Welcome back! Reunions & Homecomings

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What programmes can be planned for the reunions?

- Reunion Dinners
- Homecoming Visits
- Projects and Initiatives
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 Dining: Outside catering required.
Enquiries: Alumni Office at alumni@hku.hk
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HKU Senior Common Room

Location: 14/F & 15/F, K K Leung Building
One of the best views in HKU
Enquiries: 2869 2126 (William/ Catherine)
- Elliot Room
  Capacity: 60 – 100
  Dining: Western and Chinese formal dining
- Bar
  Capacity: 30 – 50
  Dining: International food and beverages
- Function Rooms
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HKU Alumni Association Clubhouse

Location: 7/F, Academic and Administration Block, Faculty of Medicine Building, 21 Sassoon Road
Capacity: 120 seats
Enquiries: 2818 1799

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Specialties: Every trip to this club is like a reunion. As one of the longest-standing alumni associations, the HKUAA is a favourite haunt of many alumni and has a strong sense of HKU history. The newly opened Alumni Lounge inside the Clubhouse is a relaxing space for happy hour drinks.
Capacity: (Clubhouse restaurant) max 130
(Dining rooms) 10 – 50
Dining: Chinese cuisine
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