London, United Kingdom

History and Heritage take Centre Stage

Over 300 alumni and business leaders celebrated the HKU Centenary at a luncheon in London's Drapers’ Hall. The event on May 15, 2012 was co-organised with the Hong Kong Association which is chaired by Baroness Lydia Dunn 鄧蓮如女男爵.

“The dream is alive and the dream is well. And the University has a very great future ahead of it.”

Lord Wilson of Tillyorn 衛奕信勳爵

Former HKU Chancellor and alumnus, spoke on the University’s history and its links both with the UK and in particular the University of Aberdeen tracing back to Patrick Manson and Dr Sun Yat-sen.

“HKU has cultivated a large contingent of talents who have become the backbone of Hong Kong. Its influence reaches far beyond Hong Kong; it embraces a global perspective.”

Liu Xiaoming 劉曉明, Ambassador of the PRC in the UK

94-year-old Mrs Nellie Bonsall (2nd left), the most senior alumna in the UK Chapter and Ms Irene Man, founding Chairman of the UK Chapter

Lady Pamela Youde and Michael Thomas, Former Attorney-General of Hong Kong
Besides the Luncheon, a seminar was held on “*Latest Constitutional and Economic Developments in China*”

**Hong Kong as Model for Legal Reform**

“*Hong Kong is the only place in China where there is active constitutionalism. This is a challenging time, a precarious journey without a destination.*”

Professor Johannes Chan 陳文敏教授, Dean of Law

**Next China Economic Miracle**

“*Hong Kong brings ideas, practices and institutions rooted in a free enterprise system and a vibrant civil society based on the rule of law to China’s latest reforms.*”

Professor Richard Wong 王于漸教授, Philip Wong Kennedy Wong Professor in Political Economy

**Seminar on “Dunhuang and Hong Kong: Gateways to Ancient and Modern China”**

Celebrating the 15th Anniversary of the Establishment of the HKSAR, renowned experts in the study of Dunhuang and the Silk Road presented a seminar “Dunhuang and Hong Kong: Gateways to Ancient and Modern China,” organised by the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in London and The British Library, with HKU’s Jao Tsung-I Petite Ecole 饒宗頤學術館.

Speeches and photos: [http://100.hku.hk/london2012](http://100.hku.hk/london2012)

**In celebration of the Centenary,**

the HKU Alumni Association UK Chapter held a Luncheon at the Royal Over-seas League in London last autumn.

Also present at this warm and cosy gathering were Lady Wilson and Lady Pamela Youde; Professor Ma Ho-kei, former Dean of Medicine; Professor Tom Boyd, Emeritus Professor of Biochemistry; former Director of Estates John Markey; alumna Agnes Allcock, Director-General of Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office in London; and her husband Mr Robert Allcock who taught at Faculty of Law.
New York, USA

Welcome visiting students from HKU

Young and senior from over six decades!

Excerpt from the speech by Dr Raymond Li 李國澤 (BA 1969), President of HKUAA of New York

What will matter is not what you bought, but what you built;
What will matter is not what you got, but what you gave;
What will matter is not your success, but your significance;
What will matter is not what you learned, but what you taught;
What will matter is every act of integrity, compassion, or sacrifice that enriched,
empowered or encouraged people that emulate you;
What will matter is not your competence, but your character;
What will matter is not how many people you knew, but how many will
feel a lasting loss when you have gone;
What will matter is not your memories, but the memories that
live in those who loved you;
What will matter is how long you will be remembered, by whom and for what;
Living a life that matters does not happen by accident; it is not
a matter of circumstance but of choice.

Central USA

Despite a heavy downpour, the alumni were joined by four new members and everyone had a good time.
New South Wales, Australia

Annual Barbeque

About 30 participants gathered at Cumberland State Forest, which is located in Sydney’s north western suburbs, for the barbeque.

Dinner with the Vice-Chancellor

Japan

Farewell lunch with Jennie Chok 祝彭婉儀, Principal Representative of the Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office (Tokyo), and KY Ho 何國營 (BA 1984), Sharon Takao 曾詩朗 (BA(ArchStud) 2002), President of Japan Chapter, and Raymond Wong.

Alumni and friends in Japan with HKU 100 frisbees (from left): Yoshihiro Takao, Yumiko Nakano 中野裕美子 (MPhil 1995), Tomoyoshi Yakata, Sharon Takao 曾詩朗 (BA(ArchStud) 2002), Yoshiko Ohta 太田良子 (CertChinLang 1998) and KY Ho 何國營 (BA 1984).

Singapore

A gathering of current and past presidents: Yvonne Shih 史以文 (BSocSc 1971), current president Sally Ma 馬斐斐 (BEcon&Fin 2007), immediate past president Joe Cheung 張錦文 (BSc(Eng) 1988), President-Elect Nancy Tsang 倪永娟 (BA 1977), and Chester Wong 王盛周 (BA 1968).
Victoria, Australia

Annual General Meeting

The new committee has been elected:

President: Dr Henry Yeung [杨浩然] (MBBS 1971)
Vice-President: Dr Cindy Lee-Wong [黄有鳳] (MBBS 1976)
Honorary Treasurer: Chuk Kwok-ming [祝国明] (BSc(Eng) 1977)
Honorary Secretary: Sylvia Chiang [黄詠琴] (BA 1984)
Members: Brenda Cheung [黄麗莊] (BA 1976)
  Dr Lincoln Li [黎令勤] (BA 1963; MA 1966)
  Dr Gordon Low [羅安鼎] (MBBS 1956)
  Athena Poon [周平章] (BA 1960)
  Dr Irene Wong [黃陸雲兒] (MBBS 1970)
  Dr T K Wong [王定國] (MBBS 1963)
Public Officer: Thomas Poon [潘棠] (BA 1960)

Chinese New Year celebration

President Dr Henry Yeung officiated at the roast pig cutting ceremony.

A competition of celebratory messages was held with Athena Poon and Raymond Chow, publisher of Sameway Magazine, as judges. Winners were:

**Champion:** Brenda Cheung, **1st Runner-up:** Kai Lee, **2nd Runner-up:** Mabel Chuk

Activities:

- Visiting neuro-surgeon Dr C P Yu from Hong Kong shared his stories of helping needed children on the Mainland.

www.hku.hk/hkuaavic

New Zealand

Alumni in New Zealand meet at least once a month for walks and meetings.
Hong Kong University Alumni Association (HKUAA)

A Montage of HKU Memories organised by the HKUAA Green and Culture Group to celebrate HKU’s 100th anniversary and foster a greater bond among HKU alumni and students. Over 100 paintings from alumni and students from 19 to 60 years old illustrated their memories and favourite places in HKU.

www.hkuaa.org.hk

Hong Kong University Graduates Association Education Foundation

10th Anniversary

The HKUGA Primary School, founded by the Hong Kong University Graduates Association Education Foundation, is celebrating its 10th anniversary. The Foundation is dedicated in equipping the next generation to adapt to the world’s development and to construct prosperous future.

www.hkuga-ef.org.hk
**The Most Challenging Fund Raising Event**

HKUGA has participated in the Trailwalker fundraising event organised by Oxfam since 1996, only missing it in 1997 when the registration was full on the first day. Since then, HKUGA has continuously participating in the Trailwalker. Two teams have been fielded since 2008, while three teams joined in 2011. Each team consists of four members and is required to complete the 100km MacLehose Trail within 48 hours.

In 15 years’ participation by HKUGA, the total number of sponsors stands at about 10,000, while the total funds raised by the team members is around HK$2.5 million.

In both 2010 and 2011, HKUGA won three fundraising awards, including the Overall First Runner-up and the Champion in the Club or Association category by the Association, as well as the Outstanding Fundraiser Award by Team A.

There are three important elements in the Trailwalker: promoting team spirit, training one’s perseverance and helping the underprivileged. All HKU graduates interested in joining us are welcome to email the team captain, Kwan Sek-yiu, at kwansekyiu@gmail.com.
Hong Kong University Engineering Alumni Association

Over 500 Engineering students have been benefitted by the Graduate Mentor Scheme (GMS) since its inception in 2001. The Scheme is organised by the Engineering Alumni Association and the HKU Engineering Society, HKUSU. Alumni of Engineering and other disciplines are invited to be the mentors.

The Inauguration Ceremony of GMS 2012 was held on April 14, 2012.

www.alumni.hku.hk/hkueaa/

The University of Hong Kong Medical Alumni Association

Dinner Talk
Professor Joseph Sung 沈祖堯 (MBBS 1983), Vice-Chancellor of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, gave a talk entitled “Teaching on Values in Medical Education” immediately after the Association’s 11th Annual General Meeting.

Professor Sung recounted how he witnessed his teachers at the Medical Faculty providing a great living example where “patient care was a dedication, research was a passion and teaching was an enjoyment.”

Spring Dinner
This annual spring dinner was held in Sheung Wan Fung Shing Restaurant with nearly 200 alumni and friends attending.

www.hku.hk/facmed/alumni
Lady Ho Tung Hall Graduates' Association

何東夫人紀念堂六十周年

孕育無數港大女生的何東夫人紀念堂不經不覺已經有六十周年歷史。二零一一年十一月十五日，舊生會在陸佑堂舉辦六十周年晚宴，是繼何東重建後最大型的何東人聚會。當晚出席的舊生包括全國人大常委范徐麗泰，一九五三年畢業的第一代何東人、港大前副校長楊紫芝教授，前申訴專員戴婉瑩，香港建築師學會首位女會長鄭心怡，九龍醫院前行政總監蔡炫中醫生，保安局常任秘書長張婉瑩及以傳記《玻璃之城》記錄何東舍堂生活的張婉婷導演等等。

錯過了六十周年晚宴？即上舊生會網頁http://www.lhthga.org，便可重溫當日的盛況。網頁更備有當晚播放的Hall Song mp3下載，何東人當然不可錯過！

何東夫人紀念堂六十周年的一連串慶祝活動以「Yelo My Life！」為主題。Yelo代表舍堂的主色黃色，「Yelo My Life！」代表何東的舍堂生活對宿生的影響不只大學三年，更會延續至往後的人生。

Storyeum — Museum of our never ending stories 舍堂歷史資料館

「Storyeum」於二零一二年三月二十五日開幕，仍欠部份重要設備，現呼籲大家若有餘多餘的LCD電視機、DVD機、投影機、電子相架或古典收音機等，請盡速踴躍捐輸，環保之餘亦能使屬於我們的「Storyeum」早日完滿！請進入以下網址，以行動支持「Storyeum」：http://tiny.cc/donationforstoryeum

The Book project

我們將輯錄六十篇文章，內容包括向何東舊生、宿生、港大師生、其他舍堂人士等收集的有關何東、何東女子及一切與何東有連繫的事蹟。

查詢: 網址http://tiny.cc/lht60book 或電郵至shanluk88@hotmail.com 或致電9143 1393陸珊

www.lhthga.org
HKU Centenary Gala Dinner saw a large number of University Hall alumni come together, especially when they performed War Cry in various locations around the Convention Centre and via the web and TV all over the world.

The annual Sports Day was held at Stanley Ho Sports Centre. 15 alumni, some with wives and children, had a great time playing their games with the students and at the lunch afterward.

Returning to the Hall, alumni hosted a late supper at the Hall on March 2, 2012 and the Reunion Dinner on April 14, 2012. Both were very successful events, with a large student turnout.

At the HKU Reunion at the Races on June 3, 2012, close to 30 alumni presented the University Hall Alumni Cup with a War Cry. Another joyful event and the gaming was fun.

The AGM was held on June 21, 2012 at the Chinese Club.

Yu Wai-cho 余衛祖 (MBBS 1980)
Chairman
Ricci Hall Old Boys

‘60s vintage

A tribe of over 150 Riccians and fans of Ricci Hall celebrated their brotherhood and friendship at Loke Yew Hall. This was the highlight of a series of activities, which included a golf day, a campus visit and a sharing on HKU development.

In addition to the conventional wining and dining, Riccians also displayed their talents by singing classical and Chinese opera, among others. Secrets hidden for years were revealed in jest. Riccians’ misconducts and classified media from anonymous sources filed decades ago were also finally disclosed in a “RicciLeaks” session, much to everyone’s amusement. They also participated in a “face-matching” game in which they compared photos taken 50 years ago to today’s.

Everyone had a good time and the sharing of the Riccian Spirit will continue for many, many generations to come.
Some 600 Skyers alumni demonstrated Simon KY Lee Hall cheers at the Asia World Expo to bid farewell to Dr Max Hui-Bon-Hoa 黃元林 on his retirement.

Their dearest, all-time favourite Lee Hall Warden, Dr Max, retired in January 2012. To commemorate this special occasion, over 600 Lee Hall alumni and their family members gathered together and enjoyed a very high-spirited High Table to say goodbye to Dr Max.

Simon KY Lee Hall hallmates (or Skyers) are famous for their hall spirit – “Active and Sincere.” The key man behind this hall spirit is Dr Max who always demonstrates passion and enthusiasm with his warm and friendly smile.

Dr Max served Lee Hall for 25 years – inspiring our lives and walking with us as a mentor. He has dedicated both his time and financial support to the Hall. He has written no less than 500 reference letters for Skyers of different generations to help them kick-start their careers. He has subsidised current hallmates with empty pockets to take part in overseas exchange programmes. Most of all, he does these all with passion and sincerity.

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Passion and fun filled the entire High Table. The Dinner reached its climax when Skyers of different generations together demonstrated the traditional cheers of Lee Hall, as well as the floor cheers of each eight floors on stage. Even though they graduated many years ago, older Skyers still remembered the cheers and the hall song, and demonstrated them with the same power and unity.

Dr Ken Ng 吳子傑 (BDS 1999) was elected the Chairman of the SKY Lee Hall Alumni Association during the Dinner. He wishes to enhance and sustain the spirit of activity and sincerity in society, and decided to reinvent the mentorship programme and make it more attractive.

Please stay tuned for more details of upcoming Hall events at Facebook: Simon KY Lee Hall – information group.

Our bonds are still solid and always solid.

**Coming:**

High Table
November 4, 2012
Loke Yew Hall

[http://leehallalumni.com](http://leehallalumni.com)