



Class of 2003

2,149 postgraduate degrees (193 at doctoral level and 1,956 at master level), and **3,036** bachelor degrees were awarded at the 168th Congregation 2003.

This "Class of 2003" board with the Vice-Chancellor's image was displayed on campus.



"Graduation comes with mixed feelings. On one hand, we are very eager to begin a new journey. But on the other hand, we are saddened by leaving those with whom we have been through so many ups and downs and from whom we have learnt so much. HKU, thank you for giving us the wisdom and courage to climb higher."

Patricia Cheng 鄭愛晶 (BSocSc 2003)
Idy Yeung 楊詠欣 (BA 2003)
Gordon Wong 王駿濱 (MBBS 2003)
(from left)



"HKU has given me an excellent learning environment in terms of intellectual insights and integrity development. Academically speaking, I have gained a broader perspective understanding of the formation and dynamics of our human world, especially the way people live, negotiate or interact in a particular context or community, in terms of its historical, political and cultural interests. During my years in HKU, I gained a very wide range of rewarding experiences, including exchange study, institute participation, scholarships and fieldtrips to different parts of the world.

I am very proud of becoming a HKU alumni and appreciate that HKU has given me so much. Here may I once again say THANK YOU!"

Kitty Chan 陳雪麗 (BA 2003)

「我每次走出論文導師房間都覺得『不是味兒』……我都管近萬人（員工），卻給導師不斷說我的論文做法不好！」東華三院前主席周振基八年前開始攻讀香港大學經濟及工商管理博士課程，在商場和社會服務方面都應付自如的他，直言幾度有意放棄修讀，同屆的同學也有一半中途退學。「這個是我的夢想！」憑著這個信念，加上他個人的時間管理技巧，他終於在去年畢業，獲頒博士銜頭。

節錄自《星島》(二零零四年一月十二日)

Stephen Chow 周振基 (PhD 2003)



Have you got your Cardholder yet?

This specially designed leather cardholder is a souvenir for the Class of 2003, sponsored by a HKU Mentor, Mr Stephen Chow 周崑. Each member of the Class can get one when a donation of any amount is made to HKU.

It is hoped that the Fund will grow in years in the name of 'Class of 2003'.

www.hku.hk/alumni/class2003



"I take pride in being a member of the "HKU Class of 2003". With the efforts of the Organising Committee Members from different faculties, we developed a number of initiatives. Not only did these initiatives enlighten our memories, they might even serve as models and traditions for the coming classes.

May I, on behalf of the Class take this opportunity to thank Mr Stephen Chow, our donor of the unique "Class of 2003" cardholders for his generous support. Likewise, we would like to express our deepest gratitude to Professor Lap-Chee Tsui for being the model of the



"photo-taking backdrop".

Having been educated at HKU was a life changing experience that has shaped my professional identity, and inspired me to see the world critically with different perspectives.

We, the graduates of 2003, are stepping into the society. We can anticipate that the path ahead of us will be rough. However, we shall remember that we are educated to transform problems into opportunities.

In the next step of our life journey, while building up our own careers, we are prepared to take up the social responsibilities.

We will find our place in the world and be loyal to the values that have been nurtured in our hearts. Above all, we are prepared to make a difference to the ever-changing world."

Andrew Yam 任子霽
(BA (Arch Studies) 2001; MArch 2003)

"I have left HKU for more than six months and I am now working in a securities firm. The knowledge I gained from my three-year HKU experience, both academic and "extra-curricular", provides me with the expertise and skills crucial to my career. I am so proud, and fortunate indeed, to be a HKU graduate. I want to give my sincerest thanks to HKU, and I wish all Class of 2003 graduates every success."

Simon Lie 李偉 (BEcon&Fin 2003)

"We are proud to be amongst the first batch of graduates with Bachelor of Science in Sports Science and Leisure Management!"

Hui Ying Ying 許盈盈
(BSc (SSLM))

