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## INTRODUCTION

Since its establishment in September 1990, the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies (hereafter, the Institute or HKIAPS) has been promoting and coordinating interdisciplinary studies on Hong Kong and neighbouring Asian countries and communities within the Asia-Pacific region. The Institute aims to serve as a bridge between overseas scholars in Asia-Pacific studies and teaching and research staff at The Chinese University of Hong Kong (hereafter, the Chinese University or CUHK).

The Institute supports two major types of research activities: individual projects funded by or affiliated with the Institute, and long-term interdisciplinary research programmes that constitute the backbone of the activities of the Institute. The latter activities are described at length in the following pages, while the former will be mentioned in particular segments of individual programme reports.

For additional information, the Institute's website can be accessed at the following location:

<http://www.cuhk.edu.hk/hkiaps>

## MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

It was another fruitful year of the Institute. If the preceding year was remembered for active expansion and reorganization, this year would be noted as a year of consolidation and steady growth.

The research and functional units of the Institute continued to strive for research excellence, and to serve the community, both locally and regionally, at their best capacity. While their major activities and publications are detailed in individual reports following this section, what I would like to highlight here is the commitment and initiative brought about by our colleagues for an even closer link to our Mainland counterparts. The Centre for Civil Society Studies, for example, launched a Visiting Fellows Programme for selected groups of civil society stakeholders in Mainland China to attend workshops and conduct field study in Hong Kong. The Chinese Law Programme completed projects relevant to social problems in Mainland China, with other projects focusing on the interface between the legal system of Hong Kong and that of the Mainland ongoing. Urban and Regional Development in Pacific Asia Programme continued with the working paper series on The Pan-Pearl River Delta Region, and co-organized a press conference on competitiveness of Chinese urban regions with Hong Kong and Mainland counterparts in April 2009. South China Programme, as always, provided funding to promote academic research on China studies. This year, as a new direction of the Programme, it widened the scope of study to the field of Geology, with two research projects in that field supported.

Apart from the Mainland, the Institute also enhanced its academic link with the Asia-Pacific region, and the international community at large. For instance, Centre for Social and Political Development Studies, in collaboration with the Centre of Asia Studies of The University of Hong Kong, continued with the study on the quality of life in Macao, where the study has already entered into the fifth phase. Colleagues from Social Indicators and Social Development of Hong Kong Programme also participated actively in the said Macao project, and together with its counterparts in Hong Kong and Taiwan, it co-organized a conference on social image and social indicators in last August. *Asian Economic Journal*, jointly published by the Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme of the Institute and the East Asian Economic Association of Japan, was recently accepted for coverage in the Social Science Citation Index. Its Co-Directors, Professors Liu Pak-wai and Sung Yun-wing continued to contribute to local and regional affairs in various capacities. International Relations Research Programme reached out to the international arena. It collaborated with African partners for a research on contemporary Sino-African relations, and organized several seminars and conferences fostering academic interactions among local and international scholars.

Needless to say, as a dedicated think-tank for policy makers both in the private and public sectors, the Institute engaged in numerous local research and professional activities. Gender Research Centre, as always, organized conferences, workshops, seminars and visits to promote knowledge in gender research and women's status. Publications such as "Women at the Top: Powerful Leaders Tell Us How to Combine Work and Family" and "Mainstreaming Gender in Hong Kong Society" were well-received by the public. Centre for Chinese Family Studies conducted an extensive survey in Hong Kong, which covered major

aspects of family life such as family values, spousal relationship, parenting experiences and elderly support. It co-organized a conference and a follow-up workshop on family issues with Central Policy Unit of HKSAR government and HKU Family Institute. Public Policy Research Centre, aiming at promoting public policy research in Hong Kong and the Asia-Pacific region in general, initiated research projects on heated topics such as social inequality, urban renewal projects and community of Tin Shui Wai and Sham Shui Po. Being a major tool to draw the public's attention to human well-being, the CUHK Hong Kong Quality of Life Index was updated annually by the Centre for Quality of Life of the Institute. A press conference was conducted this August to disseminate the findings to the general public and scholarly community.

With its expanded capacity to 56 telephone lines, the Telephone Survey Research Laboratory of the Institute was able to handle large-scale surveys under tight time constraints. An example was the tracking of public opinion during the Legislative Council election in September 2008. The tracking result was released to the public periodically, allowing them to get hold of accurate and timely information on this significant event. In terms of publications, our Publication Unit was busy as ever. Five research monographs, five occasional papers and one volume of the USC Seminar Series were published during the period under review.

Looking forward, I am grateful to report that, the Institute has moved one step beyond research by launching a taught Master's degree programme this September. The programme, named Master of Social Science in Global Political Economy (MGPE), is jointly organized by the Institute and the Faculty of Social Science of the Chinese University. It is a joint effort to meet the social demand for interdisciplinary knowledge on global issues, in particular, an integration of the political and economic disciplines. It also marks a significant milestone for an even greater collaboration among colleagues in the Institute and the Social Science faculty, and a platform for professional exchange among scholars and commercial elites.

On behalf of all colleagues of the Institute, I would like to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to Professor Rance Lee Pui-leung, who had been the Chairman of the Management Committee of the Institute for nineteen years, and recently retired from the Chinese University as Professor of Sociology. Being one of the founders of the Institute, Professor Lee's contribution to the establishment and development of the Institute was most crucial and indispensable. May I take this opportunity to thank him for his great leadership in all these years.

## MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

### Chairman

Prof. Rance Pui-leung LEE

Chairman of the Department of Sociology and Professor of Sociology

### Members

Prof. Fanny M. CHEUNG

Director of Gender Research Centre, HKIAPS

Chairperson of the Department of Psychology and Professor of Psychology

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Associate Director of HKIAPS

Director of Public Policy Research Centre, HKIAPS

Professor, Department of Sociology

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Professor of History

Prof. Paul S. N. LEE

Dean, Faculty of Social Science

Director of HKIAPS

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Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the Chinese University

Co-Director of the Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme, HKIAPS

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Director of Hong Kong Centre for the Development of Educational Leadership

Head of Graduate Division of Education

Director of Studies in Postgraduate Programmes in Education

Professor of Educational Administration and Policy

Prof. SUNG Yun-wing

Director of the Shanghai-Hong Kong Development Institute

Associate Director of HKIAPS

Co-Director of the Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme, HKIAPS

Chairman and Professor, Department of Economics

Prof. TANG Kwong-leung (*up to July 1, 2009*)

Associate Director of HKIAPS

Professor of Social Work

Prof. WONG Chack-kie (*from July 2, 2009*)

Associate Director of HKIAPS

Professor, Department of Social Work

Prof. WONG Tak-jun

Dean, Faculty of Business Administration

Director of Centre for Institutions and Governance

Professor of Accountancy

Prof. Timothy Ka-ying WONG

Associate Director of HKIAPS

Director of Centre for Social and Political Development Studies, HKIAPS

Research Associate Professor, HKIAPS



## STAFF

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Prof. Stephen Wing-kai CHIU

Prof. SUNG Yun-wing

Prof. TANG Kwong-leung (*up to July 1, 2009*)

Prof. WONG Chack-kie (*from July 2, 2009*)

Prof. Timothy Ka-ying WONG

### Research Centre Directors

#### *Centre for Chinese Family Studies*

Director: Prof. TING Kwok-fai

Associate Director: Prof. Vivian Wei-qun LOU (*up to January 5, 2009*)

#### *Centre for Civil Society Studies*

Director: Prof. CHAN Kin-man

Associate Directors: Prof. Anthony J. SPIRES

Prof. WONG Hung

#### *Centre for Quality of Life*

Director: Prof. Andy Cheuk-chiu KWAN (*up to January 14, 2009*)

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Associate Director: Prof. Daniel Tan-lei SHEK (*up to July 1, 2009*)

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Director: Prof. Timothy Ka-ying WONG

#### *Gender Research Centre*

Director: Prof. Fanny M. CHEUNG

Associate Director: Prof. YIP Hon-ming

#### *Public Policy Research Centre*

Director: Prof. Stephen Wing-kai CHIU

Associate Director: Prof. Wilson Wai-ho WONG

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### *Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme*

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### *Social Indicators and Social Development of Hong Kong Programme*

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### *South China Programme*

Director: Prof. Paul S. N. LEE

### *Urban and Regional Development in Pacific Asia Programme*

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## Research Professors

### *Research Associate Professor*

Prof. Timothy Ka-ying WONG

### *Research Assistant Professors*

Prof. Stephen Chi-kin LAW (*from February 2, 2009*)  
Prof. Simon Xu-hui SHEN  
Prof. Bryan Pak-nung WONG (*from August 4, 2008*)  
Prof. YANG Chun

## Research Fellows

### *Honorary Senior Research Fellows*

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Prof. HSIAO Hsin-huang  
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Mr. Richard Ka-chung WONG

Mr. Cody Wai-kwok YAU

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***P/T Project Officer***

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Ms. Iris MOK (*Clerk I*)

Ms. SZETO Mei-wah (*Clerk I*)

## Profiles of the Senior Staff

### CHAN Kin-man 陳健民

Prof. Kin-man Chan received his Ph.D. from Yale University and is currently Associate Professor in the Department of Sociology, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK). Since February 2008, Prof. Chan has been serving as Director of Centre for Civil Society Studies at Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK. His research interests cover civil society and democratization in Mainland China and Hong Kong. He serves also as a visiting Professor of Sociology, and Chair of Board of Directors, Institute for Civil Society in Sun Yat-sen (Zhongshan) University of Guangzhou. He is Academic Advisor of China Charity and Donation Information Center in Beijing, Trustee of NPO Research Center at Renmin University, Advisor of Beijing Western Sunshine Rural Development Foundation, and Editorial Advisor of *Third Sector Review* in Taiwan. In Hong Kong, he was member of Community Research Committee of the ICAC, member of Committee for Promoting Acceptance of People Living with HIV/AIDS, Hong Kong Advisory Council on AIDS, Part-time Member of Central Policy Unit, founding member of Hong Kong Democratic Development Network (DDN) and is currently member of Chief Executive Election Committee (Higher Education sub-sector).

### Fanny M. CHEUNG 張妙清

Prof. Cheung, (Ph.D. Minnesota), Director of the Gender Research Centre, established the Gender Research Programme at CUHK in 1985. When she was Dean of the Faculty of Social Science in 1995-1996, she initiated the Gender Studies Programme. An active advocate for women's development in the community and a recognized women's leader in the Asia-Pacific region, she served as the founding chairperson of Hong Kong's Equal Opportunities Commission from 1996-1999. Her research interests in gender issues include gender roles, violence against women, women's leadership and gender equality. Other research interests in psychology include personality assessment and cross-cultural psychopathology. Her recent books on gender include *Women at the Top: Powerful Leaders Tell Us How to Combine Work and Family* (Wiley-Blackwell, 2008; Chinese translation by Joint Publishing HK, 2009) and *Mainstreaming Gender in Hong Kong Society* (Chinese University Press, 2009).

### Stephen Wing-kai CHIU 趙永佳

Prof. Chiu got his doctorate from Princeton University and is currently Professor and Deputy Chair in the Sociology Department, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. His research interests include development studies, industrial relations, social movements and the comparative study of East Asian societies. He has published widely in international journals and has also written three co-authored books: *East Asia and the World Economy* (1995, Newbury Park: Sage), *City-States in the Global Economy: The Industrial Restructuring of Hong Kong and Singapore* (1997, Boulder: Westview), and *Hong Kong: Becoming a Chinese Global City* (1997, London: Routledge). Active in the Liberal Studies community in the secondary school sector, he has been the coordinator of the Support Programme on the Teaching and Learning of Liberal Studies, Sociology Department, CUHK since its inception in 1997 and is also the Chair of the CDC-HKEAA Committee on Liberal Studies (Senior Secondary). He had also served as the Part-time Member of the Central Policy Unit, HKSAR Government and had been a member of the Strategic Development Commission, HKSAR Government.

### **Andy Cheuk-chiu KWAN 關焯照**

Before his leave in January 2009, Prof. Kwan was the Associate Professor of the Economics Department of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, and the Director of the Centre for Quality of Life which was established in 2006. Prof. Kwan is one of the authoritative researchers in the field of consumer confidence. He is in charge of the Quarterly Survey of Consumer Sentiment which aims to provide policy makers, economists and business managers with important and timely information on the short-term economic trend of Hong Kong. In public service, he was a member of the Business and Professionals Federation of Hong Kong (1998-1999) and a member of the Public Policy Forum (2005-2006). He is frequently interviewed by local and foreign press on economic issues.

### **Stephen Chi-kin LAW 羅智健**

Prof. Chi-kin Law is by training a health economist, and is conducting research studies on the disease burden analysis and economic evaluation for public health intervention strategies in Hong Kong. Before joining the Institute, he was a postdoctoral fellow of the Centre for Suicide Research and Prevention of The University of Hong Kong to evaluate the social cost of suicides and to examine the efficacy of restricting the access to means for preventing suicides in Hong Kong. Apart from suicide research, he has actively participated on social policy research in examining how changes in population health would affect the need of long-term care for elderly. Recently, he worked as a consultant for the Elderly Commission of the Government to study the feasibility of some policy initiatives for frail elderly in Hong Kong. His publications appear in *Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology*, *Journal of Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention*, *Journal of Affective Disorders*, *Bulletin of World Health Organization*, *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health*, *International Journal of Health Planning and Management* and *Hong Kong Medical Journal*. He is presently the convener of the organizing committee of the international conference on healthcare reform for the Institute. The conference is one of the major academic activities for celebrating the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Institute, which aims to examine how countries in Asia-Pacific learn Western models of healthcare reform, financing models and strategies for meeting the difficulties ahead and compares the experiences of successes and challenges of different countries throughout the region.

### **Paul S. N. LEE 李少南**

Prof. Paul S. N. Lee is Dean of Social Science and Professor of the School of Journalism and Communication at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He received his doctorate in Communication from the University of Michigan. His research interests include international communication, information and communication technologies, and telecommunications policy. He is author of *International Communication* (1994, in Chinese), editor of *Telecommunications and Development in China* (1997), *Hong Kong Media in the New Millennium* (2003 in Chinese) and co-editor of *TV Without Borders: Asia Speaks Out* (1998, with Anura Goonasekera), *Impact and Issues in New Media: Toward Intelligent Societies* (2004, with Louis Leung and Clement Y.K. So), and *Global Trends in Communication Education and Research* (2006, with Kenneth W.Y. Leung and James Kenny). His publications are also seen in *Journal of Communication*, *Media, Culture and Society*, *Gazette*, *Asian Journal of Communication*, *Australian Journalism Review*, *Telecommunications Policy*, and *Telematics & Informatics*.

**LIU Pak-wai 廖柏偉**

Prof. Liu is currently Professor of Economics of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, and Co-Director of the Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He is Vice President of the EAEA since 2009, and member of Management Committee of Hong Kong Institute of Economic and Business Strategy (2002-present). In public service, he serves as Director of the Hong Kong Institute for Monetary Research (2003-present), and Non-Executive Director of Securities and Futures Commission (2005-present). He is a member of a number of advisory committees, including Provisional Minimum Wage Commission (2009-present), Independent Commission on Remuneration for Members of the Executive Council and the Legislature, and Officials under the Political Appointment System of the HKSAR (2008-present), Independent Commission on Remuneration for Members of the District Councils of the HKSAR (2007-present), Aviation Development Advisory Committee (2005-present) and Commission on Strategic Development (2005-present). His research interests cover the areas of applied theory, labour market and employment, and the Hong Kong economy. Besides a continuing interest in economic theory, Professor Liu is interested in the empirical aspects of economics.

**Vivian Wei-qun LOU 樓瑋群**

Before her leave in January 2009, Prof. Lou Vivian W. Q. was the Assistant Professor at the Department of Social Work, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Associate Director, Centre for Chinese Family Studies, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Dr. Lou received her BEd (Psychology) and MEd (Psychology) from the East China Normal University; and obtained her Master of Social Work (M.S.W.) and PhD (Social Work) from The University of Hong Kong. Dr. Lou's research interests focus on aging and mental health of women and older adult. She also has a keen interest in practice research on factors that contribute to the enhancement of mental health status. She recently published articles in *Family Process*, *Research on Social Work Practice*, *Aging and Mental Health*, and *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*. Dr. Lou is presently a member of Society for Social Work Research, Hong Kong Social Workers Association, Hong Kong Association of Gerontology, and an international affiliate of American Psychological Association.

**NG Sai-leung 伍世良**

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### Daniel Tan-lei SHEK 石丹理

Before his leave in July 2009, Prof. Daniel T. L. Shek (PhD., FHKPS, BBS, JP) was Professor in the Department of Social Work at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He was also the Associate Director of the Centre for Quality of Life, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies and Associate Director of Social Welfare Practice and Research Centre, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He is Advisory Professor of East China Normal University, Honorary Professor of Kiang Wu Nursing College of Macau and Fellow of the Hong Kong Psychological Society. Daniel Shek is Chief Editor of *Journal of Youth Studies*, Consulting Editor of *Journal of Clinical Psychology*, an international consultant of *American Journal of Family Therapy*, and a member of the editorial boards of several international refereed journals, including *Social Indicators Research*, *International Journal of Adolescent Medicine and Health*, *Child Health and Human Development*, *International Journal on Disability and Human Development*, and *Asian Journal of Counseling*. He has to date published 45 books, 74 book chapters, and more than 250 articles in international refereed journals. He has served in many government advisory bodies, including Action Committee against Narcotics, Commission on Youth, Fight Crime Committee, Women's Commission, and Independent Police Complaints Council.

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### Simon Xu-hui SHEN 沈旭暉

Prof. Shen is currently Research Assistant Professor and Director of the International Relations Research Programme of The Chinese University of Hong Kong's Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies. He received his DPhil degree in politics and international relations from University of Oxford, and a joint MA (political science) and BA (political science and history) degree from Yale University. Contributed to journals such as *Asian Survey*, *Pacific Affairs*, *Pacific Review*, *Asian Perspective*, *East Asia*, *Journal of Chinese Political Science* and *Journal of East Asian History*, Shen's research interests include Sino-US relations, Chinese nationalism, anti-terrorism, external relations of Hong Kong and globalization. His latest book is *Redefining Nationalism in Modern China: Sino-American Relations and the Emergence of Chinese Public*



*Opinions in the 21st Century* (London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2007). He is also the founder of the Roundtable Social Science Research Network in Hong Kong.

### **Anthony J. SPIRES 安子杰**

Prof. Anthony J. Spires serves as Associate Director of the Centre for Civil Society Studies. Originally from the USA, Prof. Spires earned his PhD in Sociology from Yale University. His main interests are in the development of civil society in China, particularly Chinese grassroots NGOs, as well as philanthropy and globalization. His previous work analyzed the political survival strategies of grassroots NGOs, their internal decision-making practices, and the influence of foreign funding and ideas on Chinese civil society. Currently his research is geared towards developing a broader understanding of foreign aid and philanthropy to China.

### **SUNG Yun-wing 宋恩榮**

Prof. Sung is currently Professor and Chairman of the Economics Department of The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He is Director of the Shanghai-Hong Kong Development Institute, Associate Director of the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, and also Co-Director of the Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme of the same Institute at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He is Director of the East Asian Economic Association since 2009, Editor of the *Asian Economic Journal* (2001-08), Corresponding Editor (Hong Kong) of the *Asian-Pacific Economic Literature* (1987-present), member of the Editorial Board of *The China Review* (2000-present), and member of the Academic Committee of *China Economic Journal* (2008-present). He is a member of the Board of the Hong Kong and Macau Research Centre of the Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences (2006-present), and Academic Committee of the Research Base on the International Competitiveness of the Chinese Economy of the Fudan University (2005-present). In public service, he is Chairman of the Hong Kong Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation (2008-present), Governor of the Savantas Policy Institute (2006-present), and a member of the China Trade Advisory Committee of the Hong Kong Trade Development Council (2009-present). His research interests cover international trade and economic development in China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan. He has authored 9 books, edited 5 books, and published numerous articles in the area.

### **TANG Kwong-leung 鄧廣良**

Before his leave in July 2009, Prof. Kwong-leung Tang was Professor of Social Work at the Department of Social Work and Associate Director of the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He was the Chair and Professor of Social Work at the University of Northern British Columbia in Canada. He has published numerous journal papers and research reports on the issues of social policy, Asian welfare and poverty. He is the recent co-editor of *Social Security, the Economy and Development* (Palgrave, 2008) which provides the first systematic analysis of the relationship between social security and economic development. He is the author of *Social Welfare Development in East Asia* (Macmillan & St Martin's Press, 2001), and a co-editor of the two volume set entitled *National Perspectives on Globalization* and *Regional Perspectives on Globalization* (Palgrave, 2007). His academic and research interests include East Asian social policy, law and social policy, welfare reform, child poverty and social development. He received his PhD degree in social welfare from the University of California at Berkeley in 1993. He held a law degree from the University of Cambridge and was called to the Bar in England and Hong Kong.

**TING Kwok-fai 丁國輝**

Prof. Ting graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1990 with a Ph.D. in sociology. He joined CUHK in 1994. His major research interests include family studies, social stratification, and research methodology. He analyzes social changes with longitudinal survey data from the life-course perspective. His publications appear in *Journal of Marriage and Family*, *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, *International Migration Review*, *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, *Journal of Educational Psychology*, *Sociological Methodology*, *Psychological Methods*, and *Multivariate Behavior Research*.

**WAN Po-san 尹寶珊**

Ms Wan received her BSSc and MPhil in sociology from CUHK. She is experienced in conducting sample surveys and in research in the field of Hong Kong studies. Her major research interests are the status of women and the state of the environment. Other interests include gender issues, the quality of life, social problems, and patterns of social change in Hong Kong. She is responsible for the Institute's publications and is Director of the Social Indicators and Social Development of Hong Kong Research Programme.

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**Bryan Pak-nung WONG 黃伯農**

Since 2002, Prof. Bryan Pak-nung Wong (D.Phil, *Oxford*) has specialized on Philippine political development and comparative politics in Southeast Asia. Mainly collaborating with the state and societal actors, he conducted applied field research in order to enhance effective governance and formulate non-zero-sum security resolutions. His doctoral dissertation *Technologies of the Strong: State-building in a Northeastern Philippine Frontier* (2006) was an ethnographic attempt of constructive engagement with the grassroots, the Catholic Church, the Chinese business circle and the state delegates in the Cagayan Valley. While he is now revising it into a book manuscript and conducting preliminary fieldwork in Thailand, he is also exploring research opportunity in the increasingly important China-Hong-Kong-Southeast-Asia nexuses, especially China and ASEAN signed the free trade agreement in 2002. His academic interests fall into the broader domain of critical political economy of crime, conflict, security and development. He published in *The Journal of Comparative Asian Development* (2006), *Asian Journal of Political Science* (2008) and *Philippine Political Science Journal* (2009). A research monograph *In Search of the State-in-Society: Re-Conceiving Philippine Political Development, 1946-2002* was recently published by VDM Verlag Dr. Müller Aktiengesellschaft & Co. KG.

**WONG Chack-kie 王卓祺**

Prof. Chack-kie Wong is Professor in the Social Work Department at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. His research interests and publications are in the areas of comparative social policy, welfare attitudes, poverty, and welfare reform issues. He published substantially in scholarly journals and edited volumes; his recent publications include *China's Urban Health Care Reform* (Lexington, 2006, author), *East Asian Welfare Regimes in Transition* (Policy Press, 2005, editor), *The Relationship between Social Policy and Economic Policy: Constructing the Public Burden of Welfare in China and the West*, *Development and Society*, 2009, author. Besides his academic work, he also volunteers in community and public services; he was formerly a vice-chairman of the Hong Kong Awards for Young People and a part-time member of the Central Policy Unit, the Hong Kong SAR Government and currently a Hong Kong member of Chongqing Committee of the People's Political Consultative Conference, People Republic of China. He received a medal of honor in 2008 from the SAR Hong Kong Government for his advice on those issues related to the livelihood of the low-income people.

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**YANG Chun 楊春**

Prof. Yang joined the Institute in August 2008. She is the Associate Director of Urban and Regional Development in Pacific Asia Research Programme of the Institute. Prof. Yang received her BSc and MSc (Economic Geography and Urban Planning) from Sun Yat-Sen University in Guangzhou, China and obtained her PhD (Urban and Regional Geography) from The University of Hong Kong. She was invited as a visiting scholar at the Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies at Harvard University and University of Utah in 2008. Prof. Yang's research interests focus on urban and regional development in China, economic geography, foreign investment especially overseas Chinese investment from Hong Kong and Taiwan, industrial clusters and innovation in the Pearl River Delta and Yangtze River Delta, cross-border regional integration and governance of the Hong Kong-Pearl River Delta mega-city region, etc. She has published extensively in international peer-reviewed journals, e.g. *Regional Studies*, *Annals of Regional Science*, *Tidschrift voor Economische en Sociale Geografie (Journal of Economic and Social Geography)*, *Economic Geography*, *Environment and Planning A*, *Political Geography*, *Urban Studies*, *Eurasian Geography and Economics*, *Habitat International*, *International Development Planning Review*, and *Issues & Studies*, etc.

**YIP Hon-ming 葉漢明**

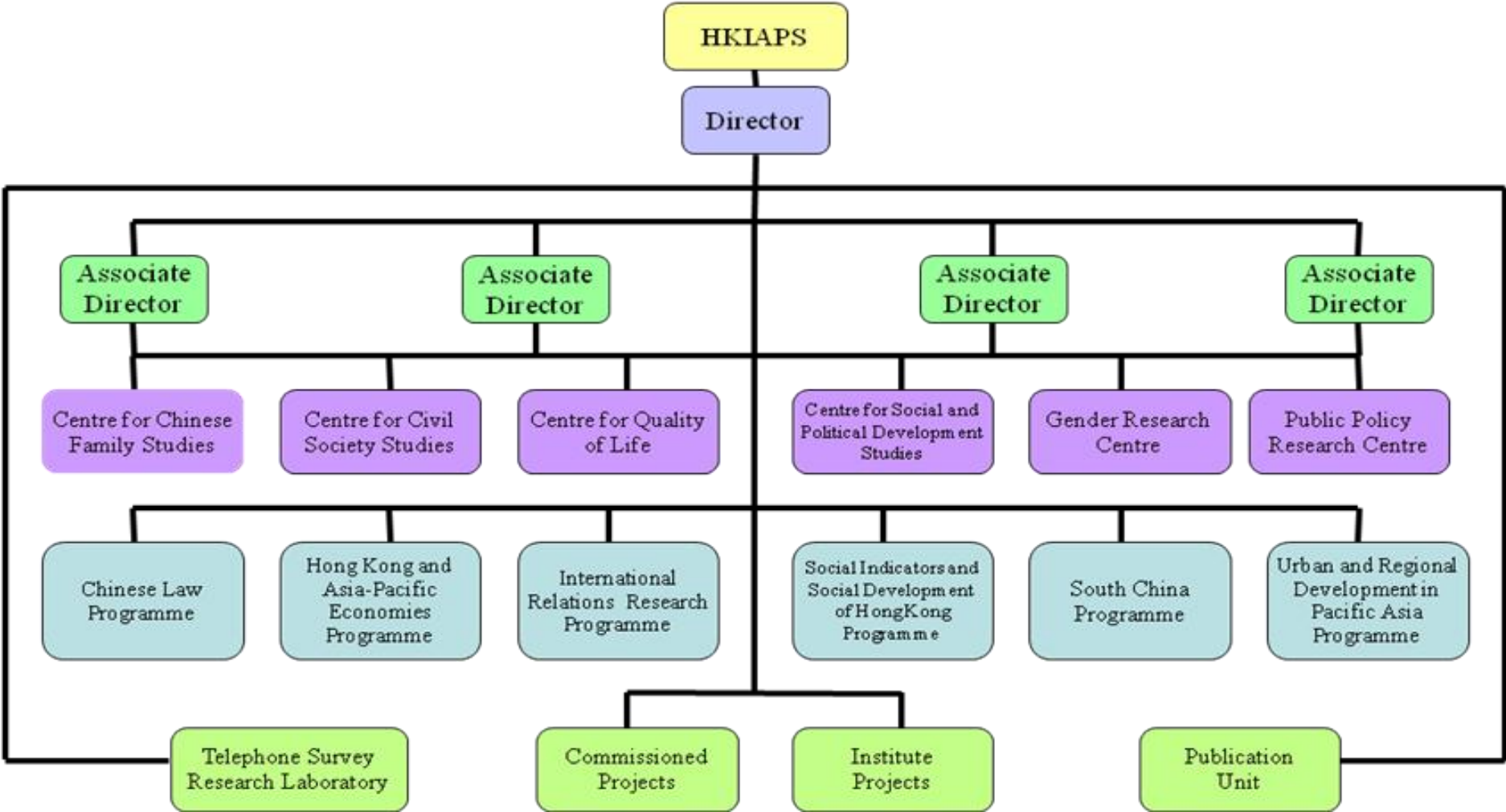
Prof. Yip (Ph.D., University of California, Los Angeles), Associate Director of the Gender Research Centre, has published on gender/women's history, the history of the overseas Chinese, modern and contemporary Chinese socio-economic history, the local history of north and south China, and Hong Kong-China relations and overseas networks. As a member of the Association for the Advancement of Feminism, the Hong Kong Women Christian Council and other community organizations, she considers the coordination of teaching, research and social practice one of the greatest challenges for her at present. Taking power in history as her focal point of reflection in recent years, she is interested in exploring the historical contexts of developments and changes in the operation of power in human society. She is also interested in ways of exposing the historical roots of human manipulation and resistance in daily life. Related issues include marginalization and subordination, and subversion and struggle in the fields of gender, class and ethnicity. She is the author of *Zhuti de zhuixun: Zhongguo funu shi yanjiu* (In search of subjectivities: Historical studies of Chinese women), *Donghua yizhuang yu huanqiu cishan wangluo: Dangan wenxian ziliao de yinzheng yu qishi* (The Tung Wah Coffin Home and global charity network: Evidence and findings from archival materials), etc. and co-author of other books.

**YU Xingzhong 於興中**

Prof. Yu obtained a BA in English Literature from Lanzhou University in China, and an LLM (Master of Laws) and SJD (Doctor of Juridical Science) from the Harvard Law School. He teaches Chinese law, constitutional law and jurisprudence at the School of Law. He has been the Director of the Chinese Law Programme since March 2003. He has previously served as an Associate (Chinese Legal Specialist) with the Chicago office of Baker & McKenzie (November 1995 – February 1998), a Lecturer on law at the Harvard Law School (September-December 1999), a Senior Research Fellow in East Asian Legal Studies, Harvard Law School (1998-1999) and a Visiting Professor at Harvard Law School (September – December 2006). He was also a Visiting Professor at Beijing University's Department of Law (Spring 1998), a Visiting Scholar at Columbia Law School (1988-1990) and a Visiting Fellow at the Australian National University

(1984-1986). His research interests include social and political theory, cultural studies of law, jurisprudence, constitutional and administrative law, comparative law, Chinese legal history, and PRC law. He is the author of *Rule of Law and Civil Orders* and has contributed to various journals and book projects.

# ORGANIZATION CHART





## RESEARCH CENTRES

### Centre for Chinese Family Studies

Director: **Prof. TING Kwok-fai**

Associate Director: **Prof. Vivian Wei-qun LOU** (*up to January 5, 2009*)

#### *Objectives*

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The Centre is a cross-disciplinary research organization for family studies in Chinese societies. Our goal is to establish a platform for promoting empirical research and intellectual exchanges among family scholars. One of our missions is to disseminate research data to facilitate family research through resource sharing. Currently, the Centre is working with Peking University and Fudan University to launch a comparative family survey in three Chinese cities: Hong Kong, Beijing and Shanghai. These surveys document major aspects of family life and the course of family changes in the context of rapid social transformations in Chinese societies. A data archive will be established to disseminate the survey data to all interested family scholars and to inform the public and policy makers on pressing family issues.

#### *Research Activities*

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##### **Surveys and Case Study**

- A survey covering 1,200 families in Hong Kong has been launched in 2009. This survey covers major aspects of family life, including family values, spousal relationship, parenting experiences, and elderly support.
- A family survey has been carried out in Beijing and is expected to conclude by the end of this year.
- The Centre completed an in-depth case study of 27 families on 44 subjects between May and June 2009. The research theme was on intergenerational relationship within family, with special attention on elderly support.

##### **Conference and Workshop**

- The Centre co-organized a conference on “Strengthening Hong Kong’s Families” with Central Policy Unit of the HKSAR government and HKU Family Institute on 3 December 2008. The conference, officiated by the Chief Secretary for Administration of the HKSAR, focused on a holistic approach toward family policies.

- The Centre co-organized a follow up workshop on 'Family Perspectives: Policy and Service Implications' with Central Policy Unit of the HKSAR government and HKU Family Institute on 27 February 2009 to discuss the integration of family perspectives in social policies.
- The Centre organized a workshop on "Inter-generational Relationship in Families" between 18 May and 12 June to train a group of students on research skills in studying family relationships.

### **Research Grants**

- Professors Kwok-fai Ting and Susanna Choi obtained a research grant of HK\$178,250 from Central Policy Unit of the HKSAR government for the project "A Study on the Meanings and Practices of Filial Piety in the Adult Child-Parent Relationships in Hong Kong" in April 2009.
- Professors Vivian Wei-qun Lou, Shi-xun Gui, Chi-wai Kwan, Kwok-fai Ting obtained a research grant of HK\$642,000 from University Grant Committee on "Family Caregivers for the Frail and Very Elderly: Well-being and Needs in Hong Kong and Shanghai" in June 2009.



## Centre for Civil Society Studies

Director: **Prof. CHAN Kin-man**  
Associate Directors: **Prof. Anthony J. SPIRES**  
**Prof. WONG Hung**

### *Background*

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The Centre for Civil Society Studies was established in February 2008 under Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies at CUHK. This report will introduce our Centre and the activities held from Sep 2008 to Aug 2009.

### *Objectives*

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The mission of the Centre is to enhance the development of civil society in Chinese societies through research and education. In particular, our Centre has four objectives:

1. To provide support for conducting academic and consultancy research on civil society in Chinese societies, including Mainland China, Hong Kong, Taiwan and Macau;
2. To promote public awareness and disseminate advanced knowledge of civil society through educational programs and other academic activities;
3. To facilitate cooperation across sectors by building a network of academic institutes, governments, business and NGOs in the region;
4. To enhance innovation in public policy making by promoting the importance of civil society in good governance.

### *Advisors and Members*

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Renowned scholars such as Juan Linz of Yale University, Helmut Anheier of UCLA, Ambrose King, former Vice-Chancellor of CUHK, Kuan Hsin Chi of CUHK, Chiang Min Hsiu of National Central University of Taiwan, and Joseph C. W. Chan of University of Hong Kong as well as local NGO leaders such as Chua Hoi Wai of Hong Kong Council of Social Services, and Herman To of Habitat for Humanity (China) have served as Advisors for the Centre.

Prof. Chan Kin Man of Sociology has served as Director of the Centre while Prof. Wong Hung of Social Work and Prof. Anthony Spires of Sociology have served as Associate Directors. Together with Prof. Tao Lin of Sociology, these four members constituted the Executive Committee responsible for all the major decisions of the Centre. Internal members of the Centre include Prof. Paul S. N. Lee of Journalism and Communications, Prof. Lam Kin

Chi of Geography and Resources Management, Prof. Wu Fengshi, Prof. Ma Ngok, Prof. Li Lianjiang, Prof. Ng Kai Hon and Mr. Choy Chi Keung of Government and Public Administration, Prof. Eva Pils and Prof. Amy Barrow of Law School, Prof. Lam Ching Man of Social Work, Prof. Kim Jee Young and Dr. Lee King Wah of Sociology, Dr. Wu Keping and Dr. Wang Danning of Anthropology. External members include Prof. He Jianyu of Tsinghua University, Prof. Zhu Jiangang of Sun Yat-sen University, Prof. Chen Hon Fai of Macau University, Dr. Terence Yuen of City University of Hong Kong and Dr. Cao Fei Lian of Beijing University of Technology.

The Centre has recruited 5 staff, including an administrative team (Wang Yong, Donna Cheung and Lam Ping Cheong) and two research assistants (Xia Xun Xiang and Ting Wang Leung), and is in the process of recruiting more supporting staff.

### *Research - Construction of Civil Society Database*

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Four datasets will be constructed in the Centre that will facilitate researchers as well as philanthropic organizations to understand Chinese civil society with systematic data.

1. **Official Records:** the Centre has been negotiating with China Charity and Donation Information Center, a research arm of Ministry of Civil Affairs, to construct a Charity Index that measures the charity and volunteer activities in different regions of China.
2. **Survey Data:** public opinion polls (via telephone interviews) of major Chinese cities will be conducted to tap people's ideas of civil society and citizenship. The Centre has been negotiating with some research institutes in Guangzhou and Taiwan concerning this project.
3. **Collective Action Database:** the Centre has been creating a database by documenting all the reports of protests and collective violence occurred in Mainland China in the media.
4. **NGO Archives:** many grass-root NGOs in Mainland China are not registered and cannot be studied by survey research using random sampling methods. In view of this, the Centre has been building a "case bank" of these groups by collaborating with Tsinghua University, Sun Yat-sen University and NGOCN in Kunming. Three research assistants in Mainland have been hired to collect in-depth information from these groups.
5. **Consultancy:** many donators/foundations and some government departments are in the need of experts' evaluation on their projects. In order to meet this quickly increasing need, the Centre has begun to conduct evaluation studies and provided our independent professional opinions. These evaluation experience and reports will be documented as the consultancy database.
6. **Civil Society and Political Development:** This research project concerns political recruitment and grooming of political talent in Hong Kong. It focuses on three current venues of political recruitment: District Councils, political parties and think tanks. It will explore to what extent are the above three venue effective in terms of providing

future political leaders with skills and experience they require. Also this research will suggest reforms in areas such as political party development, district administration and policy research that might facilitate the training of future political leaders, which is crucial for the long-term democratic development of Hong Kong.

### ***Education - Southern China Visiting Fellows Program for Civil Society Stakeholders***

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The Centre has launched a visiting fellow program for selected groups of civil society stakeholders in Mainland China to attend workshops, seminars and conduct field study in Hong Kong. Specifically, the proposed visitor program has three objectives:

1. To provide opportunities for stakeholders of civil society in China to learn the cutting edge development of civil society in promoting social innovation and good governance;
2. To help these stakeholders gain first-hand experience in NPO management;
3. To create a network of civil society stakeholders within and outside the government in China.

Three strategic groups of participants are invited to join the program. They include the senior staff of “civil society support organizations” such as volunteer training institute, officials in Civil Affairs departments and other related authorities, as well as scholars involved in teaching and research of civil society/social welfare. From Sep 2008 to Aug 2009, the Centre hosted 22 visitors, and over a period of two years, the Centre plans to host 48 visiting fellows. The period of each visit lasts from two to four weeks. Visiting fellows will attend workshops, seminars, site visiting and short-term internship as well as conduct independent research.



## *Seminars*

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The Centre has organized 27 seminars or Civil Society Salons, some of which were co-organized with Universities Service Centre for China Studies. The seminars covered a wide range of topics from NGO practices to civil society theories and were able to arouse heated discussion among the audience who were usually students, scholars and NGO leaders.



## *Service and Policy Advice*

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The Centre was invited by the Wenchuan Earthquake Taskforce, a think-tank for the Chinese authorities responsible for matters related to the earthquake happened in May 12, 2008, to produce a report on the roles of NGOs during the relief and reconstruction process. The Centre has also been assisting the taskforce by monitoring overseas news reports on the earthquake and related relief work.

## *Funding*

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The Centre has received HK\$2 millions from the University as a project in the Chinese Studies as Major Area (CSMA) for a period of three years to construct the database. The Centre has also been granted US\$200,000 for a period of two years to support the visiting fellow programme, and is building up collaboration with more granters.

## **Publications**

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### **Book Chapters:**

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### **Journal Articles:**

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## Centre for Quality of Life

Director: **Prof. Andy Cheuk-chiu KWAN** (*up to January 14, 2009*)  
**Prof. NG Sai-leung**  
Associate Director: **Prof. Daniel Tan-lei SHEK** (*up to July 1, 2009*)

### *Objectives*

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The Programme was designed to promote scholarly research on issues of quality of life in the world in general and Hong Kong in particular through cross-disciplinary research, academic exchange activities, and cross-institutional collaboration. Besides, the Centre is committed to produce knowledge on quality of life that contributes to social service development, policy formulations and promotion of the quality of life of people in Hong Kong.

### *Committee*

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Members of the Committee included Prof. Ng Sai-leung (Director), Prof. Paul Lee (Dean of Faculty of Social Science), Prof. Andy Kwan (up to January 2009), Prof. Daniel Shek (up to July 2009), Prof. Sunny Kwong, Prof. Ma Ngok, Prof. Ng Kai-hon, Prof. Winnie Mak, Prof. Ting Kwok-fai and Prof. Tsou Jin-yeu.

### *Research Activities*

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The major research activity of the Centre during the year was to update the CUHK Hong Kong Quality of Life Index (QoL Index). Incorporating the effort and expertise of faculty members from different disciplines, the Faculty of Social Science has compiled a composite index named "CUHK Hong Kong Quality of Life Index" (QoL Index) since 2002. Starting from the year of 2003, the Index is updated and released annually.

The QoL Index is developed to address the following objectives:

- (1) To measure and monitor the quality of life in Hong Kong in the 21<sup>st</sup> century;
- (2) To engage relevant parties in promoting the quality of life in Hong Kong;
- (3) To provide policy-makers and the community with useful statistics on the quality of life in Hong Kong; and
- (4) To advocate the quality of life in Hong Kong and draw public attention to the issue of quality of life.



The Hong Kong Quality of Life Index is a composite index. It consists of 21 indicators that are grouped into three subgroups, including Social, Economic and Environmental sub-indexes. Among the 21 indicators, six are compiled by the Centre, based on data collected by surveys conducted by the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies of the University. These indicators are stress index, general life satisfaction index, press freedom index, press criticism index, government performance index and index of current economic conditions. All other indices are obtained from the government and related institutions.

A theme research comprising three sub-projects funded by the Direct Grant, Social Science Panel, The Chinese University of Hong Kong was conducted to collect the data for the CUHK Quality of Life Index 2008. The sub-projects included: a) CUHK Hong Kong Quality of Life Index - Socio-Cultural Sub-index; b) CUHK Hong Kong Quality of Life Index - Economic Sub-index; and c) CUHK Hong Kong Quality of Life Index - Environmental Sub-index.

A survey was conducted in September 2008 to collect data on the four indicators of the Socio-Cultural Sub-index, viz. stress index, general life satisfaction index, press freedom index, and government performance index.

In addition, the following four surveys were conducted to gauge public attitudes towards Hong Kong's economic conditions:

- Survey on "Public Attitudes towards Economic Conditions" (September 2008)
- Survey on "Public Attitudes towards Economic Conditions" (December 2008)
- Survey on "Public Attitudes towards Economic Conditions" (March 2009)
- Survey on "Public Attitudes towards Economic Conditions" (June 2009)

### *Press Conference*

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A press conference was held on 19 August 2008 to disseminate the findings on the CUHK QoL Index 2007 to the general public and scholarly community. Reporters from 20 media organizations attended the press conference.

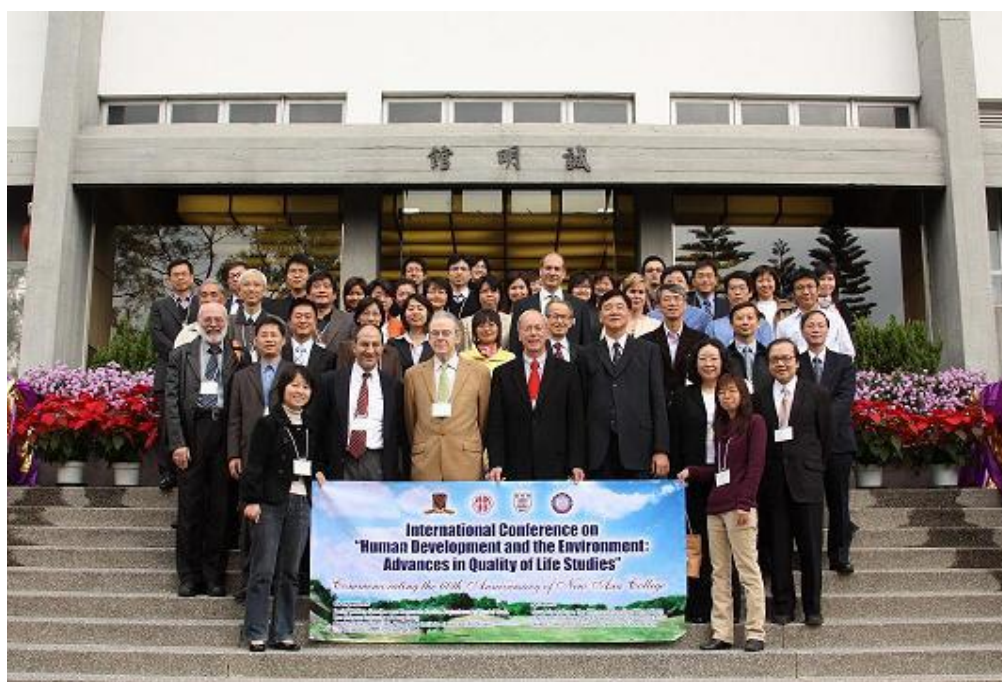


## *International Conference*

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An international conference on “Human Development and the Environment: Advances in Quality of Life Studies” was held on 12 and 13 December 2008. The conference, co-organized with the Social Welfare Practice and Research Centre, Department of Social Work, is a continuation of the effort to pull together research studies on quality of life in the Chinese, Western and global contexts (Shek, Chan & Lee, 2005). The conference provided a platform for scholars in different disciplines in different cultures to present their research on quality of life in the broad field of human development and the environment, where micro and macro conceptions of human development are applied.

Speakers from overseas, Macau and China, including leading scholars on QoL research in social science, participated in the two-day conference. The papers presented at the conference and other invited papers will be published as two special issues of *Social Indicators Research*.



## *Papers Presented*

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Ng, S. L. & Tsoi, A. (2008). The effects of sports on subjective well-being among university students in Hong Kong. International Conference on Human Development and the Environment: Advances in Quality of Life Studies, Hong Kong.



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## Centre for Social and Political Development Studies

Director: **Prof. Timothy Ka-ying WONG**

### *Objectives*

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The research centre was established in January 2008 to explore and summarize experiences and lessons from the practice of “one country, two systems”; and to formulate instructive, practical, and scientific theories and policies for the reference of people from different sectors of society and to stimulate research on social and political transformations in Hong Kong. Its concrete objectives include:

- To analyze social classes in Hong Kong, and the structure and special nature of different political groups;
- To raise the quality of research on the local society, politics, and public policy;
- Through related research, unearth and develop think-tank talents;
- To provide a platform for rational discussions on social and political development in Hong Kong;
- To summarize our research findings and send them to the related associations and people for reference.

### *Press Conferences and Press Releases*

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In order to raise public awareness of policy issues and to disseminate widely the research findings of our Centre to the general public, 5 press conferences were held and 15 press releases were sent out to publicize our survey findings in the last academic year. Topics and dates of these press conferences and press releases are as follows:

#### **Press Conferences**

*“Public Expectations on Government Policies” (12 May 2009)*

*“Parenting of Hong Kong Parents 2008” (8 January 2009)*

*“Voters’ Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections” (4 September 2008)*

*“Voters’ Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections” (14 August 2008)*

*“Public Attitudes towards Hong Kong Social Harmony 2008” (5 August 2008)*

## Press Releases

*Public Attitudes towards the International Financial Tsunami and Expectations on Government Expenditures (16 July 2009)*

*Public Attitudes towards the July 1 Rally (9 July 2009)*

*Public Attitudes towards the Development of Hong Kong Mass Media (18 June 2009)*

*Public Expectations on Government Policies (12 May 2009)*

*Parenting of Hong Kong Parents 2008 (8 January 2009)*

*Public Attitudes towards the International Financial Tsunami (20 November 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (4 September 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (1 September 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (28 August 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (25 August 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (21 August 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (18 August 2008)*

*Voters' Attitudes towards the 2008 Legislative Council Elections (14 August 2008)*

*Public Attitudes towards Hong Kong Social Harmony 2008 (5 August 2008)*

*Public Attitudes towards Beijing Olympic Games (31 July 2008)*

## Research Activities

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The highlights of the main activities undertaken since August 2008 are listed below:

1. **"The Construction of National Identity in Post-colonial Hong Kong: Patterns, Determinants, and Modes of Practice"**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (principal investigator) and Ms Wan Po-san

This project is funded by a Competitive Earmarked Research Grant from the Research Grants Council and is being conducted in collaboration with the SISDHKP. It focuses on the construction of national identity in Hong Kong after ten years of gradual democratization and national reunification since 1997. A territory-wide household survey will be conducted to delineate the current patterns of citizenship orientations and practice in Hong Kong.

**2. “Public Perceptions of Major Themes Significant to Social Policy and Governance Efficacy in Hong Kong”**

by Prof. Wong Chack-kie

The project aims to understand public perceptions of a few major themes pertaining to social policy and governance efficacy in Hong Kong. Four territory-wide telephone opinion surveys will be conducted to delineate Hong Kong people’s perceptions of social welfare, social harmony and governance.

**3. “An Assessment of Hong Kong’s Subjective Political Risk”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong and Ms Wan Po-san

This study is being conducted in collaboration with the Social Indicators and Social Development of Hong Kong Programme (SISDHKP). The aim is to assess the subjective political risk of Hong Kong through quantitative analyses of the findings of a series of six bi-monthly telephone opinion surveys.

**4. “An Assessment of Hong Kong’s Subjective Social Risk”**

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**5. “Comprehensive Study on Voter Behaviour in the 2008 Legislative Council Elections”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong and Ms Wan Po-san

This study is being conducted in collaboration with the SISDHKP. The aim is to study voting behaviour in the 2008 Legislative Council elections through quantitative analyses of the findings of three telephone opinion surveys conducted before and after the elections. A research monograph is being prepared.

**6. “Citizen Politics in Hong Kong: Social Membership and Political Participation”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (principal investigator), Prof. Kuan Hsin-chi and Ms Wan Po-san

This project is funded by a Competitive Earmarked Research Grant from the Research Grants Council and is being conducted in collaboration with the SISDHKP. It focuses on the current state of citizenship awareness and political participation after ten years of gradual democratization and national reunification since 1997. A territory-wide household survey is being conducted to delineate the current patterns of citizenship orientations and practice in Hong Kong.

## 7. "The Fifth Phase of the Study on the Quality of Life in Macao 2009"

This study has been commissioned by the Research Centre for Sustainable Development Strategies of the Government of the Macao Special Administrative Region and is being conducted in collaboration with the Centre of Asian Studies of The University of Hong Kong. The members of the CUHK team include Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (coordinator), Prof. Chan Ying-keung, Ms Wan Po-san, and Prof. Wong Chack-kie. A Macao-wide household survey on the quality of life of Macao residents were conducted in February-April 2009. An interim report was submitted in June 2009.

## *Publications*

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### **Books / Book Chapters**

#### **Year 2009**

Wan, P. S., Wong, Timothy K. Y., & Law, Kenneth W. K. (2009). Subjective well-being. In Timothy K. Y. Wong et al. (Eds.), *The new face of Macao: Achievements and challenges* (pp. 183-226). Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.

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#### **Year 2008**

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- Wan, P. S., Law, Kenneth W. K., & Wong, Timothy K. Y. (2008). Subjective well-being: 1997-2006. In S. W. Leung et al. (Eds.), *Indicators of social development: Hong Kong 2006* (pp. 207-242). Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Wan, P. S., & Law, Kenneth W. K. (2008). Welfare attitudes. In S. W. Leung et al. (Eds.), *Indicators of social development: Hong Kong 2006* (pp. 133-156). Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.

## Journal Articles

### Forthcoming

- Ma, Joyce L. C., Wong, Timothy K. Y., & Lau, Y. K. (Forthcoming). Gender differences in perceived family functioning and family resources of Hong Kong families: Implication for social work practice. *Asian Social Work and Policy Review*.
- Ma, Joyce L. C., Wong, Timothy K. Y., Lau, Y. K., & Pun, S. H. (Forthcoming). Perceived family functioning and family resources of Hong Kong families: Implications for social work practice. *The Journal of Family Social Work*.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., & Wan, P. S. (Forthcoming). Lingering environmental pessimism and the role of Government in Hong Kong. *Public Administration and Development*.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., & Wan P. S. (Forthcoming). Perceptions and determinants of environmental concern: The case of Hong Kong and its implications for sustainable development. *Sustainable Development*.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., & Wan, P. S. (Forthcoming). The emerging middle class in post-colonial Macao: Structure, profile, and mobility. *Issues & Studies*.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Wan, P. S., & Law, Kenneth W. K. (Forthcoming). The public's changing perceptions towards the condition of social welfare in Hong Kong: Lessons for social development. *Social Policy and Administration*.

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- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Hsiao, Michael H. H., & Wan, P. S. (2009). Comparing political trust in Hong Kong and Taiwan: Levels, determinants, and implications. *Japanese Journal of Political Science*, 10(2), 147-174.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., & Wan, P. S. (2009). New evidence of the postmaterialist shift: The experience of Hong Kong. *Social Indicators Research*, 92, 497-515.
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- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Wan, P. S., & Law, Kenneth W. K. (2009). Public perceptions of income inequality in Hong Kong: Trends, causes, and implications. *Journal of Contemporary China*, 18(61), 657-673.
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Wan, P. S., & Law, Kenneth W. K. (2009). Welfare attitudes and social class: The case of Hong Kong in comparative perspective. *International Journal of Social Welfare*, 18(2), 142-152.

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- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Hsiao, Michael H. H., & Wan, P. S. (2008). *Level, determinants and implications of political trust: A comparison of Hong Kong and Taiwan*. Paper presented at The Fourth Conference on Social Image and Social Indicators Research, August 29-30, Hong Kong. (In Chinese)
- Wong, Timothy K. Y., Wan, P. S., & Yeh, K. H. (2008). *Between liberal and substantive democracy: The conceptions of democracy of Hong Kong people and their determinants*. Paper presented at The Fourth Conference on Social Image and Social Indicators Research, August 29-30, Hong Kong. (In Chinese)



## Gender Research Centre

Director: **Prof. Fanny M. CHEUNG**  
 Associate Director: **Prof. YIP Hon-ming**



The Gender Research Centre, which was founded as the Gender Research Programme in 1985, is the first research unit on gender and women's issues in Hong Kong. Our mission is to promote knowledge in gender research and women's status. Given the interdisciplinary nature of gender research, members include scholars from Social Science, Humanities, Education, Medicine, Business Administration, and other interdisciplinary fields. Teaching and research staff can join us as full members and students can join us as affiliate members.

### *International Conference*

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#### **"Gender and Family in East Asia", 12-13 December 2008**

The "Gender and Family in East Asia" International Conference 2008 was held from 12 to 13 December 2008 at the Cho Yiu Hall, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. The conference was organized by the Gender Research Centre (GRC) and Gender Studies Programme (GRS) of the CUHK, and co-organized by the Women's Studies Center of the Peking University, China, and the Institute for Women's Studies (IWS) of Keimyung University, South Korea. The conference was sponsored by New Asia College in celebration of its 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, as well as by Chung Chi College and the Faculty of Arts.

The aim of the conference was to provide a forum to share knowledge and experience in the region of East Asia, a platform to build a network of like-minds that are concerned about the nature and development of the family, and an opportunity to develop joint strategies that combine academic discussion and action.

Prof. Laurel Kendall, Curator of the American Museum of Natural History, and Adjunct (Full) Professor of the Columbia University, was the keynote speaker. Prof. Wei Guoying and Prof. Ma Fengzhi from Peking University, and Prof. Seyoung Kang and Prof. Bok Kyu Kim from Keimyung University were invited as representatives of their respective universities.

The conference consisted of nine sessions:

- Symposium on Family-Work Interface
- Marriage in Transition
- Family and Migration
- Young Scholars' Forum (a session for postgraduate students)
- Symposium on Transjurisdictional Familial Dynamics – Transgression and Dialogue
- Family Issues and Policy
- Symposium on Chinese Family
- Motherhood and Family Production
- Poster Session



Eighty participants came from all over the world to join the conference, including South Korea, Japan, Mainland China, Taiwan, Canada, UK, USA, and New Zealand, in addition to Hong Kong. As an interdisciplinary conference, we were joined by academics and professionals in the social, medical, and legal services, as well as in the civil service. Both local and international students participated in a special postgraduate student session. All participants and students engaged in active discussion in the various sessions.

## Workshop

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### Annual Gender Role Workshop 2009, 9 May 2009

The 2009 Annual Gender Role Workshop “Women’s Policy: Embracing New Challenges” (婦女政策：迎接新挑戰) was held on 9 May 2009. The aim of the workshop was to discuss different perspectives of a women’s policy in Hong Kong and the needs of women. Mr. Paul Tang, JP, Permanent Secretary for Labour and Welfare, was invited to be the keynote speaker. Guest speakers included: Prof. Kwong-leung Tang, Professor of Social Work, Department of Social Work, CUHK; Ms. Zheng Zhen, the Chairperson of the Hong Kong Kowloon Women’s Organisations Federation and Ms. Fong Man-ying, the Director of the Hong Kong Federation of Women’s Centres. Around 50 participants, including academics, students, social workers, members of women’s groups and service users engaged in active discussion with the guest speakers.



## Seminars

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A total of 12 Wednesday Gender Seminars were co-presented by the Gender Research Centre and the Gender Studies Programme. The seminars provided opportunities for speakers to present research findings, shared knowledge and exchanged ideas with participants. The list of speakers and the titles of their seminars were as follows:

“Researching the Irrelevant and the Invisible: Sexual Diversity in the Judiciary” (in English) by Professor Leslie Moran, Birkbeck College, University of London. (This seminar is co-presented with Department of Law and Business, Hong Kong Shue Yan University)

“Representation of Women in *Noh* and Japanese Cinema” (in English) by Dr. Yau Shuk Ting Kinnia, Assistant Professor, Department of Japanese Studies, CUHK.

“Public Desires, Private Subjects: Lalas in Shanghai” (in Cantonese and Mandarin) by Lucetta Kam, PhD Candidate, Gender Studies, CUHK; Lecturer, Department of Journalism and Communication, Chu Hai College of Higher Education.

“Potential of Teleopoiesis: Multiple Marginalities and Literary Activities of Indonesian Female Domestic Workers in Hong Kong” (in English) by Shiho Sawai, PhD Student, Graduate School, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies; Honorary Research Assistant, Gender Studies Programme, CUHK.

“Elite Schoolgirls: The Construction of “Ideal Female Subject” in the Globalization Context” (in Cantonese and English) by So Yam Wah Alison, MPhil Student, Gender Studies/Educational Administration and Policy, CUHK.

“Discourse of Gender/Sexuality among Hong Kong Secondary School Teachers” (in Cantonese) by Cheng Pui Kwan Cathy, MPhil Student, Gender Studies/Educational Administration and Policy, CUHK.

“Hover between Return and Subversion - the Maternal Writing of Tie Ning's Novel” (in Putonghua) by Yin Ying Cherry, MPhil Student, Gender Studies/Cultural Studies, CUHK.

“The Imbalanced Sex Ratio at Birth and Women’s Rights: Relevant Laws, Policies in China and Some Comparative Legal Implications” (in English) by Zhang Jiayu Irene, MPhil Student, Gender Studies/Government and Public Administration, CUHK.

“Female Persona in Pan Yuliang’s Painting: Gender/Body Politics in Early Modern Chinese Painting” (in Cantonese) by Chau Tsz Kin Raphael, MPhil Student, Gender Studies/History of Chinese Art, CUHK.

Three of the seminars were presented as part of the “Gender, Body and Embodiment” Seminar Series:

“A Dialogue: Christina and Lina - Body, Activism and Embodiment” (in Cantonese) by Christina Chan, MPhil Student, Philosophy, HKU and Lina Chan Hau Ying, MPhil Student, Gender Studies/Cultural Studies, CUHK.

“Gender and Sport in the Contemporary Societies” (in Cantonese) by Leung Kwok-wai Masa, Part-time Lecturer, Department of Sports Science and Physical Education, CUHK.

“Listening as Emotional Debt - Notes on My (Whose?) Aural Life” (in English and Cantonese) by Yeung Yang, Founding Member of “Soundpocket”; Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Cultural and Religious Studies, CUHK.

## Research Grants and Awards

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Prof. Susanne Choi obtained the following grants:

- Newcastle University HaSS Faculty Visiting Fellowship Scheme 2008 of £1,050. 2008.
- Staff Development Grant from C.Y. Kwan/Lee Hysan Foundation Endowment. 2008.
- Sino-British Fellowship Trust Fund for Staff Development of £680.

Prof. Krystal Lee obtained the following grants:

- AIDS Trust Fund of HK\$197,000 for the study "Gay Men in Private Sex Party in Hong Kong: Understanding the Culture and HIV Risk." June 2008 – May 2009.
- RGC-PH grant of HK\$700,000 for the study "Legal Recognition of Same Sex Partnerships in a Chinese Context: a Public Health Perspective." 2008-2009.
- Department of Health funding of HK\$549,252 for the study "Community Based Risk Behavioral and Seroprevalence Survey for Female Sex Workers in Hong Kong (CRiSP) 2008." Apr – Dec 2009.

Prof. Angela Wong obtained the following grants:

- General Research Fund of HK\$403,788 for the study "Women Negotiating Cultures: Family Values, Religion and Chinese Patriarchy." 2009-2012.
- RGC Competitive Earmarked Research Grants of HK\$635,800 for the study "Chinese Women and Hong Kong Christianity: An Oral History." 2006-2008.
- Direct Grant of HK\$100,000 for the study "Women Negotiating Culture: Family, Religion and Chinese Patriarchy." 2009.
- Quality Education Fund of HK\$510,800 for the study "Care for the Ethnic and Social Minorities in Hong Kong." 2008-2009.
- CWM/Nethersole Fund of HK\$100,000 for the study "Publication for Chinese Women and Hong Kong Christianity: An Oral History." 2008-2009.

## Publications and Research Activities

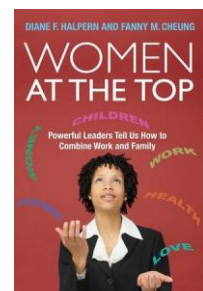
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Nakano, L. (Forthcoming). Unmarried women and the problems of family in Japan. In Ronald, R., & Alexy, A. (Eds.), *Home and family in Japan: Continuity and transformation*. New York: Routledge.

Tam, S. M., Fung, A., Kam, L., & Liang, M. (2009). Re-gendering Hong Kong men in social, physical and discursive space. In F. M. Cheung & E. Holroyd (Eds.), *Mainstreaming gender in Hong Kong society* (pp. 335-365). Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press.

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Wong, W. (2009). Our bodies our stories: Narrating female sexuality in Hong Kong. In Cheung, F. M., & Holroyd, E. (Eds.), *Mainstreaming gender in Hong Kong society* (pp. 257-289). Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press.

Yip, H. M. (Forthcoming). Between drawing and writing: Prostitutes in the "Dianshizhi Pictorial" In Ho, C. (Ed.), *Overt and covert treasures: Essays on the sources for Chinese women's history*. Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press.

黃慧貞 (2008)。〈為後殖民身分認同協商－亞洲「可憐婦女」的神學〉(Negotiating postcolonial identity: Theology of "the Poor Woman" in Asia)。載黃慧貞編，《亞洲女性主義神學》(Asian feminist theology)。香港：基督教文藝出版社，頁 73-99。



黃慧貞 (2008)。〈家庭價值的「聖戰者」：基督教新保守主義與道德政治〉(Crusaders for family value: Christian neo-conservatism and moral politics)。載黎志添編，《宗教的和平與衝突》(*Religion, peace and conflicts*)。香港：中華書局，頁 49-62。

黃慧貞 (2008)。〈國王的裸體〉(The naked body of the King)。載陳健民，伍瑞瑜編著，《眾聲喧嘩：影響香港發展的九大爭論》(*Divergent voices: Nine main debates affecting the development of Hong Kong*)。香港：上書局，頁 182-184。

黃慧貞 (2008)。〈導言：女性主義神學在亞洲〉(Introduction: Feminist theology in Asia)。收黃慧貞編：《亞洲女性主義神學》(*Asian feminist theology*)。香港：基督教文藝出版社，頁 v-vii。

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### Book Review

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### Presentations

Prof. Krystal Lee presented 2 papers at “Hong Kong XVII International AIDS Conference”, Mexico, August 2008:

1. Fan, S., Chan, Y., Cheng, A., Cu, E., Fung, E., Ho, S., Au, K. W., Ho, R. L. M., Mak, W. L., Wong, K. H., & Lee, K. (2008). “Initiative to support community participation towards development of a comprehensive HIV strategy in Hong Kong”.
2. Mak, D., Lee, K., Ng, B., & Wong, C. (2008). “CRiSP – a territory wide community-based behavioural risk and prevalence survey for female sex workers in Hong Kong”.

Prof. Maria Tam presented a paper titled “Transnational Duties: Marriage and Choice among Second Generation Nepalese Migrants in Hong Kong” at “Gender and Family in East Asia” International Conference 2008, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 12-13 December 2008.

Prof. Angela Wong presented a paper titled “Patriarchal Marriage and Women’s Autonomy: The Case of Chinese Christian Women in the Sixties” at “Gender and Family in East Asia” International Conference 2008, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 12-13 December 2008.

Prof. Yip Hon-ming presented a paper titled “Gender in the *Dianshizhai Pictorial*: A Study with a Focus on Prostitution” at International Conference on Gender Studies, Fudan University, Shanghai, 26-29 June 2009.

### **Academic Activities**

Prof. Fanny Cheung presented a talk on “Social Development and Gender Mainstreaming – Media as Important Partners” at the “Gender and Media” Seminar co-organized by the Equal Opportunities Commission and the Women’s Commission, 17 April 2009.

Prof. Yip Hon-ming participated in the following academic and research activities:

- Served as discussant for the Conference “Retrospect of 20<sup>th</sup> Century Chinese Historiography”, Hong Kong Baptist University, 27-28 June 2008.
- Served as co-speakers at the Seminar on Oral history in Practice IV: “The Threads of History and the Fabric of Morality: What Can We Learn from the Stories of Hong Kong Garment Workers?”, The University of Hong Kong, 25 July 2008.
- Chaired a session of the “Symposium on Interrogating Gendered Power Structures: Developing a Transformative Research Framework for Women’s Empowerment in Muslim Contexts”, City University of Hong Kong, 25 February 2009.
- Served as Chair and Discussant for the Panel on “Gender and the Media in Modern China”, International Conference on Gender Studies, Fudan University, Shanghai, 26-29 June 2009.

### **Visits**

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Members of the “public toilet design project” team, including staff and students from Taiwan Shu-Te University, led by Prof. Tsou Jin-yeu of the Department of Architecture at CUHK, visited GRC on 25 February 2009. Gender perspective in toilet design was discussed among the students.

Prof. Fanny Cheung, Prof. Yip Hon-ming and Prof. Angela Wong met Madam Zhang Wanli from the Institute of Sociology, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences on 24 April 2009. Madam Zhang was visiting scholar of GRC in 2001. Her current research focused on surveys of middle-class women and social stratification in modern China.



Ms Huang Shu, Head of the Asia Division of International Department of All-China Women's Federation visited GRC and met Prof. Fanny Cheung, Prof. Maria Tam and Ms. Margaret Wong on 18 May 2009.

Prof. Angela Wai-ching Wong and Ms. Margaret Wong met Dr. Madhana Rekha on 29 June 2009. She is the Director of the Centre for Women's Studies, JBAS College for Women, India.

## Public Policy Research Centre

Director:	<b>Prof. Stephen Wing-kai CHIU</b>
Associate Director:	<b>Prof. Wilson Wai-ho WONG</b>
Members:	<b>Prof. LUI Tai-lok</b> <b>Prof. WONG Hung</b> <b>Prof. Tony H.W. TAM</b>

### *Objectives*

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The Public Policy Research Centre (PPRC) is an interdisciplinary research unit under the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies of The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Working closely with the Social Science Faculty of the University, and also other faculties, centres and institutes at the Chinese University, the PPRC strives to promote public policy research on Hong Kong, the Pearl River Delta and also the Asia-Pacific region in general.

To achieve this mission, the Centre strives to:

- Undertake basic and applied social science research on significant public policy issues;
- Provide a platform for supporting and stimulating faculty members to carry out public policy research;
- Offer a venue for faculty members interested in public policy research to exchange ideas and findings;
- Disseminate widely the findings to the general public and scholarly community and raise public awareness of policy issues;
- Act as a bridge between the University and the wider community in the understanding and deliberation of policy issues.

### *Research Activities*

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1. **“The Impact of Socioeconomic Backgrounds on the Academic Achievement of Senior Secondary School Students: The Case of NSS Liberal Studies”.**

by Prof. Stephen Wing-kai Chiu (principal investigator), Prof. Kim Doo-hwan (co-investigator) and Prof. Tsang Wing-kwong (co-investigator)

This is a 36-month (2009-2012) project funded by the Public Policy Research Grant of the Research Grants Council, Hong Kong. It examines the extent to which socioeconomic backgrounds of senior secondary students have impacts on their academic achievement, using the Liberal Studies of the New Secondary School Curriculum as a critical case.

2. **“Noncognitive Human Capital as a Generator of Social Inequality: New Evidence and Policy Implications for Education in Hong Kong”.**

by Prof. Tony Tam Hong-wing (principal investigator)

This is a 24-month (2009-2011) project funded by the Public Policy Research Grant of the Research Grants Council, Hong Kong. It examines the extent to which noncognitive human capital generates social inequality in Hong Kong. The project is affiliated with the PPRC, which will provide administrative support for the principal investigator.

3. **“A Literature Review of Family Policy in East Asia”.**

by Prof. Stephen Wing-kai Chiu (principal investigator)

This project was commissioned by the Hong Kong SAR Government. It examined the continuity and change of family policy in four East Asian societies, namely Japan, South Korea, Taiwan and China. It was based on analysis of existing literature and data. The final report has been completed.

4. **“A Comparative Community Study of Tin Shui Wai and Sham Shui Po”.**

by Prof. Stephen Wing-kai Chiu (principal investigator) and Dr. Lau Siu-lun (co-investigator)

This project was commissioned by the Hong Kong SAR Government. It sought to understand and explain the problem of Tin Shui Wai by a comparative study of Tin Shui Wai and Sham Shui Po. Data were collected by a household survey and in-depth interviews. The final report has been completed.

5. **“Consultancy on the Social Dimensions of the Urban Renewal Authority’s Urban Renewal Projects”.**

by Prof. Wong Hung (principal investigator)

This project was commissioned by the Hong Kong Urban Renewal Authority. This ongoing project provides expert evaluation of the social impacts of various urban renewal projects by the Hong Kong Urban Renewal Authority.

## ***Publications***

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Chiu, S. W. K. (2009). *A comparative community study of Tin Shui Wai and Sham Shui Po*. A study commissioned by the HKSAR Government. (Co-authored with Lau, S. L.)

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## RESEARCH PROGRAMMES

### Chinese Law Programme

Director: **Prof. YU Xingzhong**

#### *Description*

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The Chinese Law Programme, through a variety of long and short term academic activities, aspires to become an academically reputed research programme on Chinese law and society in the Asia-Pacific region, serving as an intellectual platform for understanding and exchange of knowledge of Chinese law and society. Major research projects focus on the interface between the legal system of Hong Kong and that of the Mainland, with special interest in public law issues and interdisciplinary approaches to law.

#### *Research Projects*

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##### **Completed Projects:**

- “Internet Addiction among Teenagers in Beijing”. Direct Grant from CUHK, HK\$33,968 (05/2008 - 05/2009). (ZHONG Hua)
- “Campus Violence in Xinjiang: Culture or Structure?” Small Grant from Sociology, CUHK, HK\$16,860 (9/2008 - 8/2009). (ZHONG Hua)
- “Strengthening Hong Kong’s Constitutional Identity”. RGC Competitive Grant, HK\$270,976 (01/09/05 - 30/08/08). (YU Xingzhong)

##### **Ongoing Projects:**

- "Coping with Victimization: Self-Help or Other Options? A Study of Migrant Workers in an Urban-Village of Guangzhou". Supported by Chinese Law Programme, (07/2009 - 08/2010).
- “Judicial Professionalism in China”. Collaborative research with Professor William Alford of Harvard Law School and Northwest University of Politics and Law in Xian.
- “Autonomy in Hong Kong and Autonomy in the Autonomous Regions of the PRC”. Collaborative research with Northwest University of Politics and Law in Xian.
- “Chinese Legal Tradition Reconsidered”. Supported by CUHK-CCKF Asia-Pacific Centre for Chinese Studies.

## *Publications*

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Schwartz, J., Steffensmeier, D., Zhong, H., & Ackerman, J. (2009). Trends in the gender gap in violence: Reevaluating NCVS and other evidence. *Criminology*, 47(2), 401-426.

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## *Presentations*

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- Yu Xingzhong, "Academic Discourse, Official Ideology and Institutional Metamorphoses – Reflections on Contemporary Chinese Legal Discourses and Reality", Paper presented at the Conference "Culture and Social Transformation: Theoretical Considerations and the Case of China" co-organized by Tufts University and Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, July 21-25, 2009.
- Yu Xingzhong, "Earth Jurisprudence", Invited Lecture delivered at the School of Law, Shandong University (Weihai), July 15, 2009.
- Yu Xingzhong, "Interregnum in the Jurisprudential Realm", Invited Lecture delivered at the School of Law, Shandong University (Weihai), July 14, 2009.
- Yu Xingzhong, "Jurisprudence in the First Ten Years of the 21st Century", Invited Lecture delivered at the Northwest University of Politics and Law, May 21, 2009.
- Yu Xingzhong, "Hong Kong and Shanghai: Cosmopolitanism, Subsidiarity and Autonomy", Speech at the Konrad Adenauer Symposium on Hong Kong and Shanghai, Hong Kong, May 13, 2009.
- Yu Xingzhong, "Non-Finality and the Concept of Justice in Chinese Law", Talk given at the CUHK-CCKF Asia-Pacific Centre for Chinese Studies, March 12, 2009.
- Yu Xingzhong, "Unicorns, Waters and Mountains: Authoritative Symbols in Traditional and Contemporary Chinese Law", Paper presented at the Workshop on The Promises of Law, co-organized by the Chinese Law Programme and Cornell University Law School, Hong Kong, October 23, 2008.
- Yu Xingzhong, "High Autonomy and the Principle of Subsidiarity – the Success of the "One Country, Two Systems" in the HKSAR", Paper presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of Chinese Comparative Law Association, Macao, July 23-24, 2008.

### *Seminar and Roundtable*

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- THE PROMISES OF LAW *A Workshop on scholarly work in progress*, Co-organized with Cornell University Law School, Thursday, October 23, 2008.
- Workshop on the Use of Empirical Methods and Questionnaire Design in the Study of the Status of Rule of Law in Provincial and Local Regions of the PRC, February 24-28, 2009.



## Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme

Directors: **Prof. LIU Pak-wai**  
**Prof. SUNG Yun-wing**



### *Objectives*

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Economic competition and cooperation between Hong Kong and other Asia-Pacific countries constitute this Programme's main interest and the thrust of our investigation. Major research topics include the Hong Kong economy and its transformation; government policies; the economic integration of Hong Kong, the Mainland and Taiwan; trade and investment relations between Hong Kong and economies in the Asia-Pacific region; and, intra-regional trade and investment.

### *Seminar Organization*

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復旦大學顧鈺民教授主講「中國國有企業的產權改革」，2008年10月14日，與中國研究服務中心合辦。

### *Conference Participation and Talks*

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#### *Professor Sung Yun-wing:*

- Presentation, "Domestic Value Added and Employment Generated by Chinese Exports: A Quantitative Estimation", in the 5th Annual Meeting of the Asian Pacific Trade Seminar, The University of Hong Kong, June 28-29, 2009.
- Presentation, "Report by Hong Kong Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation" in the Pacific Economic Cooperation Standing Committee meeting, Washington DC, May 11-13, 2009.

- Panelist in the 2009-2010 Budget and Economic Outlook Forum organized by the Hong Kong Economic Association, Hong Kong, March 3, 2009.
- Chair, Keynote Speech by Professor Douglas North, in the International Conference on “Globalization: Cultures, Institutions and Socioeconomics” organized by The Chinese University of Hong Kong and Washington University, Hong Kong, December 12-13, 2008.
- Discussant, Panel on Enterprise Reforms and Government, in the Conference on Property Rights and Economic Reform jointly organized by the Hong Kong Polytechnic University and the Ronald Coase Institute in Hong Kong, December 10, 2008.
- Presentation, “China Bucking the Financial Tsunami”, in the 11th International Convention of the East Asian Economic Association, Manila, November 15-16, 2008.
- 報告，「改革開放以來加工出口成本與效益的變化」，《中國改革開放 30 年暨孫冶方誕辰百年紀念經濟理論研討會》，香港中文大學，2008 年 10 月 23-25 日。
- Presentation, “Duality in China’s Export Sector: The Enclave of Processing Exports”, in the Third World Forum on China Studies jointly organized by the Shanghai Academy of Sciences and the Shanghai Municipal Information Office in Shanghai, September 8-9, 2008.
- 演講，「非均衡狀態下的供求分析」，《全港經濟精英大賽經濟精英工作坊》，香港經濟日報與中文大學經濟系主辦，香港，2008 年 4 月 25 日。

### *Asian Economic Journal and East Asian Economic Association*

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This is the 19th year in which our Programme has jointly published the *Asian Economic Journal* for the East Asian Economic Association with our partner in Japan. The ISI has recently accepted the Journal for coverage, beginning in April/May 2008 with the first 2007 issue. Professor Lawrence Lau served as President of the East Asian Economic Association from 2005 to 2008. Professors Liu Pak-wai, Sung Yun-wing, and Kwong Kai-sun are serving respectively as Vice President, Director, and Secretary General of the Association. Professor Sung Yun-wing served as Editor of the *Asian Economic Journal* from 2001 to 2008. Professor Kwong Kai-sun served as Managing Editor of the Journal from 2000-2003 and 2006-2008. Professor Du Julian has served as Managing Editor of the Journal since 2009.

*Asian Economic Journal* is a journal that is devoted to publishing articles on the Asian economies which is based in the Asian region. The Journal has a wide circulation not only in Asia but also in Europe and North America. Its readership is expected to increase as economists worldwide focus their attention on the economic successes and problems of the Asia-Pacific region. The Editorial Committee is very broad-based. It includes leading economists from all major East and Southeast Asian countries. Because the Journal is edited, printed and published at CUHK, it bears the name of CUHK together with The International Centre for the Study of East Asian Development on the front cover as the two institutions which produce the Journal.

The Secretariat of the East Asian Economic Association is also located at CUHK using HKIAPS as its address. The Journal and the location of the Secretariat have promoted the image of CUHK in general, and HKAPE and HKIAPS in particular as institutions active in research within the Asia-Pacific region.

## *Impact*

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As a result of their expertise, the Co-Directors of the programme have served in many public and professional advisory committees which are listed below. These professional activities, which are related to HKAPE, have an impact on the local community as well as the Asia-Pacific. They also help to project the image of the Research Programme.

Professor Liu Pak-wai is Vice President of the EAEA, and an advisor of Bauhinia Foundation Research Centre and Hong Kong Ideas Centre. In public service, he serves as Director of the Hong Kong Institute for Monetary Research, and Non-Executive Director of Securities and Futures Commission. He is a member of many advisory committees, including Manpower Development Committee, Independent Commission on Remuneration for Members of the Executive Council and the Legislature and Officials under the Political Appointment System of the HKSAR, Independent Commission on Remuneration for Members of the District Councils of the HKSAR, Commission on Strategic Development, Aviation Development Advisory Committee, and Provisional Minimum Wage Commission.

Professor Sung Yun-wing is Director of the East Asian Economic Association, Editor of the *Asian Economic Journal*, Corresponding Editor (Hong Kong) of the *Asian-Pacific Economic Literature*, member of the Editorial Board of *The China Review*, and member of the Academic Committee of *China Economic Journal*. He is a member of the Board of the Hong Kong and Macau Research Centre of the Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences, and Academic Committee of the Research Base on the International Competitiveness of the Chinese Economy of the Fudan University. In public service, he is Chairman of the Hong Kong Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation, Governor of the Savantas Policy Institute, and a member of the China Trade Advisory Committee of the Hong Kong Trade Development Council.

## *Research Activities*

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The following research projects are currently sponsored or affiliated with the Hong Kong and Asia-Pacific Economies Programme (HKAPE).

- “China’s Evolving Wage Structure: Trends and International Comparison”, involving Professors Dennis Yang, Zhang Junsen, and Professor Ge Suqin of the Virginia Polytechnic University.
- “US-China Trade: A Value-added Approach,” grant of \$2,056,340 involving Professor Sung Yun-wing as Co-investigator.

- “Value Chain in the Greater China Production Network”, involving Professors Sung Yun-wing and Wang Zhi as Co-Principal Investigators (to be financed by the Fulbright Senior Specialists Program).
- “Increasing Dispersion and Rising Earnings Inequality” involving Professor Liu Pak-wai and Professor Lam Kit-chun of Hong Kong Baptist University.

## ***Publications***

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### **Book Chapters:**

Sung Y. W. (Forthcoming). Foreign trade since 1950. In D. Pong (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Modern China*. Charles Scribner’s Sons Reference Books.

Sung Y. W. (Forthcoming). Hong Kong and Shanghai as global service hubs: Rivalry or complementarity? In F. Gipouloux (Ed.), *International trading and finance hubs in East and Southeast Asia: Historical and comparative perspectives*. Routledge.

Sung, Y. W. (2008). The Hong Kong economy since reversion. In M. Chan (Ed.), *China’s Hong Kong transformed* (pp.191-211). Hong Kong: City University Press.

### **Journal Articles:**

Shigeyuki, A. (Eds.). (2009). *Asian Economic Journal, Blackwell*, 23(1), 1-141, & 23(2), 142-267.

Shigeyuki, A., & Sung, Y. W. (Eds.). (2008). *Asian Economic Journal, Blackwell*. 22(3), 225-341, & 22(4), 343-455.

## **International Relations Research Programme**

Co-Directors: **Prof. SHEN Xu-hui, Simon**  
**Prof. WANG Shaoguang**

### *Executive Summary*

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Stepping into its 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, the International Relations Research Programme continues its academic excellence in the field of International Relations. Under the leadership of the Programme Directors, Prof. Simon Shen and Prof. Wang Shaoguang, the Programme has successfully organized a wide range of academic and outreach activities in 2008-2009. International conferences were held in the year and research results had been published as refereed journal articles in different leading academic journals in the related field.

Previewing the forthcoming year, the IRRP will continue to put efforts in fostering researches, seminars and conferences in the field of International Relations, with the especial focus in China's Foreign Policy and politics emerged in the Asia-Pacific Region.

### *Introduction*

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The International Relations Research Programme (the Programme) was formally founded in 2008 within the framework of the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies (HKIAPS). The Programme's coming into existence is largely motivated by the vision to establish a leading international relations research programme in the Asia-Pacific region.

For this reason, faculty members and researchers are committed only to the highest standards as exemplified by the HKIAPS over the years. In addition, our four flagship research projects are carried forward with the guidance of internationally renowned scholars: Prof. Suijan GUO (Sino-US Relations), Prof. Dan HANSEN (China and Terrorism), Prof. Shaun BRESLIN (Chinese Nationalism and Foreign Policy) and Prof. TING Wai (Hong Kong's External Relations).

### *Missions and Objectives*

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As an internationally oriented programme, the Programme focuses on global policy studies, including Sino-US relations, China and Terrorism, Chinese Nationalism and Foreign Policies, as well as Hong Kong's External Relations. The programme, built upon the academic expertise and diversity of the Institute, endeavours to further its research in a wide array of fields related to Hong Kong, China, the Asia-Pacific Region, so as to the world.

Although these are the traditional focus and strength of the Institute and that four long-term projects on these topics have been launched, by no means are researches restricted to the aforementioned areas; inasmuch we are interested in investigating other related areas, we



are equally enthusiastic about and encourage researches that explore areas previously not covered.

The Programme is essentially interdisciplinary in nature and aims at bringing together academic expertise and resources regardless of traditional faculty boundaries to support and foster research, publication, seminars and conferences, as well as other academic and intellectual discourses.

Apart from the purpose of pure academic research, the Programme also engages in community service, as well as governmental consultation that facilitates decision-making, policy-setting, and thereby contributes to the public at large.

### *Research Activities*

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Throughout the year of 2008, the Programme has organized several seminars and conferences fostering academic interactions among local and international scholars.

#### *International Conference on “China’s Diplomacy in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century – Challenges and Opportunities”, on 26 March 2009*

In order to investigate a broad range of themes concerning the peaceful rise of China and its implications in China’s diplomacy, the Programme and the Asia-Africa Development Research Institute, Development Research Centre of the State Council had jointly organized an academic conference entitled “China’s Diplomacy in the 21st Century – Challenges and Opportunities”. This conference was supported by Central Policy Unit, Hong Kong Special Administrative Government; Hong Kong International Relations Research Association, Roundtable Community (HKIRRA); Master programme of Global Political Economy, The Chinese University of Hong Kong; Institute of International Relations, Hong Kong Policy Research Institute; Mingpao; RTHK; Yazhouzhoukan; Joint Publishing (Hong Kong) Company Limited; Hong Kong Industry Commerce and Professional Association; Yew Chung Community College and Fairtaste.



We were glad to have invited Prof. Lau Siu-kai, Head of Central Policy Unit; Prof. Wang Yu-sheng, former Principle Advisor for the Joint Committee of Chinese Companies in APEC and Prof. Ming Chan, Visiting Fellow of Centre of East Asian Studies in Stanford University to be our honourable speakers. Thirty outstanding scholars were invited to present their insight in five roundtable discussion panels with the topic of:

1. The Theory and Practice of the Peaceful Development;
2. Rooted in Asia: China's Diplomacy in East Asian and South Asian region;
3. Energy Politics: The International Relations between China and Oil-exporting Countries;
4. Regional Integration: The Interactions between China and Regional Organizations;
5. Bottom-up Approach: The Civil Diplomacy in China.

The conference was in great success and a conference proceeding will be published next year.

### *The International Relations Research Seminar Series*

The Programme, co-organized with the Universities Service Centre for China Studies and Department of Government and Public Administration, has initiated a Research Seminar series, aiming at bringing different academic expertise and practitioner to discuss international issues. The seminar was held on Tuesday and a distinguished scholar or practitioners was invited to share his/her latest findings to our guests and audience. This year, we were honoured to have invited:

<b>Guest Speaker (in alphabetical order)</b>	<b>Topic</b>
Mr. Frank BURBACH The Consul General of Federal Republic of Germany in Hong Kong and Macau	Germany-China Relations in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century
Mrs. Maria CASTILLO FERNANDEZ The Head of Office of the European Union Office of the European Commission in Hong Kong and Macau	The EU-China Relations in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century
Mr. David GUTTORMSEN Postgraduate Research Student in International Business, Centre of International Business, University of Leeds	Scandinavian Expatriates in Hong Kong – An Ethnographical Approach
Prof. Takeshi HAMASHITA Dean of School of Asia-Pacific Studies, Guangzhou Sun Yat-sen University	Viewing Sovereignty from the New Perspective
Prof. Willy LAM Select Professor of Global Studies at Akita International University, Japan	The Global Financial Crisis and the Viability of the "China Model" – An Assessment of the Future of Chinese Reform



Prof. Justin ROBERTSON Assistant Professor, Department of Asian and International Studies, City University of Hong Kong	The Confused Politics of Nationality: Private Equity Funds and Asian Political Economy
Prof. Chien-yu SHIH College Lecturer, HKU SPACE Community College	The Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps and its Role in the Integration of China into the Central Asia Region
Mr. Jean-Pierre THÉBAULT Consul General of France in Hong Kong	The Role of Hong Kong in France-China Relations
Mr. Sow-keat TOK PhD. Candidate, Politics and International Studies, University of Warwick	“Peaceful Rise/Development” and the China-ASEAN Relations
Mr. Benjamin WEBER Political Unit Chief, U.S. Consulate General in Hong Kong	The Potential Impact of the U.S. Presidential Election on its Foreign Policy
Prof. Bryan Pak-nung WONG Research Assistant Professor, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Modernity and its Exception: Sovereignty and Law/Force Indistinction in the Post-1986 Philippines
Mr. Stephen WONG Ex-Managing Director, Head of Asia Pacific Structured Credit Derivatives	Changes in Global Financial Market Post the “Tsunami”

## *Preview*

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Previewing next year, the Programme will continue its excellence in the research of International Relations. An international conference, co-organized with HKIRRA and Konrad Adenauer Foundation, will be held in September on the topic of the Implication of Expo 2010 Shanghai.

The Contemporary Sino-African Relations research project has finished its survey and interviews in five African countries, including Ethiopia, Kenya, Mauritius, Uganda and Zambia. A journal article on preliminary findings is published this year and the research project will continue on comparative country-analysis and its implications to China-African friendship.

## *Publications*

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### **Books:**

Shen, S. (forthcoming). *The ecosystem of terrorism in Asia* [亞洲恐怖主義的生態系統]. Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press. (In Chinese)

Shen, S., & Jean-Marc, B. (Eds.) (forthcoming). *China's strategic role in Asian-Pacific region*. New York: Rowman & Littlefield.

Shen, S., & Shaun, B. (Eds.) (forthcoming). *Online Chinese nationalism and Chinese foreign policy*. New York: Rowman & Littlefield (Lexington Books).

### **Book Chapters:**

Shen, S. (forthcoming). Popular participation: Internet, civil society and diverse publics. In Shaun Breslin (Ed.), *Handbook of Chinese international relations*. London: Routledge.

Shen, S. (2009). Contemporary Chinese nationalism: Double-edge sword of Chinese diplomacy? In Wong Yiu-chung & Chan Ho-yung (Eds.), *People's Republic of China: Sixty years in review*. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Eastern Culture Institute. (In Chinese)

Shen, S. & Chan, P. (forthcoming). Failure of the Saffron Revolution in 2007: Revisiting the transitologist assumption. In Simon Shen & Jean-Marc Blanchard (Eds.), *China's strategic role in Asian-Pacific Region*. New York: Rowman & Littlefield.

Shen, S., & Liu, P. (forthcoming). Global terrorism. In Wang Jianwei & Hua Shiping (Eds.), *Introducing western international relations theories*. Beijing: Peking University Press. (In Chinese)

### **Journal Articles:**

Shen, S. (forthcoming). Dual identity in online reaction to the Beijing Olympics: The Hong Kong Golden Forum as a case-study. *Asian Politics & Policy*.

Shen, S. (2009). A constructed unreality on China's re-entry into Africa: The Chinese online community perception of Africa (2006-2008). *The Journal of Modern African Studies*, 47(3), 425-448.

Shen, S. (2008). Borrowing the Hong Kong identity for Chinese diplomacy: Implications of Margaret Chan's World Health Organization Campaign. *Pacific Affairs*, 81(3), 361-382.

Shen, S., & Lee, C. W. (2008). New Sino-US economic conflict in 2007: Product security and protectionism. *International Review* [上海國際問題研究所國際問題論壇], 53 (December), 85-101.

Shen, S., & Liu, P. (2009). Misinformation or misinterpretation? Chinese University students' perception of anti-terrorism. *Asian Survey*, 49(3), 553-573.

## Social Indicators and Social Development of Hong Kong Programme

Director: **Ms WAN Po-san**

### *Objectives*

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The programme focuses on measuring and studying social developments in Hong Kong. Its prime purpose is to build up a comprehensive system of social indicators, i.e., a set of longitudinal data on the subjective and objective dimensions of social conditions and social changes, for Hong Kong. It is hoped that the availability of such data will facilitate not only analyses of patterns of social change and explorations of social issues and problems, but also contribute to the evaluation and formulation of public policy.

### *Conference*

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#### **“2008 Conference on Social Image and Social Indicators: Hong Kong and Taiwan”**

This conference was organized in collaboration with the Institute of Sociology of the Academia Sinica, the Centre of Asian Studies of The University of Hong Kong, and the Department of Applied Social Sciences of the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. It was funded by the Lee Hysan Foundation and was held on 29-30 August 2008 at The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK). Thirteen papers were presented and a volume of conference proceedings is expected to be published in 2010.



### *Research Activities*

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The highlights of the main activities undertaken during the past year are given below:

#### **1. “Social Indicators Survey Series”**

The programme has been conducting a series of biennial territory-wide household surveys since 1988. The aim of these periodic surveys is to measure the scope and extent of significant aspects of social change in Hong Kong by focusing on the perceptions,

values, feelings, aspirations, and sense of well-being of the Hong Kong people on various important aspects of their daily lives.

The survey "Hong Kong as a Risk Society: Indicators of Social Development in Hong Kong 2005" was funded by a Competitive Earmarked Research Grant from the Research Grants Council, and was conducted in collaboration with the Centre of Asian Studies of The University of Hong Kong and the Department of Applied Social Sciences of the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. The members of the CUHK team included Prof. Kuan Hsin-chi, Prof. Lau Siu-kai, Prof. Kenneth W. K. Law (Lingnan University), Prof. Simon T. M. Ng (University of Hong Kong), Prof. Benny Y. T. Tai (University of Hong Kong), Ms Wan Po-san, and Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong. Special topics in this survey included: (1) family and marriage; (2) social risk; (3) political attitudes and the welfare state; and (4) legal attitudes and retirement. A general report entitled *Indicators of Social Development: Hong Kong 2006* was published in December 2008.

## 2. "A Comparative Study of the Social Image of Taiwan and Hong Kong"

CUHK team: Ms Wan Po-san and Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong

Taiwan team: Prof. Chang Ying-hwa, Prof. Chiu Hei-yuan, Prof. Fu Yang-chih, Prof. Hsin-huang Michael Hsiao, and Prof. Yi Chin-chun

This project is being conducted in collaboration with the Institute of Sociology of the Academia Sinica. A telephone opinion survey will be conducted once or twice a year to gauge the perceptions, values, and subjective well-being of the people of both societies. The core questions of the questionnaire will be kept unchanged as far as possible in order to detect social trends and changes, while questions on special topics will be flexible enough to reflect changes in social conditions. The tenth survey, which focused on subjective well-being, socio-political trust, and social problems, was carried out in December 2008.

## 3. "An Assessment of Hong Kong's Subjective Political Risk"

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong and Ms Wan Po-san

This study was commissioned by the Central Policy Unit of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and was conducted in collaboration with the Centre for Social and Political Development Studies (CSPDS). The aim was to assess the subjective political risk of Hong Kong through quantitative analyses of the findings of a series of six bi-monthly telephone opinion surveys. The final report was submitted in May 2009.

## 4. "An Assessment of Hong Kong's Subjective Social Risk"

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong and Ms Wan Po-san

This study was commissioned by the Central Policy Unit of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and was conducted in collaboration with the CSPDS. The aim was to assess the subjective social risk of Hong Kong through quantitative analyses of the findings of a series of six bi-monthly telephone opinion surveys. The final report was submitted in August 2008.

5. **“An Assessment of Hong Kong’s Subjective Social Risk 2008-09”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong and Ms Wan Po-san

This study was commissioned by the Central Policy Unit of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and was conducted in collaboration with the CSPDS. The aim was to assess the subjective social risk of Hong Kong through quantitative analyses of the findings of a series of six bi-monthly telephone opinion surveys. The final report was submitted in August 2009.

6. **“Citizen Politics in Hong Kong: Social Membership and Political Participation”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (principal investigator), Prof. Kuan Hsin-chi and Ms Wan Po-san

This project has been funded by a General Research Fund from the Research Grants Council and is being conducted in collaboration with the CSPDS. It focuses on the current state of citizenship awareness and political participation after ten years of gradual democratization and national reunification since 1997. A territory-wide household survey was launched in May 2009 to delineate the current patterns of citizenship orientations and practice in Hong Kong.

7. **“Comprehensive Study on Voter Behaviour in the 2008 Legislative Council Elections”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong and Ms Wan Po-san

This study is being conducted in collaboration with the CSPDS. The aim is to study voting behaviour in the 2008 Legislative Council elections through quantitative analyses of the findings of three telephone opinion surveys conducted before and after the elections. A research monograph is being prepared.

8. **“Development Strategy Planning for Macao”**

This study was commissioned by the Research Centre for Sustainable Development Strategies of the Government of the Macao Special Administrative Region and was conducted in collaboration with the Centre of Asian Studies of The University of Hong Kong. The members of the CUHK team included Prof. Yeung Yue-man (coordinator), Mr Gordon Kee, Prof. Joanna W. Y. Lee, Prof. Shen Jianfa, Ms Wan Po-san, and Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong. A symposium on “Sustainable Development Strategies for Macao” was held on 2 June 2008 in the Venetian Macao-Resort-Hotel. Over 50 scholars, legislators, opinion leaders, and NGO representatives were invited. The final report was submitted in October 2008.

9. **“The Construction of National Identity in Post-colonial Hong Kong: Patterns, Determinants, and Modes of Practice”**

by Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (principal investigator) and Ms Wan Po-san

This project has been funded by a General Research Fund from the Research Grants Council and is being conducted in collaboration with the CSPDS. It aims to study the state of national identity orientations and their related citizenship practices in Hong

Kong against the context of democratization and national reunification. A territory-wide household survey will be conducted to delineate the current patterns of national identity orientations and their related practices, as well as their relation to different socio-political attitudes.

#### 10. “The Fourth Phase of the Study on the Quality of Life in Macao 2008”

This study was commissioned by the Research Centre for Sustainable Development Strategies of the Government of the Macao Special Administrative Region and was conducted in collaboration with the Centre of Asian Studies of The University of Hong Kong. The members of the CUHK team included Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (coordinator), Prof. Chan Ying-keung, Ms Wan Po-san, and Prof. Yeung Yue-man. Five telephone opinion surveys, which focused on the family, the mass media, socio-political participation, the quality of life, and work, respectively, were conducted in May-July 2008. Five focus group interviews with elderly people, single-parent families, chronic patients, low-income families, and gambling addicts, respectively, were carried out in May 2008. The final report was submitted in October 2008.

#### 11. “The Fifth Phase of the Study on the Quality of Life in Macao 2009”

This study has been commissioned by the Research Centre for Sustainable Development Strategies of the Government of the Macao Special Administrative Region and is being conducted in collaboration with the Centre of Asian Studies of The University of Hong Kong. The members of the CUHK team include Prof. Timothy K. Y. Wong (coordinator), Prof. Chan Ying-keung, Ms Wan Po-san, and Prof. Wong Chack-kie. A territory-wide household survey was conducted in February-April 2009. An interim report was submitted in May 2009.



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## South China Programme

Director: **Prof. LEE Siu-nam, Paul**

### *Objectives*

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The Programme aims to foster academic research on China studies through the awarding of grants. The territorial scope of the grants now covers studies on Mainland China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Macao. Individual research, interdisciplinary cooperation, and research partnerships with counterparts across and outside of the Asia-Pacific region are welcome. The goal is to provide policymakers and public bodies with implicative references, through the dissemination and discourse of the research findings stimulated by the Programme.

There are no limitations on the disciplines or topics that the Programme is willing to initiate. Innovative research is always welcome. The current research agenda includes:

- (1) the development of the Mainland China-Hong Kong nexus;
- (2) interrelations between state-building, culture, and local society;
- (3) institutional evolution and transformation;
- (4) growth and disparities in regional development; and
- (5) external relations.

On the proactive side, the Programme is poised to launch in-house longitudinal projects with the potential to be self-sustaining, when suitable topics and adequate resources arise.

### *Management Committee*

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Members of the Executive Committee include Professors CHAN Kin-man (Department of Sociology), LI Lianjiang (Department of Government and Public Administration), Eric Kit-wai MA (School of Journalism and Communication) and SHEN Jianfa (Department of Geography and Resource Management), and TSUI Kai-yuen (Department of Economics).

### *Research Activities*

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Invitations to submit proposals were sent to faculties of various disciplines in January (1st round) and July (2nd round) 2009. An encouraging number of proposals (13) were received in the first round. In view of the competitiveness of the proposals, the Executive Members had difficulty choosing among them, and finally awarded three grants. Two were in the field of geography, a new direction which the Programme has committed funding in recent years.

The Programme's reserve of funds plunged from 2008 to 2009 due to the worldwide financial crisis. There is a steady recovery of the fund with investment returns lately.

Despite resource limitations, the Programme strives to make the best use of its funds to promote research activities. In early 2009, the Programme endorsed its continuous support of a database project entitled Archive of People's History and the Website for People's History, launched in 2006 by the Universities Service Centre for China Studies at the Chinese University; more research projects are expected to receive support in the second round of funding awards in September.

### **Newly Funded Projects:**

The following three projects received funding from the Programme in June 2009:

**1. "Economic Reforms and Land Use/Land Cover Change in Yunnan: Between Centralized Policy Planning and Local Implementation"**

Conducted by Prof. Claudio O. DELANG as principal investigator, and with Prof. HUANG Bo and Prof. Olivia C. BINA (Department of Geography and Resource Management) to serve as co-investigators. HK\$150,000 was awarded.

This project aims to evaluate the success of the Natural Forest Protection Programme (1998) and Sloping Land Conversion Programme (1999), in the management of upstream watershed areas. By comparing land cover from 1988-89, 1998-99, and 2008 with a GIS analysis, and reviewing the ecological, socio-economic, and policy factors in different areas, suggestions for improvement in future policies will be provided.

**2. "Planning and Financing Regional Infrastructure in Mega-city Regions in China: An Institutional Perspective"**

Conducted by Prof. XU Jiang (Department of Geography and Resource Management) as principal investigator. HK\$160,000 was awarded.

This project studies how regional politics interact with regional infrastructure planning and financing in China's mega-city regions, using the cases of railway (the least reformed system) and highway (the most reformed system) infrastructure in Beijing and 9 Pearl River Delta cities (including Guangzhou). It will examine how a regional infrastructure project is initiated, planned, and negotiated, and the major methods and political activities involved in the financing of regional infrastructure.

**3. "Why Does Local Finance Go Extra-budgetary? A Study of China's Informal Fiscal Institutions"**

Conducted by Prof. Vivian Jing ZHAN (Department of Government and Public Administration) as principal investigator. HK\$100,000 was awarded.

This project studies China's fiscal management and central-local interactions in keeping and manipulating an extra-budgetary system. It will review the patterns of extra-budgetary collection and expenditure in local provinces and their roles for local governance and development; the way in which the central government regulates local practices, and the response of local governments to such regulations.

## Ongoing Projects:

Six projects funded by the Programme are on-going. They include:

### 1. “The Role of the State in Economic Transformation”

Conducted by Prof. MA Shu-yun (Department of Government and Public Administration) as principal investigator. HK\$130,000 was awarded in 1996.

This project studies the role of the state in economic transformation, with comparative case studies of privatizations in China and Russia. A paper was published in the March/April issue of *Asian Survey* in 2008.

### 2. “A Tale of Two Rivers: Civil Society and Anti-Dam Movements in Yunan”

Conducted by Prof. CHAN Kin-man (Department of Sociology) as principal investigator. HK\$184,560 was awarded in 2006.

This project studies how the “external elite model” and the “indigenous model” of civil society mobilization affect the structure of collective action, in terms of resource mobilization, political opportunities, framing, and identity construction. The emergence of civil society in China and its impact on public policy will also be examined.

A paper was presented at the 8th Conference of the International Society for Third-Sector Research held on 9-12 July 2008. Fieldwork on the Jinsha River was conducted in 2008. A manuscript on the anti-dam movement will be produced.

### 3. “Beyond Anti-Terrorism: How China is Constructing a Global Identity as a Responsible State in the Era of Anti-terrorism”

Conducted by Prof. Simon Xu-hui SHEN (Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies) as principal investigator. HK\$125,000 was awarded in 2006.

This project studies the construction of China’s national identity as a “responsible state” after 9-11. The origins of the tactics used will be traced and notable examples will be analyzed. Further research questions will be addressed on whether and how the “peaceful rise” discourse represents an attempt to tone down the Chinese realist agenda to a Western audience; and whether the same discourse serves the purpose of pacifying domestic nationalist dissent. Several articles were published in academic journals.

### 4. “Contemporary Sino-African Relations”

Conducted by Prof. Simon Xu-hui SHEN (Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies) as principal investigator. HK\$136,000 was awarded in 2008.

This project examines how Africans view China’s re-entry into their continent, and how the Chinese view their “friendly” African partners, in the context of changing Sino-African relations in the past three decades. This period has seen the evolution of China’s approach from countering Taiwan’s “flexible diplomacy” to focusing on energy concerns, resulting in a greater emphasis on China-Africa cooperation in recent years. There will

be six case studies, each examining the bilateral relations between China and an African nation.

#### 5. “Online Chinese Nationalism and China’s Bilateral Relations”

Conducted by Prof. Simon Xu-hui SHEN (Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies) as principal investigator. HK\$95,000 was awarded in 2008.

This project regards the internet as a new political “space” in China, as it is in other parts of the world, where netizens can join with others on the net in calling for greater freedom and reforms of the political system. The project attempts to reveal the essence of online Chinese nationalism and its influence on China’s bilateral relations.

#### 6. “Constructing Working-Class Social Networks: A Study of QQ and Tencent”

Conducted by Prof. Jack Linchuan QIU (School of Journalism and Communication) as principal investigator, and with Prof. DING Wei (College of Mass Communication, Shenzhen University), Prof. Larissa HJORTH (Games Programs, RMIT University, Australia), and Prof. ZHOU Baohua (School of Journalism, Fudan University) to serve as co-investigators. HK\$220,000 was awarded in 2008.

This project examines the formation and transformation of QQ-based social networks (the most popular Chinese instant messaging (IM) service) among the new working-class of South China. The emphasis is on the formation of cross-level hybrid networks, which might be the most likely seedbed for working-class formations, and for a new form of IT entrepreneurialism in South China and beyond.

### Completed Projects:

Three projects funded by the Programme were completed in 2008 and 2009.

#### 1. “‘Asian Barometer’ Hong Kong”

Conducted by Prof. Timothy Ka-ying WONG (Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies) as coordinator, and with Prof. CHAN Kin-man (Department of Sociology), Prof. MA Ngok, and Prof. KUAN Hsin-chi (Department of Government and Public Administration) to serve as members. HK\$350,000 was awarded in 2007.

By acting as the Hong Kong team of a trilateral Asian Barometer survey, the project was conducted in collaboration with teams in Taiwan and Mainland China. The project studied public attitudes on aspects of political values, democracy, and governance of the region. This research was part of a larger regional Asian Barometer Survey (ABS), encompassing research teams from 13 East Asian political systems (Japan, Mongolia, South Korea, Taiwan, Hong Kong, China, the Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia, Singapore, Indonesia, and Malaysia), and 5 South Asian countries (India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, and Nepal).

The fieldwork was completed in March 2008. A paper was presented at the 2008 Asian Barometer Conference in Taipei.

## 2. “External Relations of Hong Kong and South China”

Conducted by Prof. Simon Xu-hui SHEN (Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies) as principal investigator. HK\$131,000 was awarded in 2006.

This project had three major themes. First, it studied the ways in which globalization affects the nature and patterns of provincial government engagement in external relations, with reference to South China. Second, the impacts of inter-state relations on Hong Kong, particularly the “Hong Kong policy” of major countries in the world, and their interactions with local entities in Hong Kong were examined. Third, the positioning of Hong Kong, and the normative orientations and values on the position of Hong Kong vis-à-vis South China were evaluated. A seminar series and a conference were organized in 2007. Several articles were published in academic journals and book.

## 3. “The Catholic Virgins”

Conducted by Prof. Louis Keloan HA (Centre for Catholic Studies, Department of Cultural and Religious Studies) as principal investigator, and with Prof. KANG Zhijie (Department of Political Science, Hubei University) to serve as co-investigator. HK\$57,000 was awarded in 2007.

This project focused on the life of Catholic virgins in Guangdong and Hong Kong, and their relations with the local church. It was a comparative study of the Catholic virgins vis-à-vis the local Catholic sisters and virgins in general. Two papers on the oral history interviews that were conducted were presented in a seminar at the Chinese University in April 2008. The papers were published in a seminar proceeding in 2009.

## *Archive on Folk History in China*

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Initiated in 2006 under the Universities Service Centre for China Studies, a project to construct an archive and website on folk history has been receiving on-going financial support from the Programme.

The archive will be a depository for memoirs and non-fiction writings by common citizens in Mainland China. The website will be a window through which the collection can be made accessible to the general public and memoir-writers, and to arouse the interest of the public in writing about their personal experiences with the changing society in China.

The website (<http://mjlsh.usc.cuhk.edu.hk>) consists of a compilation of both short and long memoirs sourced from individuals, a selection of books and magazines on folk history, and includes a photo gallery and other features.

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## Urban and Regional Development in Pacific Asia Programme

Director: **Prof. SHEN Jianfa**

Associate Director: **Prof. YANG Chun** (*from December 1, 2008*)

### *Objectives*

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The research programme is focused on urban and regional development in the Asia-Pacific region especially China. This programme has undertaken research on world cities, globalization, Chinese urbanization and urban and regional development in China covering Pearl River Delta (PRD), Pan-PRD, Guangdong, Shanghai, Fujian and western region. Ongoing research focuses on two themes. **Theme 1: Urban and regional development in Hong Kong and Pan-PRD** will examine the inter-city relations between Hong Kong and Shenzhen, Hong Kong-Shenzhen metropolis in the context of PRD and Pan-PRD, as well as dramatic urban, socio-economic and environmental transformations in PRD and Pan-PRD region. **Theme 2: Population change and urbanization in China** will examine inter-city and inter-provincial migration, urbanization and urban development in China.

### *Research Activities*

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The main research activities in 2008/09 include two research projects and the working paper series on The Pan-Pearl River Delta Region and Hong Kong under the 11th Five-year Plan:

- Research project "Inter-city competition and cooperation between Hong Kong and Shenzhen in the 11th five-year plan period" (PI: SHEN Jianfa, 1 Sept 2007 - 30 November 2009) funded by Public Policy Research Grant, Research Grants Council of Hong Kong.
- Research project "Decomposing interprovincial migration in China 1995-2000: the role of spatial structure and areal attributes" (PI: SHEN Jianfa, 1 Sept 2007 - 28 February 2010) funded by Research Grants Council of Hong Kong.
- The 4th survey report for above Public Policy Research project titled "Cross-boundary Infrastructure between Hong Kong and Shenzhen: Report of 2009 Survey of Public Opinion" was released to the media and the public on 26 May 2009.
- Two more working papers "VI. Hainan and Hong Kong" and "VII. Sichuan and Hong Kong" have been published in the working paper series on The Pan-Pearl River Delta Region and Hong Kong under the 11th Five-year Plan.

The programme, under the name of the Institute, co-organized the “Press Conference of 2009 China Urban Competitiveness Report (Hong Kong) 《中國城市競爭力報告 2009》香港發佈會” with The Better Hong Kong Foundation and Institute of Finance and Trade Economics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences on 15 April 2009.

The programme jointly organized a guest lecture with the Department of Geography and Resource Management titled “Wolves Instead of People? Urban and Rural Areas in East Germany Struggling with Population Decline,” presented by Prof. Doris SCHMIED, Extraordinary Professor for Human Geography, Bayreuth University, Germany, 2 December 2008.

Dr. Ari-Veikko Anttiroiko, Senior Lecturer, Department of Regional Studies, University of Tampere, Finland visited the programme and presented a seminar “Local Responses to Global Intercity Competition” in Department of Geography and Resource Management on 3 March 2009.

Prof. ZHU Yu, Professor of the School of Geography and Director of The Centre for Population and Development Research, Fujian Normal University visited the university on 24-31 March 2009. He presented a seminar “The Diversification of the Migration Flow of China’s Floating Population and Their Settlement Intention in the Cities” in Department of Geography and Resource Management on 26 March 2009.

Prof. NING Yuemin, Professor and Director of The Centre for Modern Chinese Cities Studies, East China Normal University, Shanghai, visited the university on 21-27 May 2009. He presented a seminar “A Study of Global Production Network and on the Development of Manufacturing in China” in Department of Geography and Resource Management on 21 May 2009.

Prof. LI Lixun, Director of the Institute of Urban Plan and Design at Sun Yat-sen University, Guangzhou was the visiting scholar at the Institute in June 2009. Professor Li delivered a public seminar “Economic and Urban Transformation of Dongguan Amidst the Global Financial Crisis” at the University Services Centre for China Studies on 5 June 2009.

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## Telephone Survey Research Laboratory

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### *The Laboratory*

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Established in May 1995, the Laboratory can handle over 50 telephone lines, all connected to the CATI (Computer Assisted Telephone Interview) system operated through a main server. It can cope with the demands of large samples under time constraint.

### *Objectives*

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1. To provide a telephone survey laboratory to researchers at the Chinese University who want to use a telephone interview technique to facilitate their research.
2. To enable the development of new research interests using the telephone interview method.
3. To collect panel public opinion data of academic and social value.
4. To serve as a link between the Chinese University and the public by regularly offering results of survey polls on public issues.

### *Accomplishments*

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Over 800 commissioned surveys have been completed since the establishment of the Laboratory (63 surveys in the past year).

Our survey findings have been widely covered by the media, thereby helping to raise the profile of the Institute and the Chinese University.

The Laboratory has attracted an increasing number of researchers from academic circles and the media who want to use telephone survey as an alternative method of data collection.

With the improving financial situation, we have designed and launched our panel surveys for academic research.

In 2008, we expanded the Laboratory's capacity by moving into a larger office and installing a new telephone monitoring system. Now the Laboratory has 56 interviewing stations and we have trained and pooled over 130 experienced interviewers from amongst CUHK students as well as students from other universities, providing them with not only a good source of income but also the valuable experience of conducting telephone survey research.

## *Policies*

The Laboratory welcomes the sponsorship or commission of surveys; it is also open to collaboration with interested persons or organizations.

## *Completed Projects (July 2008 to June 2009)*

<b>Projects</b>	<b>Date</b>
Survey on Social Risk in Hong Kong (6th Survey)	07/07/08 – 10/07/08
Survey on How Hong Kong people feel about the status quo after handover to China since 1997 (2008)	08/07/08 – 11/07/08
Stress Survey on Hong Kong School Teachers 2008	10/07/08 – 22/07/08
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (132nd Survey)	21/07/08 – 23/07/08
Survey on Political Risk in Hong Kong (2nd Survey)	04/08/08 – 11/08/08
Survey on Legislative Council Elections 2008 (3rd Survey)	06/08/08 – 03/09/08
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (133rd Survey)	25/08/08 – 28/08/08
Public Attitudes toward Quality of Life in Hong Kong 2008	04/09/08 – 09/09/08
Stress Problems among Cancer Patients and Their Families in Hong Kong 2008	08/09/08 – 12/09/08
Survey on Social Risk in Hong Kong (7th Survey)	09/09/08 – 19/09/08
Survey on Legislative Council Election 2008 (4th Survey)	11/09/08 – 02/10/08
Users Opinion Survey on Pay TV Services 2008	17/09/08 – 31/10/08
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (134th Survey)	24/09/08 – 26/09/08
Public Attitudes toward Economic Conditions (41st Survey)	29/09/08 – 30/09/08
Public Attitudes toward Panic Withdrawal of BEA	29/09/08 – 30/09/08
Survey on Political Risk in Hong Kong (3rd Survey)	06/10/08 – 14/10/08
Data input and Data Analysis for Awareness of Paediatric Infectious Diseases among Macau Parents 2008	16/10/08 – 28/10/08
Public Attitudes toward the Development of Hong Kong and Mainland China (22nd Survey)	15/10/08 – 24/10/08
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (135th Survey)	20/10/08 – 22/10/08
Public Attitudes toward The Financial Tsunami	27/10/08 – 28/10/08
Survey on Public Attitudes toward Youth Smoking in Hong Kong 2007	30/10/08 – 11/11/08
Survey on Social Risk in Hong Kong (8th Survey)	03/11/08 – 07/11/08
Data Input and Analysis for the Survey on the “Car of the Year 2008”	03/11/08 – 28/11/08
Survey on Parents' Attitudes toward Youth Smoking in Hong Kong 2007	07/11/08 – 25/11/08
Survey on Parenting among Hong Kong Parents	19/11/08 – 05/12/08
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (136th Survey)	24/11/08 – 26/11/08

Urban Renewal Strategy 2008/09 (Analysis of opinions) [First Phase]	27/11/08 – 31/01/09
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The Social Image of Hong Kong 2008	04/12/08 – 22/12/08
Survey on Public Awareness and Attitudes toward the Deposit Protection Scheme 2007 [End-year Survey]	05/12/08 – 22/12/08
Survey on Attitudes and Behaviour of Public Housing Residents toward Environmental Protection 2007 [First Wave]	08/12/08 – 06/01/09
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (137th Survey)	15/12/08 – 18/12/08
Public Attitudes toward Economic Conditions (42nd Survey)	29/12/08 – 30/12/08
Survey on Social Risk in Hong Kong (9th Survey)	02/01/09 – 09/01/09
Survey on Attitudes and Behaviour of Public Housing Residents toward Environmental Protection 2007 [Second Wave]	05/01/09 – 04/02/09
Survey on Public Perception of Christianity and Christians among Hong Kong People 2008	06/01/09 – 21/01/09
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (138th Survey)	19/01/09 – 21/01/09
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Public Attitudes toward the Development of Infrastructure between Hong Kong and Shenzhen	05/02/09 – 11/02/09
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Graduates Employment Survey 2008 (Telephone Follow-up Survey)	10/02/09 – 20/02/09
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Survey on Social Risk in Hong Kong (10th Survey)	02/03/09 – 05/03/09
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Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (140th Survey)	23/03/09 – 26/03/09
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Public Attitudes toward the Development of Hong Kong and Mainland China (23rd Survey)	06/04/09 – 09/04/09
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (141st Survey)	20/04/09 – 23/04/09
Survey on Policy Expectation	27/04/09 – 06/05/09
Public Attitudes toward Functional Dyspepsia and Mood Disorder in Hong Kong 2009	22/04/09 – 13/05/09
Survey on Social Risk in Hong Kong (11th Survey)	07/05/09 – 15/05/09
Survey on Safety Behaviour among MTR Passengers	08/05/09 – 13/05/09
Survey on Kids Health in Hong Kong	08/05/09 – 13/05/09
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (142nd Survey)	20/05/09 – 22/05/09
Public Attitudes toward Trees Policy and Management in Hong Kong	26/05/09 – 29/05/09
Public Attitudes toward Mass Media in Hong Kong 2009	08/06/09 – 12/06/09
Survey on Public Awareness and Attitudes toward the Deposit Protection Scheme 2009 [Mid-year Survey]	15/06/08 – 19/06/08
Public Attitudes toward the HKSAR Government (143rd Survey)	15/06/09 – 17/06/09

Survey on Risky Society in Hong Kong 2009	22/06/09 – 02/07/09
Survey on How Hong Kong people feel about the status quo after handover to China since 1997 (2009)	24/06/09 – 29/06/09
Public Attitudes toward Economic Conditions (44th Survey)	29/06/09 – 30/06/09

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### Publications in Print

Since its establishment in September 1990, the Institute has published 78 research monographs, 200 occasional papers, 18 public policy forum papers, and 18 USC seminar papers. Details of the publications for the past two years are as follows:

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- RM77 王家英、尹寶珊，《香港 2007 年區議會選舉投票行爲》 (Timothy Ka-ying Wong and Wan Po-san, *Voting Behaviour in the 2007 Hong Kong District Council Election*). May 2009, ISBN 978-962-441-577-3, list price: HK\$60.00.
- RM76 梁永熾、李少南、羅文輝、熊澄宇、吳廷俊，《互聯網在中國社會之崛起：四大城市的比較研究》 (Louis Wing-chi Leung, Paul Siu-nam Lee, Ven-hwei Lo, Chengyu Xiong and Tingjun Wu, *The Ascendancy of Internet Communication: A Comparative Study of Four Chinese Cities*). April 2009, ISBN 978-962-441-576-6, list price: HK\$60.00.
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