) Former President, HK Society of Accountants
- 32 Mr Anthony Tsui Tin-yau 徐天佑 (BSocSc 1970) *Director, The Croucher Foundation*
- 33 Dr S Vasoo (MSW 1976; PhD 1986) Associate Professorial Fellow, National University of Singapore
- 34 Mr Wilfred Wong Ying-wai 王英偉 (BSocSc 1975) Executive Vice Chairman & Chief Executive Officer, Mission Hills Group
- 35 Mr Raymond Wong Hung-chiu 黃鴻超 (BSocSc 1980) Permanent Secretary for Education, HKSAR
- 36 Dr Rosanna Wong Yick-ming 王慧鳴 (BSocSc 1975; Hon DSocSc 2003) Executive Director, Hong Kong Federation of Youth Groups
- 37 Professor Wong Siu-lun 黃紹倫 (BSocSc 1971) Director, Centre of Asian Studies, HKU
- 38 Mr Joseph Yam Chi-kwong 任志剛 (BSocSc 1970; Hon DSocSc 2008) Chief Executive, Hong Kong Monetary Authority, HKSAR
- 39 Mr Dennis Yau Tat-wang 邱達宏 (BSocSc 1970) Director-General, The Federation of Hong Kong Industries
- 40 Mrs Carrie Yau Tsang Ka-lai 尤曾家麗 (BSocSc 1977) Permanent Secretary for Home Affairs, HKSAR





Over 1,200 guests, alumni, students and staff members joined the 40th Anniversary Reunion Dinner on December 5, 2007 at the Grand Hall of the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre.



Professor Nelson Chow Wing-sun 周永新 (BA 1969; DipSocWk 1970; PhD 1978), Chairman of the HKU Social Sciences Alumni Association

**The Faculty has graduated more than 16,000 students at undergraduate, masters and doctoral levels. Today, alumni of the Faculty of Social Sciences are leaders not only in Hong Kong, but also in Mainland China and many other parts of the world.



Dr Victor Fung Kwok-king 馮國經 (Hon LLD 1997), Chairman of HKU Council

66 The Faculty has made an enormous contribution to the wellbeing of Hong Kong and the wider region through teaching, research and professional and community service. 99



Mr Nicholas Ng Wing-fui 吳榮奎 (BSocSc 1970), representative of the Class that established the "HKU Social Sciences Pioneer Class of 1967 Fund"

66While you cannot beat us in age or seniority, we hope that you can beat us in the amount of money, or the similar award that I hope you will be able to establish. So, a very small token of thanks from our class to the Faculty on its 40th Anniversary. 99





66 HKU is currently ranked fourth best for social sciences in Asia. 99

Professor Lap-Chee Tsui

www.hku.hk/socsc/40th

The way forward



As the Faculty moves forward to implement the four-year curriculum from 2012, it has identified two core themes to guide future development: social innovation and global citizenship. In the years ahead, the Faculty looks forward to working with alumni and friends to extend its leadership in teaching, research and community service in Hong Kong, the Mainland and the world.





with different types of projects such as corporate social responsibility, social services, political advocacy, public policy analysis, management, marketing, public relations, media and journalism, and tourism and leisure.

Faculty of Dentistry

25th Anniversary

The Faculty of Dentistry celebrated its Silver Jubilee during 2007. This milestone marked 25 years of serving Hong Kong and the region through advancing oral health and well-being, achieved with excellence in learning, discovery, patient care and engagement.

To date, sixty-five per cent of Hong Kong's 1,800 registered dentists are Faculty alumni, and the Faculty has conferred over 1,600 degrees since 1985. The Prince Philip Dental Hospital is still the only dental teaching hospital in Hong Kong.

A Brief History of the Faculty

1976	HKU is chosen by The Hong Kong Government to provide dental education
1980	Dental Studies at HKU admits the first batch of dental and paradental students
1981	The Prince Philip Dental Hospital (PPDH)



	HRH Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, touring the facilities.
1982	The HKU Faculty of Dentistry is established and is housed at PPDH
1985	The first batch of 75 Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) students graduates from the 4-year-4-month course
Early 1990s	The BDS course is extended to 5 years
1997	The HKU Faculty of Dentistry becomes a unitary faculty, without separate departments
2004	The number of BDS graduates exceeds 1,000
2007	25th Anniversary Year



At the Silver Jubilee Celebrations: (from left) Professor Urban Hägg; Professor Lakshman Samaranayake, Dean of Dentistry; Professor Frederick Smales (Dean, 1998-2003); Professor Stephen Wei (Dean, 1989-1997), The Hon Henry Tang, Chief Secretary for Administration of HKSAR; Dr Victor Fung, Chairman of HKU Council; Vice-Chancellor Professor Lap-Chee Tsui; Mr Willy Lin, Chairman of PPDH Board of Governors; and Dr John Ling.



The logo chosen by the Faculty to emphasise its message was an apple, representing 'a healthy bite, healthy mouth and healthy lifestyle'. Coincidentally, the apple is also a Western symbol of learning and knowledge.

The main colours of the logo (red, blue and green) relate to the University shield's colours and the motto echoes the University's pursuit of sustaining and enhancing its excellence "through outstanding teaching and world-class research so as to produce well-rounded graduates with lifelong abilities to provide leadership within the societies they serve".

The Faculty's year-long Silver Jubilee events included two concerts at the Hong Kong Cultural Centre, a gala dinner, golf tournament, open days, special lectures and workshops, exhibitions, and an international conference on advanced dentistry.

"In a quarter of a century, the Faculty has made its mark on the region and the world. We are the only dental school in China that uses English as the medium of instruction and one of a very few dental schools in the world that fully implements problem-based learning in the undergraduate curriculum. And, our staff and students win major international prizes for their pioneering research," says the Dean, Professor Lakshman Samaranayake. ⁶⁶ Our Silver Jubilee was the perfect occasion to reflect on the past and celebrate our future! ⁹⁹









A fit body makes for a fit mind!

HKU Marathon Team 2008



The Record

- ★ No. of runners 2.103 115% over 2007
- ★ Winner of the Top One Prize of the Most Supportive Group Award for 2006, 2007 and 2008
- ★ Rachel Sproston (PGDE 2006) won 1st place in the Master 1 category of the Half Marathon (Women)
 & 3rd place in the Half Marathon (Women)



Training



Cheering

United We Run, United We Support Students — Sports Fund for Students: www.marathon.hku.hk

On the same day, February 17, part of the HKU Marathon Team, most were MEICOM alumni, ran in the 2008 Tokyo Marathon.



With grateful thanks to:







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Twelve Outstanding Individuals named **Honorary Fellows**



The University of Hong Kong presented Honorary University Fellowships to twelve distinguished individuals in recognition of their contributions to the University and community. The ceremony was presided over by Dr the Hon David Li Kwok-po 李國寶 (Hon LLD 1996), Pro-Chancellor of the University.



Dr Chan Sui-kau 陳瑞球博士

Dr Chan is a prominent industrialist, philanthropist and ardent supporter of education. He helped to found the China Synergy Programme for Outstanding Youth in 1999. Now in its eighth year, the Programme enables ethnic Chinese students of renowned overseas universities to visit Hong Kong, Macau and the Mainland.



Mr Paul Chow Man-yiu 周文耀先生 (BScEng 1970; DipManStud 1979; MBA 1982)

Mr Chow is the Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEx) and an ex-officio member of the Board of HKEx. He has made significant contributions to his alma mater, especially as a member of the University's Council and Court.



Mr Gallant Ho Yiu-tai 何耀棣先生 (BA 1965)

Mr Ho is the founder of Gallant Y T Ho & Co, a major local law firm. His commitment to education is widely recognised. Besides endowing numerous school scholarships, he has made significant contributions to the establishment of two primary schools, named after his late father Mr Ho Chak-wan.



Professor Norman Ko Wah-man 高華文教授 (BScEng 1963; DSc 1995)

Professor Ko is an expert in fluid dynamics and acoustics, and a pioneer in noise pollution control in Hong Kong. His professional knowledge is well-recognised through his public service. He has been a past member of numerous government environmental committees and is presently Council Chairman and Supervisor of the Chun Tok School.



Mr Lam Sum-chee 林森池先生 (BA 1967)

Mr Lam is an investment guru and one of the first generation of Hong Kong's financial analysts. He established a private trust in 1986 that has since donated scholarships and bursaries to undergraduate arts students. He also pledged to donate his entire private trust to his alma mater.



Mrs Anne Marden 馬登夫人

Mrs Marden is dedicated to community service and committed to supporting education. She led the Hong Kong Red Cross in establishing the Princess Alexandra Red Cross Residential School; worked closely with Caritas and the Education Department to set up three Marden Foundation Schools; and since the 1990s has funded Visiting Fellowship at HKU's Faculty of Education.



Professor Francis Lau Shiu-kwan 劉紹鈞教授

Professor Lau is one of the leading figures in the real estate and construction industry in Hong Kong. He is dedicated to public service in Hong Kong and the Mainland, having advised various municipal governments in the latter and served on a number of government advisory committees in the former.



Mr Shum Choi-sang 岑才生先生

Mr Shum is a prominent figure in Hong Kong journalism and committed to the development and welfare of society. He is Honorary President of the Newspaper Society of Hong Kong and Advisor to the Chinese-Language Press Institute. Mr Shum is currently Chairman of the Overseas Chinese Enterprises Group Ltd. and of Real Connection Ltd.



Dr Jennie Yee-ching Lee 李梅以菁博士 (Bachelor of Arts)

Dr Lee is a prominent philanthropist and visionary educator. Her tireless devotion to education led her to establish the "Lee Shiu Socio-Economic Study Project" in 1998 to bring together outstanding university students from Hong Kong, China, Singapore and the US with the purpose of cultivating international leaders.



Dr Vivian Taam Wong 黃譚智媛醫生

(MBBS 1969)

Dr Wong is the Hospital Authority Advisor of Integrative Medicine. She is dedicated to medical education. research and improving public health. Dr Wong has committed herself to public and social services over the past three decades. Her areas of interest include women, children, environment, education, health and Chinese Medicine.



Professor Walton Li Wai-tat 李維達教授

Professor Li is Medical Superintendent and Head of Department of Ophthalmology of the Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital, and Honorary Professor of the Eye Institute of HKU. He has made profound contributions to the medical profession and his achievements are well-recognised.



Mr Yeung Pak-sing 楊佰成先生 (BScEng 1973; MScEng 1980)

Mr Yeung is an entrepreneur in the power supply industry and an engineer by profession. He helped found the Hong Kong University Graduates Association (HKUGA) and the charitable HKUGA Education Foundation to promote quality education. The Foundation has established two directsubsidy schools, one primary, the other secondary.

http://www.hku.hk/honfellows/

A Morrisonian Passion to Serve

"We started with a mentoring relationship but ended up as friends!"

These are Ryan Li's 李牮 reflections on his mentorship role over the past 10 months. A Morrisonian from the Mainland, he joined the "Child Mentorship Scheme" organised by the Society for Community Organisation (SoCO) (香港社區組織協會), a not-for-profit organisation.

Last April, a group of Morrison Hall students participated in the mentorship scheme with the aim of providing children in Shamshuipo with opportunities for social exposure and development. Volunteer students were

trained by qualified social workers as mentors and then matched with mentees aged from six to eighteen on a one-to-one basis.

Given the fact that most of the students were first-time mentors, Dr Billy Hau 侯智恆 (BSc 1991; MSc (EnvMan) 1994; PhD 2000), Warden of Morrison Hall, intentionally paired each of the mentors, encouraging peer support. This strategy turned out to be very successful.

The rapport and camaraderie amongst mentors played an important role during the initial stages of the scheme when their relations with mentees occasionally encountered a stumbling block.

> "At first, mentees were not willing to communication with us," said Tony "We would try different ways to fill the gap, like playing basketball, watching films or offering tutorials. And, our relations improved bit by bit. But, it breakthrough came about in our relations."

express themselves and even rejected Hung 洪敦熹, another student mentor. was not until the summer camp that a

HKU is no longer a stranger to the children of the "Child Mentorship Scheme". It represents a dream that can become reality. The summer camp saw mentees and their families staying at Morrison Hall where they played basketball games, visited the campus and enjoyed their first dinner at HKU.

Picture above Alle Tang 鄧國團 (left) and Eric Luo 羅志 (right) and their mentees (from left): Ken, Nicolas and Ka-shun visited the Lily Pond.



The two-day overnight summer camp was held last July with the full support of Morrison Hall. Mentees and their family members were invited to stay with student mentors at the Hall where they played, shared and dined together.

Relations have improved to a point where mentors now keep in touch with their mentees regularly by phone, email or face to face.

"We helped to organise the camp so that the mentees would have a chance to visit our University, the Hall, meet people from different backgrounds, and widen their social exposure," said Billy. "And, at the same time, this was a good occasion to introduce the project to other students in the Hall."

Being mentors for almost a year, the students admitted that their communication skills have improved not only with mentees but also with people of different ages.

The scheme provided them with a chance to re-visit their teenage years when they too, like their mentees, also hungered for true friendships and new things.

"We were aware that each family had hidden and nonapparent difficulties which were beyond our ability to handle. These we could only report to the social worker, but as mentors we were able to do much more than we thought possible."

"Simply serving as a role model to these children could be effective," said Alle Tang 鄧國團, the coordinator of the scheme.

Mentor Tony Hung 洪敦熹 (right), being the youngest in his own family, is very pleased to have a younger brother now in Wong Chun!

"It is my first time taking the ferry!'

It has now been almost a year since the partnership's inception. As of January 2008, thirty Morrisonians have participated and became mentors, among them four have become alumni during this period.

"It is our goal to continue the scheme and develop it into a sustainable project of Morrison Hall. To achieve the goal, we need to increase the students' participation ratio and solicit more support from alumni and society," emphasised Billy.



"We are like sisters!" Connie Chou 周秋雯 (2nd right) and KiKi Tsui 崔婉琪 (1st left) and their mentees Yin-ping and Yin-yee, enjoyed a sunny morning at the beach!

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去年,約三十多位熱心的馬禮遜堂學生參加了「香港社區組織協 會」的「一對一」師友計劃,為居於深水埗區六至八歲的兒童及 少年打開另一片天空。

同學經過協會社工的訓練後,隨即被安排擔任導師。短短十個月 內,經歷豐富。舍監侯智恆博士刻意編排同學分組,讓他們交換 導師經驗,互相扶持。師友關係由學業輔導開始,漸漸變成一起 打籃球、看電影、去旅行的好朋友。

回顧近一年的體驗,叫他們最難忘的是在馬禮遜堂舉行的暑期宿 營。兩日一夜的緊密接觸,突破彼此隔膜,認識大家喜惡;青少 年及其家人亦因此首次踏足港大校園,淺嘗大學生活。

參與計劃的同學,最初出於回饋社會的心 態,為有需要的人盡一份力,沒有期望 得到甚麼。但,事實他們獲益良多。除 增強了自己的溝通技巧,學會與不同年 齡的人相處外,更開始反思、反省 同學明白每個家庭或有本難念的經 雖然未必可以解決所有問題,但只 要做好自己,以身作則,為青少年 樹立榜樣,可令彼此的天空更蔚藍 壯闊。一位來自內地的同學最能 道出馬禮遜堂學生的感受:「沒 想過我們的師友關係,可以變 成朋友。」



從納米比安貌起....

鍾孟智 Anthony Chung (BCogSc 2003), President of Simon K Y Lee Hall Alumni Association

從小已經有一個奇妙的心願:我要到非洲去!可能是從 相片、影片中,見到非洲人的生活艱苦,希望可以親身接觸他 們,體驗他們的生活。

直至二零零四年底,我認識了國際雷利計劃(Raleigh International Hong Kong),讓有志者可以選擇到發展中的國家,例如加納、納米比亞、哥斯達黎加 等,與來自世界各地的年輕義工,透過遠足歷奇、社區服務及環保工作貢獻當 地,藉此磨練意志,提升個人的團隊精神及領導才能。



看!出發前的Anthony(左二) 頭髮多長、皮膚多白晢

經過兩年半的工作安排和籌集旅費, 我終於在二零零七年三月廿六日出 發,目的地是位於非洲西面的納米比 亞Namibia。

Namíbía 納米比亞

兩大考驗

廿五歲的我,是五十多個義工中年紀最大的,其餘全部介乎十八至廿歲出頭。 他們絕大部份來自英國,就算是來自澳洲、紐西蘭及馬來西亞的,都曾在英國 居住或讀書,操流利地道英語。對我來說,言語上的溝通已經是一大考驗。

另一考驗是如何適應非洲人的文化,他們是一個十分熱情友善的民族,笑口常 開,即使遇到困難,沒有工作、沒有飯吃,仍是開開心心的。他們生活悠閒、 節奏慢,這也就是Africa time,遲到,差不多是一種習慣。如果他們說「快到 了」,即還要等大概兩小時;如果説「兩分鐘就到」,即半小時!

學會珍惜

這次我參加了「遠足歷奇」和「社區服務」兩個項目。

「遠足歷奇」的目的地是納米比亞西北部荒野。背著背囊 步行240公里,走過河床、高原、荒漠,終於抵達大西洋 東岸的Skeleton Coast。超級重的背囊,炎熱的天氣, 一邊走,一邊有數十隻烏蠅衝入我的耳朵、眼睛,甚至 口腔,沒有沖涼的機會,食物也不多(為減輕背囊的重 量) …… 這三星期給我最大的領悟 —— 學會珍惜 期間我也學會野外求存的知識,例如拾木頭生火煮食 晚上如何防備野生動物襲擊(途中曾有獅子和犀牛出 沒)、清晨三時半起身準備出發等。與隊員一齊捱過 艱苦旅程,令我對團隊精神有更新的體會





赤腳小孩

另一個項目是社區服務。我與另一隊人到納米比亞北部的一個村落重建一間學 校。學校原先由樹枝和鐵皮建成,四周沙塵滾滾,學生每日都不穿鞋上學。相比 之下,香港的學校簡直是天堂!學生沒有書簿(太貴了!),在沙地上寫字,上學 後, 環要幫家人放牛羊。

每天,我都會看見一位四至五歲的小朋 友,赤腳在攝氏五十度高溫的地上步行, 拿著樹枝在帳幕附近放牧,呼喝著比他 們體積大數倍的牛羊,這就是他們的 生活!最令我心悸動的,是一個身材 細小的小朋友,還未能站得穩就走 來走去,我以為他只有兩歲,原來 他已五歲了!都是因為缺乏營養



成長練歷

同年,五月十七日,我回到香港。

很多人都在爭取平等、公平,在世界上,原來真的沒有絕對的公 平,這是我在旅程中最深刻的體會。當地愛滋病問題嚴重,大 概有百分之二十至四十(視乎不同地區)的母親是愛滋病帶菌 者。在某些落後地區,村民篤信巫醫,竟然還有巫醫指示男 性愛滋病帶菌者與處女性交,訛稱這樣便可得治!當地失業 率大約有百分之四十,他們得不到政府的任何支援。雖然困 難重重,不幸的納米比亞人仍然笑瞇瞇度日,可能,這就 是在艱苦環境下孕育出來的智慧。

"Gap year"概念在英國日漸普及,所指是在中學和大 學期間、大學和工作之間或工作了一段時間後,他們會 停一停,用一年時間做其他工作,如到國外旅行歷險 當義務教育工作等,給自己空間來思考生命方向、學 習更多生活智慧。我覺得這種生活非常值得鼓勵。雖

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Ever since I was a boy I have always wanted to visit Africa! Maybe it was the pictures of the people that I saw; they showed me the difficulties of life there and made me want to visit and connect with them, to experience their life for myself.

At the end of 2004, I learned of Raleigh International and its international programme that sends volunteers to developing countries, such as Namibia, Costa Rica and

然 "Gap year" 在節奏急促的香港未必可行,但,嘗試在暑假 或轉工期間,找兩三個月讓自己走出去,可能會有另一番發現

我十分慶幸擁有這個機會讓自己放眼世界、磨練意志。■

我真的成是了!



Ghana. Young volunteers come from various countries and participate in developing their leadership, endurance and team spirit. After two years of preparations I finally embarked on my journey of discovery in March of 2007

My choice, Namibia...

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asked how to become a successful musician, Lang's answer was simple and direct: "Practise".

This truthful and warm-hearted sharing ended by Lang's rendition of Liszt's transcription of Robert Schumann's celebrated Lied Widmung.

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An Urban Oasis of Greenery and Learning

magine if you will the University of Hong Kong as garden. This is what Professor Jim Chi-yung 詹志勇 (BA 1975), Chair Professor of Geography (Soil, Tree and Environmental Science), meditates upon; that the campus will soon be transformed into a nature-in-city exemplar of a garden with trees, shrubs and blooming flowers of variegated colours throughout the seasons.

"HK is excessively 'concreted'. There needs to be a return to more greenery, paved areas need to be reverted to lawn or vegetated areas," he said. But, this is a reflection of the fact that the city is a high-density metropolis and the general mentality that each and every inch of space should be utilised for maximum benefit is paramount.

But the Chair Professor also tells of student gripes about there being 'no campus feel' at HKU and that there are not enough green spaces. Only the Lily Pond, and some rather inaccessible slopes, constitutes green space, but over the years this limited oasis has been shrinking in size, while most of the slopes are too steep for any practical use.

One of Professor Jim's first sustainability initiatives was the 'green roof', which he first tested in the middle of 2006 on the top of the Runme Shaw Building. He found that a 10 centimetre layer, consisting of waterproofing, drainage, water storage, soil and vegetation, could result in substantial reduction in maximum temperature by 18°C and suppression of daily temperature fluctuation to less than 4°C on a summer day.

Already, in Hong Kong, some new buildings are now being designed with green roofs in mind, while many older buildings can be retro-fitted.

"Rooftop greening has been commonly applied in such places as Europe, North America and Japan but is still relatively new to Hong Kong. Planting vegetation on a rooftop will not only reduce rooftop temperature significantly and help to conserve energy, it will also bring aesthetic and ecological benefits to the surroundings," says Professor Jim.

His proposal to green the roof of the Library's New Wing will soon be realised. The funding has already been secured and work will begin soon. Part of it will be accessible to students and staff and is likely to be covered with lawns, flowering shrubs and other attractive herbaceous vegetation.

The library is well-suited because of its lack of 'clutter', such as air conditioners, water tanks, piping and ducting, on the roof. Besides the multiple environmental benefits, it will bring economic dividends, not the least of which are heat insulation and cooling capability, resulting in lower internal ambient temperature which translates into lower energy costs. This is especially important in the case of the library because of its extended operating hours and notable electricity consumption for air-conditioning, he says.

He plans to monitor energy use levels before the start of construction and after the installation of the green roof to compare the difference. The added benefit is that the new green roof "will provide a 'visual amenity'," says the geography professor because a number of occupants of surrounding buildings will benefit from the soothing and delightful green vista.



One of the design-concepts already voiced by Professor Jim for the Centennial Campus is that of the seamless integration of 'green and blue'. This is the combination of vegetation and water and how to marry the two harmoniously campus-wide so that it can be transformed into a blissful and serene garden ambience.



One of the various machines used by Professor Jim Chi-yung to monitor temperature fluctuations.

This he would like to see through the planting of many new, flowering plants and each blooming in a different season so that the campus always appears awash in colour. He also expects to see more green roofs and vertical greening.

In the courtyards
of the Centennial
Campus, he hopes
to see more lawns,
flowers and plants
that give off a pleasing

fragrance. Other amenities Professor Jim would like to see incorporated are more 'water features.' Presently, only the Lily Pond, which has become a Hong Kong feature with its lotus and water lily plants, offers respite. But he would also like to see streams with running water stocked with fish, accompanied by fountains and emulated natural waterfalls.

Presently, the campus is already planted with flowering shrubs such as Azaleas, Camellias, Common Crape Myrtle, Ixora and Kwai-Fah.

"Despite the small campus area, we are endowed with an interesting array of ornamental trees planted mainly by the Lily Pond and around the Loke Yew Hall. They are represented by some notable specimens: African Tulip Tree, Camel's Foot, Camphor Tree, Coral Tree, Chinese Banyan, Hong Kong Orchid Tree (Bauhinia 'Blakeana'), Frangipani, Jacaranda, King Palm, Mock Peepul, Queen Crape Myrtle, Red Kapok, Spider Tree, Swamp Mahogany, Sweet Gum and Weeping Willow. Along University Drive, Bauhinia trees of different species have recently been planted", says Professor Jim, but he hopes to see more Azaleas of different blossom colours being planted as well.

"We need to expand upon the concept of more nature thriving alongside culture. The campus design should take into consideration the relationship between it and nature," he says. "A proper lawn and perhaps a real woodland area built atop the new reservoir area too."



Centennial Campus

With its centenary approaching, HKU continues building history — with a bold new campus that combines the teaching and learning needs of the 21st Century with a respect for heritage, the environment and the local community.

There will be three new buildings which will house the Faculties of Social Sciences, Arts and Law. Additional facilities will include a new Lecture Hall with seating for more than 1,000 and a Learning Commons providing some 6,000 square metres of space for student academic activities. In addition, there will be a University Street, an open thoroughfare which links the existing campus with the Centennial Campus.



Bird's eye view of campus and Centennial Campus development



Preparation work, including relocation of the Water Supplies Department freshwater and saltwater reservoirs. continues around the clock as excavation machines dig into the granite and sandstone hillside to make way for these new water cisterns. This is a first-of-its-kind



Machines, instead of explosives, are being employed to excavate the mountain to minimise environmental effects and help prevent any damage to the structural integrity of



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The Learning Commons



Learning Commons model showing cutaways of different levels: a place to gather, study, read, discuss, learn and relax.

An example of Sky Gardens on Podium Deck and Roofs.

The development of the Centennial Campus will enable HKU to better play its role in supporting a knowledge-based society and the community's pursuit of quality of life. As HKU readies itself for the four-year degree curriculum, the Centennial Campus is a crucial element in its successful future and a symbol of the University's commitment to and engagement with the community.





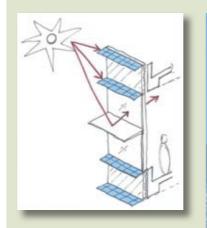
Artist's impression of the main Lecture Hall.

Sustainable Campus — some initiatives





Wind Turbines located on the roof of the University convert wind energy into electricity.





Use of photovoltaic cells, a solar power technology, to convert the sun's rays into electricity.



Prefabricated construction to reduce costs, waste and construction time.





Building Greening: An example of sustainability measures, building a "Green Wall".

The Campus Master Plan

- Reflects HKU's mission and strategic principles
- Builds on the heritage of the campus buildings and landscape
- Makes the campus easier to navigate
- cs Establishes stronger linkages to the community
- Provides a vibrant learning environment
- Supports sustainability principles

Heritage Buildings & Entry Plaza

The Senior Staff Quarters, Workmen's Quarters and the Entry Plaza form the grand entrance to the Centennial Campus.





ELLIOT PUMPIN

The Learning Commons

A convenient one-stop study-

University members and the

and-learning environment where

community can instantly interact.

The Lecture Centre

A 1,000+ seating capacity for lectures and cultural activities.





University Street

An east-west pedestrian thoroughfare that links the Centennial Campus to the existing campus and facilitates the hosting of educational and social activities.



Academic Courtyards
Ideal outdoor spaces for dynamic
learning and interaction.

New Lily Pond

The new Lily Pond creates a sense of place for leisure and social interaction.



Landscaped Reservoirs' Roof Decks

The roof decks of the new reservoirs are welcoming open spaces with various amenities and connections to hiking trails up Lung Fu Shan.



Construction of Centennial Campus
June 2009 – December 2011

This piece of land will be magically transformed as if by the rubbing of Aladdin's Lamp!

Centennial Campus Kick-Off Ceremony

February 27, 2008







A Junk Shop Treasure Engineering Society 1926

r John Rux-Burton, a fundraising consultant based V in the UK was browsing in a junk shop in Oxford Street when he came across an old sepia tone photo. It turns out that this is a treasured piece of HKU history; a snapshot of the Hong Kong University Engineering Society of 1926. John purchased it with great consideration and personally delivered it to HKU's Alumni Office last Fall. Since the return of the photo, University Archives has been busy with preservation and restoration work.

Readers might note two of the photo's rather more unusual aspects. Firstly, seated in the first row is Professor C A M Smith holding a terrier, presumably his pet, on his lap. Secondly, also seated in the first row, is the society's only female member, Miss Tsang Tin-chien 曾廷謙 (BScEng 1930). This is notable given that this was still essentially a "man's club" at the time.

We welcome donations of memorabilia. Please contact the Development & Alumni Affairs Office: alumni@hku.hk

AUSTRALIA

Footprints around the World!

CANADA

CHINA

JAPAN

HKU alumni have spread their wings, left the nest and settled in different corners of the world. Our alumni become contributing and productive members of the communities where they have chosen to lay down roots.

MALAYSIA

NEW ZEALAND

To date, there are 19 offshore alumni groups all over the globe. If anyone of these happens to be in your neighbourhood while you are criss-crossing the planet, make a call to the designated contact and connect for a coffee, lunch or dinner. You will feel immediately at home!

SINGAPORE

UNITED KINGDOM

A big thank you to all of our global alumni groups and leaders who make this all happen!*

* 89 alumni groups (local: 70 groups; offshore: 19 groups)

UNITED STATES

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HKUAA Northern California 香港大學校友會北加省分會(美國)

Founded in 1991 and inaugurated by former Vice-Chancellor, Dr Rayson Huang 黃麗松 (BSc 1942; Hon DSc 1968; Vice-Chancellor 1972-1986). The first co-presidents were Edward Chan 陳耀昌 (MBBS 1969) and Doreen Fan 楊展慧 (BArch 1955).





also publishes a quarterly newsletter. "From Pearl to Gold". It maintains a website

as an open channel of communication

between members. In 1998, the chapter began organising joint alumni functions, and participated in the Alumni Global Convention in Shanghai in 2006.

FOUNDING YEAR 1991

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HKUAA Southern California 香港大學南加州校友會(美國)





Established under the Non-profit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable purposes, this chapter seeks to promote fraternity and advance the educational goals of alumni and friends residing in Southern California.

Its objectives are:

- 1. To provide forums for discussion and meeting amongst graduates and former employees as well as friends;
- 2. To promote educational, community and charitable goals of the association;
- 3. To promote understanding of the economic, social and cultural aspects of residents of Southern California;
- 4. To enhance economic and cultural connections between Hong Kong and Southern California;
- 5. To promote educational and cultural exchanges between the University and higher educational institutions in Southern California.

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HKUAA of New York 香港大學紐約校友會(美國)

This chapter includes alumni who live in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut.

The association consists of a close group of alumni from various fields of study and professions and from many generations of graduates. Any current student, graduate or associate of the University is welcome to join its informal social gatherings.



FOUNDING YEAR CURRENT PRESIDENT Raymond Li 李國澤 (BA 1969) ENQUIRY CONTACT Raymond Li **EMAIL** rayli@verizon.net

HKU Alumni Network of New England, USA 香港大學新英格蘭校友會(美國)



Activities organised by this network are open to HKU alumni residing in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Vermont, and Maine.

A directory, updated several times yearly, is distributed to all members and a minimum of two gatherings are planned annually. The network participates in fundraising for HKU as well as the mentoring of HKU undergraduate exchange students.

FOUNDING YEAR 2006

CURRENT PRESIDENT Siu Yum-tong 蕭蔭堂

(BA 1963; Hon DSc 1990) and

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HKUAA of Ontario 香港大學安省校友會(加拿大)

The largest overseas HKU alumni body, it aims to provide a good communication platform for HKU alumni in Ontario. Alumni gather at an annual dinner to socialise and build networks. Its hiking events also draw enthusiastic participants who enjoy the Canadian wilderness. To stay connected with its alma mater this chapter also participates in the Mentorship Programme.

To support Chinese culture, a Chinese Cultural Heritage Award Fund was launched in 1998. In Autumn 2007



At the fundraising première: (from left) Jennifer Chua 蔡鄭洁冰 (BSocSc 1980), Elza Lee 李淑興 (BScC (CompStud) 1985), Cecilia Lee, Dennis Au-yeung 歐陽健昌 (BSc 1997), Dr Siu Kingfun 蕭景勳 (MBBS 1976), Bassanio So 蘇植良 (BScEng 1981; MBA 1985), Madame Zhu Taoying (Consul-General of the PRC), Madame Zhu's husband, Sally Chan 陳瑞文 (BA 1967), Kristine Che 車桂英 (BA 1975), Chan Shuang (Cultural Minister of the PRC).

1985 FOUNDING YEAR

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HKUAA British Columbia 香港大學卑詩省校友會(加拿大)

This chapter aims to facilitate alumni abroad by enriching their leisure time, facilitate the sharing of experiences and mutual help. Each year, the association organises various social activities, tours or trips, sports events, and talks. Members have maintained a close relationship with their alma mater and are involved in the Mentorship Programme to assist exchange students from Hong Kong.



In a show of community support, the chapter raised an endowment fund and donated it to Simon Fraser University in 1993. A campaign was also launched in Vancouver in 2003 to pay tribute to health care workers and those in related fields in the fight against SARS.

1970 FOUNDING YEAR

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HKUAA New South Wales Chapter 香港大學澳州紐省校友會

This chapter, around a third of whom are medical professionals, was established by graduates who emigrated from Hong Kong in the 1980s.



Mrs Louisa Chin 錢張秋霞 (BSocSc 1980), Mrs Helen Wan (BA 1982), Mrs Pauline Fan 范陳冰瑩 (BSocSc 1977), Ms Dilys Wong 黃錦枝 (MSc(ITE) 2005)

Each year, it organises many social and sports activities that enjoy strong popular support from members. The most popular event is the Annual Dinner, normally held around Chinese New Year. More than 200 members and their families, as well as friends, joined the celebrations in 2007. Other regular activities include the tennis, soccer and table tennis competitions, bush walk, BBQ, lunch gatherings and karaoke parties.

FOUNDING YEAR 1984

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HKUAA New Zealand 新西蘭香港大學校友會



HKUAANZ was inaugurated by Vice-Chancellor Professor Lap-Chee Tsui in October 2005. Since then, it has organised a variety of activities for members, including dinner gatherings and monthly Sunday afternoon hiking trips.

In 2007, the Association branched out into the educational arena, conducting education sessions for its members and health education talks for members of the public. These functions have been extremely wellattended, with keen support from members and their families. Although Auckland-based, the Association has members in all areas of New Zealand.

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HKUAA, United Kingdom Chapter 香港大學英國校友會



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chapter sponsored an

in the annual Dragon Boat Festival.

HKU team to participate



HKUAA of Chinese Mainland 香港大学内地校友联谊社

Founded in Beijing in 1991, the Chapter comprises a group of HKU alumni in the Mainland. Its aim is to enhance communication between Mainland graduates and their alma mater.



Upon its establishment, members mainly consisted of Mainland graduates who were visiting scholars and students studying at HKU. Since the establishment of off-campus programmes in Shanghai in 2000, more Mainland graduates have become members.

In November 2006, the Chapter supported HKU in holding its first ever Global Alumni Convention in Shanghai which attracted more than 600 alumni from over ten countries and regions.

1991 FOUNDING YEAR

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Beijing Alumni Network

香港大學北京校友網絡

FOUNDING YEAR

2004

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HKU Shanghai Alumni Network 香港大學上海校友網絡



Founded in 2001, this network comprises a group of HKU alumni who are currently working and living in Shanghai. Members meet once a month for a "dim-sum" 點心 gathering to catch up with old friends and meet new ones. Occasionally, speakers are invited to speak on subjects of interest to alumni.

In addition, the chapter holds alumni functions with other leading universities in Shanghai to widen its reach with friends from Hong Kong, the Mainland and other countries. The HKU Shanghai Alumni Network serves as a support group to alumni who are new to Shanghai.

FOUNDING YEAR 2001

CURRENT CO-ORDINATOR Cheung Yuk-ching, Doreen

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St John's Alumni Beijing Chapter 香港大学圣约翰学院北京校友

Newly founded in November 2007, this chapter seeks to stay in contact with St Johnians who now reside or work in Beijing. At the first reunion dinner held at Jian Guo Hotel 50 alumni, including Dr Vivian Wong 黃譚智媛 (MBBS 1969), President of St John's College Alumni Association (SJCAA), Chairman Vincent Chiu 趙崇德 (BScEng 1987), Directors, and Rev Paul Tong 湯顯森 (BA 1963; PCLL 1989) and Dr K C Wong were present to witness the inauguration of this chapter.



SJCAA Committee at the HKSAR Government Beijing Office. From left: Stephanie Lam 林贇睿 (BBA[Acc&Fin] 2006), Steve Cheung 張肇昌 (MBBS 1983), Chairman Vincent Chiu 趙崇德 (BScEng 1987), President Vivian Wong 黃譚智媛 (MBBS 1969), Vice Chairman Nixon Lee 李漢深 (BSocSc 1982), James Wong 黃文泰 (BSocSc 1977; MSW 1979) and Paul Lee 李天帆 (BSc 1994). They were greeted by Thomas Tso 曹萬泰 (BSocSc 1975; MSocSc 1984), Director of the HKSAR Government, Beijing Office, also a St Johnian, and his wife Corinna Chan 曹陳艷璋 (BSocSc 1977).

2007 FOUNDING YEAR

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CHINA

Beijing Shanghai

HKU Alumni Network of Japan 日本香港大学同窓会

The network provides a platform for fellow alumni in Japan for networking, gathering and mingling. In addition to the Tokyo area, they also have a representative in the Kansai region to take care of alumni needs in western Japan.

Last "Winter Solstice" (December 22), more than 30 alumni, families and students attended a lunch with the Vice-Chancellor in Tokyo. Some alumni and their family members travelled from as far as Nara to join the lunch. A tea gathering with HKU exchange students was also arranged last November at the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in Tokyo.



Opposite: (From left) Sally Leung Yi-tak (HKU exchange student at Hitotsubashi University), C K Liu 廖振強 (BA 1978), Albert Tang 鄧家禧 (BSocSc 1981), KYHo何國營 (BA 1984), Tweety Fung Ka-yi (HKU exchange student at the

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International Christian University) and Vivian Pun See-wing (HKU exchange student at Tokyo University of Foreign Studies).

FOUNDING YEAR 2005

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HKUAA Malaysia 香港大學馬來西亞校友會



In terms of the total number of members this Chapter may be small, yet this group values highly its links with HKU.

Alumni are scattered across peninsular Malaysia and in the East Malaysian states of Sabah and Sarawak. Despite the geographical isolation, alumni still manage annual social gatherings, and have always been involved in the University's important events.

Members will always extend a warm welcome to members of the University, and look forward to more interaction with fellow graduates who are residing in Malaysia or elsewhere.

FOUNDING YEAR 1946

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Regular activities are organised. A talk on "Universal Suffrage: the Hong Kong Perspective" by Professor Wang Gungwu 王賡武 (Hon DLitt 2002; Vice-Chancellor 1986-1995) was held last September.

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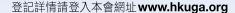
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香港大學畢業同學會三十二週年晚宴 主講嘉賓:程翔

大用年晚宴將於2008年6月21日晚上舉行。今年是創會三十二週年的晚宴,同學會邀請剛獲得自由的資深 20 新聞工作者程翔(BSocSc 1973)擔任主講嘉賓,細述他三十多年的傳媒人生。程氏伉儷是本會的 創會資深會員,希望各屆人士踴躍參加。校長徐立之教授等港大教職員也應邀出席,與大家分享母校的





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November 2007

40th Anniversan **Celebrating Lifelong Friendships!**



The Class organised various activities to celebrate 40th anniversary. Members held a reunion dinner in Hong Kong and then visited the HKUGA College where Dorothy Cheng 鄭美珠 (BSc 1967; CertEd 1972) is the principal. Later, they spent a weekend in Kaiping visiting the Diaolou, a UNESCO World Heritage site, Zhongshan and Zhuhai. Everyone began calling the class monitor, Choi Chee-cheong 蔡熾昌 (BSc 1967; CertEd 1972), "ban cheung" (班長) - just like the old days!

Medical Class of 1977

December 2007

Recipe for a Happy **Anniversary**



To celebrate their 30th

anniversary, the Medical Class of 1977 prepared the following ingredients to make this special occasion an unforgettable one. This "recipe" hints at what lies in store for future reunions!





- School campus
- 2 Lunch with the Vice-Chancellor
- 3 Day-trip to Macau
- 4 Reunion Dinner
- 5 A 30th Anniversary Memorabilia publication and Souvenirs
- Good time! Great Fun! Eager anticipation for future

Economics Class of 1967 November 22, 2007

A Tasteful **Reunion!**

To celebrate the 40th Anniversary of their graduation, the Class enjoyed an afternoon tea with the Vice-Chancellor at University Lodge last November. Later, this was followed by a Reunion Dinner at Robert Black College. Some 25 alumni and family members joined the reunion convened by Mr Mak Pak-hung 麥伯雄. The class included Dr Mary Rodrigues 羅紀瑪利, former Chairman of HKU Convocation.





Science Society 1977

December 21, 2007

A Tribute to a Beloved Classmate: Lam Chi-him Scholarship



At the reunion of the Science Society 1977, Exco members donated a sum of \$230,000 for the "Lam Chi Him Memorial Prize in Physics" scholarship and presented a cheque to the Associate Dean of Science Professor Allan Cheung 張仕中.

Lam Chi-him 林至謙 (BSc 1979) was a teacher beloved for his passion for physics and affection for his students. To his University classmates, Chi-him was a cheerful man with an unflagging enthusiasm for physics.

e 25th Anniversari

Class of 1982 2007-2008

Silver Jubilee Reunions for GREEN



HKU Alumni Green Fund

Thank you for supporting our Silver Jubilee Reunion Dinner. Proceeds raised from the Dinner, Golf Day, and the upcoming Tree Planting Day will go towards the "HKU Alumni Green Fund". The Fund supports HKU student projects that aim to educate the community, including primary and secondary students, in the fight against global warming.

We look forward to your continued support of the Fund and the **Tree Planting Day on May 11, 2008**. For details and donations visit: **www.hku.hk/class82**

Class of '82 Silver Jubilee Organising Committee

Old Halls alumni of the 1980s

January 26, 2008

Three Cheers, Old Hallites!



Social Sciences Class of 1982 Forever Young!



Five class members were selected for their "Forever Young Look"!



Medical Class of 1982 June 30, 2007

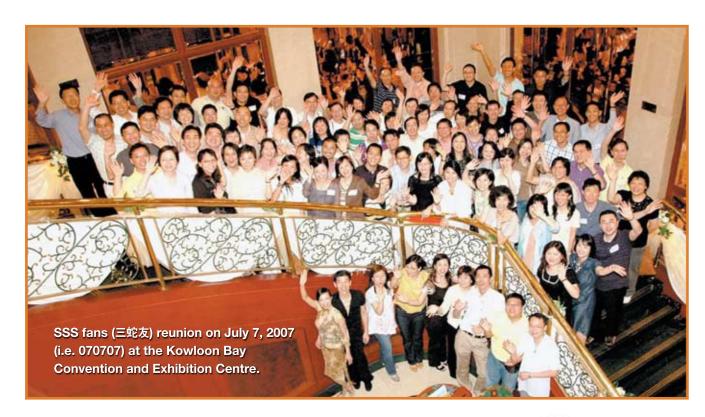
An unforgettable evening!



Social Sciences Class of 1987

July 7, 2007

An Eclectic Mix of **Entertainment**



"Wow! You haven't changed a bit!"

"Hmmm, I should know your name..."

"What's happening?"

The night's entertainment included Latin dance, Tai-Chi performances, comical quiz games and lucky draws.

SSS cheers: 66 社科 We Belong, Social Best of All! 99



Fantastic Latin Dance (Rumba and Argentina's sensuous Tango) performances! Pony Ma (BSocSc 1987) and professional dance teacher Tony Lau.



Medical Class of 1997

September 15, 2007

Saying 'Hi' to **Alumni Children!**

Alumni celebrated their 10th Anniversary of graduation at the Alumni Chamber in the Faculty Building. It was a particularly memorable occasion when alumni were able to meet the 'other halves' and children of their old friends and classmates.



Swire Scholars Reunion January 12, 2008 at Robert Black College

When Robert Black College opened its doors in 1967 to accommodate visiting scholars to HKU, John Swire & Sons Co Ltd. established a fund for annual scholarships for local University research students who were to reside at the College. These students are known as Swire Scholars.

When the College entered its 50th year of nurturing future leaders, Swire Scholars came back home to share their experiences with their seniors and juniors.

ClassNotes

Share your whereabouts, activities & experiences with us! Send us a short paragraph with via

www.hku.hk/alumni/classnotes

Wang Gungwu 王賡武 (Vice-Chancellor 1986-1995; Hon DLitt 2002) Serena Yang Hsueh-chi 楊雪姬 (SocSc 1994-1996)

Professor Wang Gungwu and Dr Serena Yang Hsueh-chi were conferred Honorary Doctorates by The Open University of Hong Kong in recognition of their achievements and contributions.



Professor Wang has been honoured in many countries. During his Vice-Chancellorship at HKU, he contributed to public service by chairing the Hong Kong Council for the Performing Arts and the Advisory Council on the Environment, and joining the Executive Council. After retiring from HKU, Professor Wang took the helm of the East Asian Institute of the National University of Singapore (NUS) until June 2007. He now holds the distinguished position of NUS University Professor.

Dr Serena Yang studied psychology at HKU as a visiting student in 1994, and is now an Honorary Senior Research Associate at the Department of Psychology. She received an Honorary Fellowship from HKU in 2005. Dr Yang is a philanthropist who has donated generously in support of a diversity of scholarships, professorships and different educational and research projects.



Stephen Chow Chun-kay 周振基 (PhD 2003) Edmund Leung Kwong-ho 梁廣灝 (BScEng 1967) **Wong Kai-man 黃啟民** (BSc 1972; BSc(Sp) 1973)

Lingnan University conferred Honorary Fellowships on three distinguished individuals. Dr Stephen Chow Chun-kay, Mr Edmund Leung Kwong-ho and Mr Wong Kai-man received the prestigious award in recognition of their outstanding accomplishments and remarkable contributions to the economy, social welfare and educational development.



Lo Wai-kwok 盧偉國

(BScEng 1976; MScEng 1981)

Ir Dr Lo Wai-kwok was conferred an Honorary Fellow by the Vocational Training Council in recognition of his contributions to the development of vocational education and training in Hong Kong.

Currently, as president of the Hong Kong Institution of Engineers, Dr Lo is a keen supporter of the advancement of tertiary education in Hong Kong, and has provided advisory services to various tertiary institutions.





Emily Chan Ying-yang 陳英凝 (MBBS 2003) Chow Pak-chin 周伯展 (MBBS 1977) Dennis Lam Shun-chiu 林順潮 (MBBS 1984)

Professor Chan Ying-yang has been an active field medical volunteer for Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF), UNICEF, HelpAged International and Merlin over the past 10 years. In 2000, she was appointed underprivileged. president of MSF in Hong Kong and became the first Asian female and the youngest



person assigned the role.

Dr Chow Pak-chin has been the "Honourable Ophthalmologist Ambassador" of "Sight First China Action" and the Vice-chairman of "Project Vision". He is also the founding chairman of the Hong Kong Medical Association Charitable Foundation which aims to alleviate the suffering of the sick, the poor and the

Three alumni were awarded the "Hong Kong Humanity Award"

香港人道年獎 co-organised by the Hong Kong Red Cross and

Radio Television Hong Kong. This first-of-its-kind award pays tribute to those who live by and practise the spirit of humanity.





Professor Lam Shun-chiu began his volunteer services with the Hong Kong Sports Association for the Physically Disabled. In 1991, he became the founding Honorary Director of the Kung Wah Lee Eye Tissue Laboratory, the first "active" Eye Bank in Hong Kong. He also founded the Project Vision Charitable Foundation in 2006 that aims to establish 100 charity eye centres in Mainland China.

Bill Mok Chin-man 莫展民 (BScEng 1985)

Dr Mok was invited by the Department of Civil Engineering to host a seminar called "Adaptive Reliability-Based Optimisation Model for Integrated Water Supply Operation Management" at his alma mater last December.

After working for Manusell Geotechnical Services for over a year, he studied at the University of California, Berkeley, where he obtained his MS and PhD degrees. He then joined Geomatrix Consultants in 1987 and is currently a principal

> engineer and hydrogeologist.



He is also an adjunct professor at the University of Waterloo, and former president of the HKU Alumni Association in Northern California Chapter.

Tang Shu-wing 鄧樹榮 (LLB 1982; PCLL 1983)

Tang was awarded the Officier de l'Ordre des Arts et des Lettres by the French Ministry of Culture and Communication and a Certificate of Commendation, by The Hong Kong SAR Government in 2007, and also the award for Arts Achievement (Drama) by the Hong Kong Arts Development Council (ADC).

One of the most important theatre directors in Hong Kong, Tang undertook theatre studies at the Université de

la Sorbonne Nouvelle, Paris, where he obtained a Maîtrise Certificat. He also participated in various master workshops and worked as an assistant director and actor before returning to Hong Kong in 1992. Since then, he has been active in directing, acting, education and writing.

His works range from solo to large-scale classics and have been presented in many cities. He is interested in minimalist theatre where the body is his main field of investigation as opposed to the overwhelming influence of technology in the theatre.



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Jane Lai 黎翠珍 (BA 1961, MA1966) Vicki Ooi 黃清霞 (BA 1965)

Lynn Yau 邱歡智 (BA 1981; MEd 2006) Raphael Che 車文郁 (BA 1972)

Selina Kan 簡婉明 (BA 1974)



After last year's run of Chekov's *Three Sisters*, the Seal Players have revived their tradition of bringing great translated classical drama to the Hong Kong stage. To continue with their winning streak, the group presented Shakespeare's *Othello* in January 2008.

Many of the Seals' founding members were HKU graduates including Jane Lai, Vicki Ooi, Lynn Yau, Raphael Che and Selina Kan. Vicki and Jane, the production's director and translator respectively, both taught at the University's English Department and inspired generations of HKU graduates.

Dexter Man 文洪磋

(BScEng 1940; Hon DSocSc 1998)

A group of junior Morrisonians and the Vice-Chancellor Professor Lap-Chee Tsui celebrated Dr Man's 92nd birthday with a surprise gift - a Morrison Hall T-Shirt and a tailor-made birthday card signed by a group of Morrisonians.

Dr Man was fully supportive of plans to rebuild Morrison Hall in 2005. His devotion to the Hall has now borne fruit and benefited many students.



Edward Chen 陳坤耀

(BA 1967; MSocSc 1971; Hon DSocSc 2008)

Cheng Kai-ming 程介明

(BSc 1966; BSc(Sp) 1967; CertEd 1981; AdvDipEd 1982; MEd 1983)

Selina Chow 周梁淑怡 (BA 1965)

Chung Sze-yuen 鍾士元 (BScEng 1941; Hon DSc 1976)

Audrey Eu 余若薇 (LLB 1975)

Raymond Ho 何鍾泰 (BScEng 1963)

Martin Lee Chu-ming 李柱銘 (BA 1960)

Lee Ngok 李鍔 (MA 1967)

David Li 李國寶

(Hon LLD 1996; Pro-Chancellor 2001- present)

Margaret Ng 吳靄儀 (BA 1969; MA 1975; PCLL 1988)

Poon Chung-kwong 潘宗光 (BSc 1963; BSc(Sp) 1964)

Alice Tai 戴婉瑩 (LLB 1974)

Tam Sheung-wai 譚尚渭 (BSc 1959; MSc 1961)

Ada Wong 黃英琦 (MEd 2003)

Rosanna Wong 王葛鳴 (BSocSc 1975; Hon DSocSc 2003)

Yang Ti-liang 楊鐵樑

(Hon DLitt 1991; Pro-Chancellor 1994-2001; Chairman of Council 1985 – 2001)

Enoch Young 楊健明 (BSc 1961)

Rosie Young 楊紫芝 (MBBS 1953; MD 1959;

Hon DSc 1995)



Do you know what

these people have in common?

Besides being HKU alumni, they all studied in the UK!

On the celebration its 60th anniversary, the British Council elected 60 people, from the 1950s to the present day, who studied in the UK. Each shared his or her recollection of a UK education, the things that most impressed them, and photos: http://celebration60.britishcouncil.org.hk/alumni.php

Eddy Khoe 丘建漳 (BArch 1955)

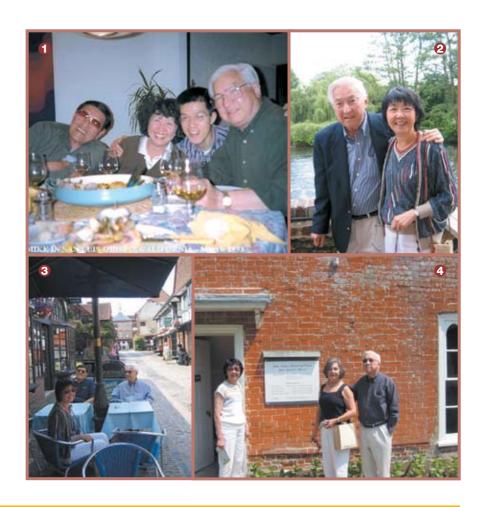
After reading the Fall issue, 2007 of the Convocation Newsletter, Eddy shared with us some of his treasured photos of his old friend, the late Professor Michael McDougall.

Some nine years ago, Eddy and his family flew from Hong Kong to see Professor McDougall in San Luis Obispo, when he was on dialysis. They spent a few days together and Mrs Dawnna McDougall took them sightseeing, exploring the beautiful area around their hometown. It was a joyful time that they would always remember!

Trom left: Eddy Khoe, Eddy's wife, Lauie, Eddy's son, Vincent, and Professor Michael McDougall.

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Photos taken with Professor Michael McDougall during Eddy's visit.



Jimmy Chan 陳永昌 (BSc 1960; MA(Ed) 1969)

Professor Chan was an active member of Convocation over the past 48 years. Among the hats he wore were Standing Committee Member, Clerk of Convocation, Deputy Chairman and Council and Court Member of the University of Hong Kong.

After serving the Education Department of the Hong Kong Government as an educator during the early part of his career, Professor Chan excelled with professionalism as an influential psychologist, not only in Hong Kong but also worldwide with special focus on mental testing and Chinese psychology.



Presently, he is an Honorary Professor of Psychology at HKU, a position he has held since 1999, and has been a Visiting Professor at Macau University since 2004.

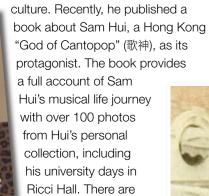
Professor Chan also devotes himself to public service and has held a number of significant voluntary appointments.

Professor Chan (front, 4th right) with his HKU SPACE Psychology Foundation Certificate students at their Graduation Dinner Party on August 5, 2006 in Hong Kong.

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Sam Hui 許冠傑 (BA 1971) Ng Chun-hung 吳俊雄 (BSocSc 1980; MPhil 1983)

As a local expert in cultural studies, Dr Ng is particularly interested in the sociology of mass media and popular



belongings as well. This edition also illustrates and analyses the development of Hong Kong pop-culture from the Sixties through

anecdotes about his

to the Nineties and highlights the singer's legendary career.



Brenda Li 李惠玲 (BA 1977)

Currently a graduate student reading Tibetan and Himalayan Studies at Oxford, Brenda spent 10 weeks in Lhasa last summer. While undertaking research for her thesis, she discovered a different face of Lhasa.

- "Although traditional Tibetan teahouses still thrive, they now offer more culinary choices, Sichuan being a particular favourite," Brenda said. "A wide range of products are also available at supermarkets.
- "The younger generation can communicate in Putonghua. Sign boards are bilingual, or even trilingual. Unlike their predecessors, many Tibetans in modern Lhasa will hail a bus, a van or even a taxi to save time and energy, rather than attempt a 30-minute walk. During peak hours, a 16-seat bus can be crammed with as many as 60 people!"





Anthony Cheung 張炳良 (BSocSc 1974)

Professor Cheung assumed his duties as President of the Hong Kong Institute of Education in January 2008 while carrying the concurrent title of Professor of Public Administration.

Professor Cheung is a Non-Official Member of the Executive Council of the Hong Kong SAR, Chairman of the Consumer Council, Chairman of the Subsidised Housing Committee of the Housing Authority, and Director of The Hong Kong Mortgage Corporation Limited.

Wilson Cheung 張威臣 (BArch 1969)





Wilson (2nd right) held his second art exhibition of oils and watercolours at City Hall in January 2008 for the benefit of "The Ricci Hall Trust". He formed a close bond with the Hall when he resided there during his undergraduate years.

The Trust was recognised as a charity by the Government.

Its objective includes the advancement of education and, especially, the maintenance of Ricci as a hall of residence at HKU. Proceeds from the exhibition will be donated entirely to the Trust. In a gesture of great generosity, Wilson will match all donations on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

Class of 1977 Core Group

Gary Chow 周啟華 Hymen Lam 林漢賢 Yvonne Chua 蔡映媚 Paul Mak 麥淦岐 Frederick Tong 唐建生 Betty Chan 陳瑞芳 Catherine Cheung 張儀玲 Carmine Siu 邵冠開 Alvin Chan 陳以誠 Vivien Pau 鮑慧兒 C K Yeung 楊志剛 May Li 李美英 The core group met for a Halloween barbecue and mountain cycling party at the Beas River Country Club. And they also arranged a visit to Diamond Hill's Chi Lin Nunnery 志蓮淨苑 and Nan Lian Garden 南蓮園池 before Christmas. The Class of 1977 core group arranges different activities, ranging from sports to visits, a seminar, "From Physics to Music", to a Shaolin course. They usually gather every two months, since the celebration of their Silver Jubilee was in 2002-2003.





Frederick Tong 唐建生 (BSocSc 1977)

One family, two generations at HKU!

Thirty years after his graduation, his son Jeffrey is currently a year one student studying Economics and Finance. What a wonderful family tradition!





Patience Fung 馮珮珊 (BA 1998)

After graduating from HKU, Patience worked for the Hong Kong Children's Choir for years where she gained invaluable experience in the performing arts. Last year, she joined Opera Hong Kong as General Manager and is responsible for major opera productions.

Ying Liang 梁瑛 (PhD 2006)

Having earned a PhD degree in Developmental Biology from HKU, Liang joined the Biology Department of the China Novartis Institutes for BioMedical Research Co. Ltd. She has become a key member of the team focusing on animal model and stem cell research. She appreciates her



time at HKU and the valuable experience she gained there and in Hong Kong.

John Lee Yu-chun 李宇俊 (BSc 2006) John (front, 1st left) has been very supportive of the

HKU Campus Tour, even though he graduated two years ago and is now busy with his work at Chek Lap Kok International Airport. He tirelessly leads tours and trains new Green Gown Guides (GGGs). What's more, he does everything with a big smile and great



An unforgettable wedding!

at Rayson Huang Theatre where they met and started their romance!!

Two alumni were married last

November but what made their

wedding ceremony so different

and special was that it was held

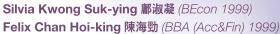
Sum Siu-man 岑紹文 (BSc 2002: MPhil 2004)

Siu-man was awarded the 2007 Patricia Rathmann Hartford Dietetic Internship Scholarship. He is the first recipient of the award which was established in 2007.

Siu-man has been working at the Alhambra Hospital and Medical Centre as a

registered dietician since July 2007. His job duties include assessing both nutritional risks and needs of patients, planning therapeutic diets for patients, and educating patients on topics related to nutrition. He expects to complete his second masters degree at California State University, Long Beach, this year.





Congratulations, Silvia and Felix! They were married last year and share with us beautiful pictures taken in Osaka, Japan.



In Memoriam



Professor Wong Siu-kit 黃兆傑

(BA 1960; MA 1965)

Professor S K Wong, Honorary Professor of the School of Chinese, passed away on November 7, 2007, at the age of 70.

Professor Wong was regarded as a distinguished translator of Classical Chinese, and the most eloquent interpreter of Chinese culture in the English tongue. His *Early Chinese Literary Criticism* is still widely read, even more than 20 years after its first publication.

Professor Wong taught at HKU since 1967 and retired in 2003. Throughout his thirty-six years of teaching, he successfully inspired generations of young minds. A highly revered scholar of great creativity and integrity, Professor Wong will be sorely missed by many of his students and friends. 黃兆傑,花名「潺仔傑」,是我60年代上中學二年班的老師,負責「聖經」一科。他仙風道骨, 看上去弱不禁風,為人文縐縐的,故有此花名 別號,而他也並不介懷。

上課第一天,他問同學們「有什麼信仰」?我們心裏說句老土,不外是基督教、佛教等的答案。「餘下的人是無信仰嗎?」他繼續問著。全班同學頓時鴉雀無聲,飯氣攻心的睡意竟也醒過來。他隨後解釋道,信仰的狹義是宗教信仰,廣義是生命的主宰動力。有些人信「金錢」,有些人信「學問」,有些人信「健康」,更有人信「智慧」。其實「信仰」是人生追尋的目標、人生最重要的價值觀、方向和終點。這一番話把我喚醒了,也是我啟蒙的迎頭一棒,永遠都忘不了。

俱往矣,黃兆傑,你是一個「中國紳士」 (Chinese gentleman)。

何志平

摘自《都市日報》2007年11月21日 悼黃兆傑



Professor Lo Chor-pang 羅楚鵬

(BA 1963; MA 1966)

Professor Lo Chor-pang, a distinguished geography alumnus, passed away on December 30, 2007, at the age of 68.

Professor Lo was Professor of Geography at the University of Georgia, where he had worked since March 1984. After he obtained his Bachelor (First Class Honours) and Masters degrees, he went on to study for his PhD degree at the University of Glasgow, United Kingdom, in 1971.

He was a former Reader in Geography at HKU. Professor Lo's teaching and research interests included photogrammetry, remote sensing, geographic information systems, and geography of China, on which he had published seven books and well over 100 papers. He was the recipient of the William A. Owens Award on Creative Research, the Outstanding Research Medal in Geographic Remote Sensing, and the Lifetime Research Award and Lifetime Achievement Award.



Professor Lo Chor-pang (above: 1st right; below: 2nd left) with Geography Class of 1973.

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HKU Foundation Stone

Kenneth Sit

Clerk of Convocation (LLB 1980; PCLL 1981)

The press started it, one can say. On December 15, 1905, the China Mail editorial argued that Hong Kong should set up a university to cater for the demand for higher education from all over China. The article aroused discussion in the press but the Governor, Matthew Nathan, dismissed the notion of a local university, saying that funding for it would be difficult.

Following the change of the Governor to Frederick D Lugard in July 1907, China Mail renewed its argument for a local university. Lugard found the idea interesting and toyed with it. At a prize-giving ceremony at St Stephen's College in January 1908, he said that Hong Kong should be "the Oxford and Cambridge of the Far East", suggesting a university to serve Hong Kong as well as Mainland China. Lugard was challenged to act on his ideals when, just days later, Hormusjee Mody, a successful businessman who had been in Hong Kong for over 50 years, pledged \$150,000 to the construction cost and \$30,000 to the endowment fund for a university in Hong Kong.

Lugard took up the challenge with zest. He managed to persuade the College of Medicine to change its expansion plan to that of incorporation into the proposed university and commissioned an extensive fund raising drive in Hong Kong and Mainland China. A "Chinese Fund-Raising Sub-Committee" was formed under the chairmanship of Ho Kai, one of the founders of the College of Medicine, and this committee was instrumental to obtaining public support to the notion of a university in Hong Kong for principally Chinese students. Lugard also managed to secure official support from Mainland China. Apart from personal charm and reasons, he achieved this by repeatedly assuring that the proposed university would be free from politics – not antagonistic to the Qing Dynasty anyway. In the event, half of the initial endowment fund was subscribed to by Chinese donors.

Having secured sufficient donations for the initial endowment fund, a ceremony was held in the afternoon of March 16, 1910 at the site of the proposed university at the junction of Bonham Road and Pokfulam Road. To the 1,300 people gathered under two large tents there, Mody opened the ceremony by explaining what was behind his generous donation:

"It was with the idea of in some measure providing for others what I was myself denied."

To enable the project to proceed in the best design, he had increased his donation for the university's construction cost to \$285,000, a remarkable sum even for an extremely wealthy man like him

Speaking after Mody, Lugard set out his vision of the university:

"It is my belief that the graduates of this University, its doctors of medicine, its scientific engineers, and its trained administrators, will exert an influence which will be unmeasurable in the future, among the 400 millions of China's population. ... Not, I trust, with distorted conceptions and theories of government antagonistic to the established order of their country, but imbued with that genuine patriotism whose only aim is to make their country better and greater, and to share with others the benefits they have themselves received."

Then he gave Mody a pleasant surprise by announcing that the King had just appointed Mody a Knight Bachelor.

For more than once, Mody had declared the wish to see the opening of the university soon. Perhaps this was why he readily agreed to increase his donation for the construction cost. However, he never lived to see the University's opening day. He passed away in June 1910.

On the left wall in the north Ground Floor lobby of Loke Yew Hall is framed the Foundation Stone. With reference to one of the available copies of photographs of the ceremony on March 16, 1910, the framed stone is clearly smaller than the one used at the ceremony by 20 cm or so. The University Archives at HKU have documents showing that the framed stone had been there since the University opened but the wooden surrounds had to be replaced after WWII. One wonders if the stone block used in the ceremony somehow went missing or was damaged beyond repair so that a replacement had to be made when the University opened in 1912

By the way, the same HKU Archives records also show that the main doors to the lobby also date back to 1912, having somehow survived the lootings during WWII.

Next time when you visit Loke Yew Hall, look at the Foundation Stone. It's the marker of HKU's conception. And don't forget the great doors while you're at it. ■

THIS FOUNDATION STONE
WAS LAID BY
SIR FREDERICK J. D. LUGARD
K.C.M.G. C.B. D.S.O.
16TH MARCH 1910
THIS BUILDING IS ERECTED AND
PRESENTED TO THE COLONY BY
H.N.MODY
A PARSI GENTLEMAN
50 YEARS RESIDENT IN HONGKONG



Election of Members to the Standing Committee

Nominations are hereby invited for the election of eight members to the Standing Committee at the coming Ordinary General Meeting 2008 on June 26, 2008. Each elected member will serve on the Standing Committee for a term of three years until the Ordinary General Meeting in 2011.

According to Paragraphs 26 and 28 of the Convocation Constitution, a person is eligible to be nominated for the election if he/she has been a member of Convocation for two years, and a retiring member is eligible for re-election. Paragraph 25(b) of the Convocation Constitution prohibits the Standing Committee from having more than four members who are also officers, teachers or staff of the University or who are also in receipt of any salary or stipend therefrom, excepting individuals occasionally appointed to ad hoc professional contracts. Of the current Standing Committee members whose terms of office will continue beyond the coming Ordinary General Meeting, three are in receipt of salaries from the University under employment contracts. Accordingly, at the coming Ordinary General Meeting, no more than one member within the definition of paragraph 25(b) may be elected.

Nomination Procedures

Paragraph 40 of the Convocation Rules requires that each candidate must be nominated in writing by at least ten members entitled to vote.

Nomination form can be downloaded from http://www.hku.hk/convocat/election/2008 or obtained from the Secretariat, c/o Development & Alumni Affairs Office, The University of Hong Kong (Tel: 2859 2603). All nominations shall be accompanied by a statement by the candidate that he/she is willing to stand for election.

Each candidate is requested to attach with the nominations a brief biography of himself/herself, in English, of not more than 200 words and a copy of his/her photograph for publication to members.

Nominations should reach the Clerk of Convocation, c/o Development & Alumni Affairs Office, 738, 7/F, Knowles Building, The University of Hong Kong before 5 pm, Monday, May 5, 2008. Fax is not a valid mode of delivery of nominations to the Clerk.

Validity of Nomination Forms

All nomination forms shall be clearly completed with the required information and bear the original signature of the nominators.

Ordinary General Meeting Notice and Election Information

Under Paragraphs 4 and 5 of the Convocation Rules, the notice of the Ordinary General Meeting and election information may be sent to members by electronic mail or by an advertisement placed in an English and a Chinese language newspaper authorised by the Government to carry official or legal advertisements in Hong Kong at least twenty-one days before the Ordinary General Meeting. For the convenience of members, the notice will also by put on the Convocation website (http://www.hku.hk/convocat). Members wishing to have prints of the notice and election information are welcome to contact the Secretariat.

Kenneth SIT

Clerk of Convocation

March 18, 2008

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http://www.hku.hk/convocat



Upon registration, members of Convocation may cast their votes electronically. If you have not registered, do so by **May 19, 2008** in order to be able to cast your "e-vote" at the forthcoming Standing Committee election. Go visit: **www.hku.hk/convocat/evoting**

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7-shirt key chain



Coffee Mug



Ladies' Scarf



Other items include...

Card Holder
Travel Wallet
Necktie

Folder with writing pad

Selected items are available at:

HKU Campus

Student Co-operative 1/F, Hsu Long Sing Amenities Centre

University Bookstore

G/F, Run Run Shaw Building

University Museum and Gallery Fung Ping Shan Building, 1/F & 2/F, T. T. Tsui Building Central and Admiralty

HKUAA Club Premises

Rm 101, Yip Fung Building, 2 D'Aguilar Street, Central

SPACE Station

3/F, Admiralty Centre, 18 Harcourt Road, Admiralty