

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **EDUCATION**

Doctor of Philosophy, The University of Hong Kong  
Master of Communications, Tsinghua University  
Bachelor of Philosophy with 1st Class Honor, Peking University

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, United College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, since 01/2018  
Honorary Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work and Social Administration, The University of Hong Kong, 01/2018 - 08/2021  
Research Assistant Professor, HKJC Centre for Suicide Research and Prevention, The University of Hong Kong, 03/2015 – 12/2017  
Post-doctoral Fellow, The University of Hong Kong, 09/2013 – 02/2015  
Post-doctoral Fellow, University of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester, USA, 09/2012 – 08/2013

#### **PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

Member, International Association for Suicide Prevention, since 09/2009  
Member, American Association of Suicidology, since 10/2017  
Member, Chinese Association of Mental Health, since 11/2017  
Member, Hong Kong Society of Behavioral Health, since 10/2016

#### **MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Suicide prevention  
ICT-based research and intervention  
Mental health promotion  
Media studies  
Helping behaviors

#### **LIST OF RESEARCH OUTPUTS OR CREATIVE WORKS**

*Refereed Publications (\*as corresponding author, #as equal-first author)*

### **During the Review Period**

1. Cheng Q. & Lui C. (2021). Applying Text Mining Methods to Suicide Research. *Suicide and Life-Threatening Behavior*. 51(1):137-147. <https://doi.org/10.1111/sltb.12680>.
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3. Xiao, Y., Wong, K., Cheng, Q., & Yip, P. S. F. (2021). Understanding the Better Than Average Effect on Altruism. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 11, 3592. Doi:10.3389/fpsyg.2020.562846.
4. Wong, K., Chan, C., Chan, M., Wong, C., Cheng, Q., Xiong, C., & Yip, P. (2021). Who Seeks Help Online? Comparing Online and Offline Help-Seeking Preferences among Youths with Suicidal Ideation. *Journal of Affective Disorders*, 292, 21-29. doi: 10.1016/j.jad.2021.05.056
5. Cheng Q., Zhang X., Lui C. & Yip P.S.F. (2020). Suicide Research in Mainland China, Hong Kong, and Macao in Three Decades: A Scoping Review. *Crisis: Journal of Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention*. Advance online publication. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1027/0227-5910/a000743>.
6. Niederkrotenthaler, T., Braun, M., Pirkis, J., Till, B., Stack, S., Sinyor, M., Tran, U., Voracek, M., Cheng Q., Arendt F., Scherr S., Yip P.S.F., Spittal, M. J. (2020). Association between suicide reporting in the media and suicide: systematic review and meta-analysis. *British Medical Journal*, 368, m575. doi:10.1136/bmj.m575
7. Yip P., Chan W.L., Cheng Q., Chow S., Hsu S.M., Law Y.W., Lo B., Ngai K., Wong K.Y., Xiong C., Yeung T.K. (2020). A 24-hour online youth emotional support: Opportunities and challenges. *The Lancet Regional Health—Western Pacific*. 4:100047. doi: 10.1016/j.lanwpc.2020.100047.
8. Zhang W., Liu L., Cheng Q., Chen Y., Xu D., Gong W. (2020). The Relationship Between Images Posted by New Mothers on WeChat Moments and Postpartum Depression: Cohort Study. *Journal of Medical Internet Research*. 22(11):e23575. doi: 10.2196/23575.
9. Chang Y.H., Hsu C.Y., Cheng Q., Chang S-S., & Yip P.S.F. (2019). The evolution of the characteristics of charcoal-burning suicide in Hong Kong, 2002-2013. *Journal of Affective Disorders*, 257, 390-395. doi: 10.1016/j.jad.2019.07.041
10. Cheng Q., & Yom-Tov E. (2019). Do search engine helpline notices aid in preventing suicide? An analysis of archival data. *Journal of Medical Internet Research*. 21(3):e12235. doi: 10.2196/12235.
11. Cheng Q., Shum A.K.Y., Ip F.W.L., Wong H.K., Yip W.K.K., Kam A.H.L., & Yip P.S.F. (2019). Co-creation of a suicide prevention video and its impacts: A case study of a YouTube short film on youth suicide prevention. *Crisis: The Journal of Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention*. doi: 10.1027/0227-5910/a000593
12. Gao J., Cheng Q.\*, & Yu P.L.H. (2019). Detecting comments showing risk for suicide in YouTube. In K. Arai et al. (Eds.): *Proceedings of the Future Technologies Conference*, AISC 880, pp. 385–400, 2019. Springer, Cham. doi: 10.1007/978-3-030-02686-8\_30
13. Chai Y., Luo H., Zhang Q., Cheng Q., Lui C.S.M., & Yip P.S.F. (2019). Developing an early warning system of suicide using Google Trends and media reporting. *Journal of Affective Disorders*, 255, 41-49. doi: 10.1016/j.jad.2019.05.030
14. Peng C., Kwok C.L., Law Y.W., Yip P.S.F., Cheng Q.\* (2019). Intergenerational support, satisfaction with parent-child relationship and elderly parents' life satisfaction in Hong Kong. *Aging & Mental Health*, 23(4), 428-438. doi: 10.1080/13607863.2017.1423035.

15. Cheng Q., Chen F., Lee E., Yip P.S.F. (2018). The role of media in preventing student suicides: A Hong Kong experience. *Journal of Affective Disorders*. Online ahead published on Nov 8, 2017. doi: dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jad.2017.11.007.
16. Cheng Q.\*, Li T.M.H., Kwok C.L., Zhu T., Yip P.S.F. (2017). Assessing suicide risk and emotional distress in Chinese social media: A text mining and machine learning study. *Journal of Medical and Internet Research*. 19(7):e243. doi: 10.2196/jmir.7276.
17. Cheng Q., Cheung F.T.W. (2017). The new media and the prevention of youth suicide in Hong Kong. *Journal of Youth Study* (in Chinese), 20(1): 124-136.
18. Cheng Q., Chen F., Yip P.S.F. (2017). Media effects on suicide methods: A case study on Hong Kong 1998-2005. *PLoS ONE* 12(4):e0175580. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0175580>.
19. Cheng Q.\*, Kwok C.L., Cheung F.T., & Yip P.S.F. (2017). Construction and validation of the Hong Kong Altruism Index (A-Index). *Personality and Individual Differences*, 113:201-208.
20. Yip P.S.F., Cheng Q., Chang S.-S., Lee E., Chen F., Law F., Cheng E., Chiu S.M., Cheung K.W.R., Tse M.L., Morgon P.R., Beh P. (2017). A public health approach in responding to the spread of helium suicide in Hong Kong: A Case report. *Crisis: The Journal of Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention*. doi: 10.1027/0227-5910/a000449.
21. Chen Y.-Y., Hung G. C.-L., Cheng Q., Tsai C.-W., Wu K. C.-C. (2017). Searching for suicide-related information on Chinese websites. *Psychiatry Research*, 258:506-510. Doi: 10.1016/j.psychres.2017.08.087.
22. Liu T., Cheng Q., Homan C.M., Silenzio V. (2017). Learning from various labeling strategies for suicide-related messages on social media: An experimental study. Full paper being peer reviewed and accepted by Workshop on Mining Online Health Reports, 10<sup>th</sup> ACM International Conference on Web Search and Data Mining. Feb 6~10, 2017. Cambridge, UK.
23. Chang S.-S., Cheng Q., Lee E.S.T., Yip P.S.F. (2016). Suicide by gassing in Hong Kong 2005-2013: Emerging trends and characteristics of suicide by helium inhalation. *Journal of Affective disorders*. 192:162-166.
24. Cheng Q.\*, Chang S.-S., Guo Y., Yip P.S.F. (2015). Information accessibility of the charcoal burning suicide method in mainland China. *PLoS ONE*. 10(10):e0140686. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0140686.
25. Cheng Q.\*, Kwok C.L., Zhu T., Guan L., Yip P.S. (2015). Suicide communication on social media and its psychological mechanisms: An examination of Chinese microblog users. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 12(9):11506–11527. doi: 10.3390/ijerph120911506.
26. Chang S.-S., Kwok S.S., Cheng Q., Yip P.S.F., Chen Y.-Y. (2015). The association of trends in charcoal-burning suicide with Google search and newspaper reporting in Taiwan: a time series analysis. *Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology*. 50(9):1451–1461. doi: 10.1007/s00127-015-1057-7.
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28. Guan L., Hao B., Cheng Q., Yip P.S.F., Zhu T. (2015). Behavioral and linguistic characteristics of microblog users with various suicide ideation level: an explanatory study. *Chinese Journal of Public Health*. 31(3):349-352.
29. Guan L., Hao B., Liu T., Cheng Q., Yip P.S.F., Zhu T. (2015). A pilot study of behavioral and linguistic feature differences between Sina microblog users with online

- identified suicide and users without suicide ideation. *Chinese Journal of Epidemiology*. 36(5):421-425.
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  31. Cheng Q., Fu K.-W., Caine E., & Yip P.S.F. (2014). Why do we report suicides and how can we facilitate suicide prevention efforts? Perspectives from Hong Kong media professionals. *Crisis: the Journal of Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention*. 35(2):74-81.
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  33. Cheng Q., & Yip P.S.F. (2012) Suicide news reporting accuracy and stereotyping in Hong Kong. *Journal of Affective Disorders*. 141(2-3): 270-275.
  34. Niederkrotenthaler T., Fu K.-W., Yip P.S.F, Fong D.Y., Stack S., Cheng Q., & Pirkis J. (2012). Changes in suicide rates following media reports on celebrity suicide: a meta-analysis. *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health*. 66(11): 1037-1042.
  35. Cheng Q., Chang S.-S., & Yip P.S.F. (2012). The opportunities and challenges of online data collection for suicide prevention. *Lancet*. 26 May; 389(9830):e53-54.
  36. Cheng Q.\* (2012). Are Internet service providers responsible for suicide pacts made on their networks? *British Medical Journal*. 344 doi: 10.1136/bmj.d2113.
  37. Cheng Q., Chen F., & Yip P.S.F. (2011). The Foxconn suicides and their media prominence: Is the Werther Effect also applicable in China? *BMC Public Health*. 11: 841. doi: [10.1186/1471-2458-11-841](https://doi.org/10.1186/1471-2458-11-841).
  38. Cheng Q., Fu K.-W., & Yip P.S.F. (2011). A Comparative Study of Online Suicide-Related Information in Chinese and English. *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry*. 72(3): 313-319.

#### *Non-Refereed Publications*

##### - Project Reports

1. Yip P.S.F., Cheng Q., Yip W., & Kam A. (2018). 2017 Hong Kong Altruism Index Survey Report. Funded by Chow Tai Fook Charity Foundation.
2. Yip P.S.F., Cheng Q., & Cheung T.W. (2017). 2016 Hong Kong Altruism Index Survey Report. Funded by Chow Tai Fook Charity Foundation.
3. Yip P.S.F. & Cheng Q. (2014). 2014 Hong Kong Altruism Index Survey. Commissioned by the Government of Hong Kong SAR.

##### - Conference Presentations

1. Cheng Q. (2019). Suicide research in Mainland China and Hong Kong in three decades: A systematic scoping review. 2019 International Summit on Suicide Research. Oct 27-30, 2019. Miami, USA.
2. Cheng Q. (2018). Using YouTube for youth suicide prevention. European Symposium on Suicide and Suicidal Behaviour. Sept 5-8, 2018. Ghent, Belgium.
3. Cheng Q. (2018). Applying machine-learning methods to examine changes of suicide news reporting in Hong Kong. European Symposium on Suicide and Suicidal Behaviour. Sept 5-8, 2018. Ghent, Belgium.
4. Cheng Q. (2018). Assessing and Intervening Psychological Crisis on the Internet (基於互聯網的心理危機檢測與干預). National Conference on Psychological Crisis Intervention (全國心理危機干預大會). Jun 8-10, 2018. Mianyang, China.
5. Cheng Q., Kwok C.L., Cheung T.W., & Yip P.S.F. (2017). Construction and validation of

- altruism index in a hybrid society. International Convention of Psychological Science. Mar 23-25, 2017. Vienna, Austria.
6. Cheng Q. (2016). Detecting emotionally distressed and/or suicidal individuals in social media. International Conference on Innovations in Public Health Sciences. Sept 23-26, 2016. Hong Kong.
  7. Cheng Q., Li M.H., Kwok C.L., Zhu T., & Yip P.S.F. (2016). Language markers of suicide risk and emotional distress in Chinese social media. 7<sup>th</sup> Asia Pacific Regional Conference of International Association for Suicide Prevention. May 18-21, 2016. Tokyo, Japan.
  8. Cheng Q., Li H., Silenzio V., & Caine E.D. (2015). Suicide contagion: a systematic review of definitions and research utility (invited presentation). 28<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Association for Suicide Prevention. Jun 16-20, 2015. Montreal, Quebec.
  9. Cheng Q., Li W., Li H, Zhang D., & Yip P.S.F. (2015). Communicating charcoal burning suicide on Chinese social media. 28<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Association for Suicide Prevention. Jun 16-20, 2015. Montreal, Quebec.
  10. Cheng Q., Chang S.-S., Guo Y., & Yip P.S.F. (2015). Information accessibility of charcoal burning suicide method in mainland China. World Psychiatry Association Congress of Psychiatry 2015. Nov 18-22, 2015. Taipei, Taiwan.
  11. Cheng Q. (2014). Controversial practices with reporting suicide news in Hong Kong, mainland China, and Taiwan. 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Grief and Bereavement in Contemporary Society. Jun 11-14, 2014. Hong Kong.
  12. Cheng Q., Gao R., & Zhu T. (2014). Suicide and bereavement on the Chinese social media. 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Grief and Bereavement in Contemporary Society. Jun 11-14, 2014. Hong Kong.
  13. Cheng Q. (2013). The interaction between traditional media and new media in suicide news production and dissemination in Chinese societies. 27<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Association for Suicide Prevention. Sept 24-28, 2013. Oslo, Norway.
  14. Cheng Q., Li H., Silenzio V., & Caine E.D. (2013). The study of “suicide contagion” during the dawn of social media era: A critical review from a network science perspective. 27<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Association for Suicide Prevention. Sept 24-28, 2013. Oslo, Norway.
  15. Cheng Q., Chen F., Yip P.S.F. (2011). The Foxconn suicides and media prominence in Chinese communities. 26<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Association for Suicide Prevention. Sept 13-17, 2011. Beijing, China.
  16. Cheng Q., Chen Y.-Y., Yip P.S.F. (2011). A comparative study of media portrayal of Foxconn suicide cluster in mainland China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan. 26<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Association for Suicide Prevention. Sept 13-17, 2011. Beijing, China.
  17. Cheng Q. (2009). A systematic review of studies on web-based suicide prevention. The Conference on Promoting Community Mental Health. Dec 15-17, 2009. Hong Kong.
- Book Chapters Authored
1. Cheng Q. & Yip P.S.F. (2016). Implementing international media guidelines in a local context: experiences from Hong Kong. In Thomas Niederkrotenthaler & Steven Stack ed. Media & Suicide: International Perspective on Research, Theory, & Policy. Transaction Publishers.
  2. Cheng Q. & Yip P.S.F. (2014). Media content representation of suicide in various societies: a critical review, in Updesh Kumar ed. Suicidal Behaviour: Underlying Dynamics. Routledge.

## **KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER ACTIVITIES**

1. Meet Assistant Professor Qijin Cheng. (April 18, 2021). Online module of E-Lifelong Learning in Prevention of Suicide in Europe (ELLIPSE). <https://e-llipse.com> ).  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sadSIleBplk>
2. Cheng Q. (March 30, 2021). How to teach children to use digital media properly? Part II. (孩子怎用數碼媒介? II). Hong Kong Ming Pao Daily News (in Chinese).  
<https://news.mingpao.com/pns/%e5%89%af%e5%88%8a/article/20210330/s00005/1617042095234/%e8%a6%aa%e5%ad%90%e7%ad%86%e9%99%a3-%e5%ae%a2%e5%ba%a7%e9%9a%a8%e7%ad%86-%e5%ad%a9%e5%ad%90%e6%80%8e%e7%94%a8%e6%95%b8%e7%a2%bc%e5%aa%92%e4%bb%8b-%ef%bc%88%e4%b8%8b%ef%bc%89>
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<https://news.mingpao.com/pns/%e5%89%af%e5%88%8a/article/20210323/s00005/1616436704264/%e5%ae%a2%e5%ba%a7%e9%9a%a8%e7%ad%86-%e5%ad%a9%e5%ad%90%e6%80%8e%e7%94%a8%e6%95%b8%e7%a2%bc%e5%aa%92%e4%bb%8b-%ef%bc%88%e4%b8%8a%ef%bc%89>
4. Cheng Q., Yip P.S.F. (December 17, 2020). Reporting suicide news with cautions when the pandemic is lingering (疫情反覆 自殺風險增 自殺新聞報導需慎重). Hong Kong Ming Pao Daily News (in Chinese).  
<https://news.mingpao.com/ins/%E6%96%87%E6%91%98/article/20201217/s00022/160812738> 7231/%E7%96%AB%E6%83%85%E5%8F%8D%E8%A6%86-%E8%87%AA%E6%AE%BA %E9%A2%A8%E9%9A%AA%E5%A2%9E-%E8%87%AA%E6%AE%BA%E6%96%B0%E8%81%9E%E5%A0%B1%E9%81%93%E9%9C%80%E6%85%8E%E9%87%8D%EF%BC%88%E6%96%87-%E7%A8%8B%E7%B6%BA%E7%91%BE-%E8%91%89%E5%85%86%E8 %BC%9D%EF%BC%89
5. Cheng Q being interviewed. (December 4, 2020). Striking a chord of empathy. China Daily HK. <https://www.chinadailyhk.com/article/151377#Striking-a-chord-of-empathy>
6. Cheng Q. (October 14, 2019). Cautions when responding to suicide messages in social media. (不讚好不鬻鬻 審慎應對 尋死留言). Hong Kong Ming Pao Daily News (in Chinese).  
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7. Cheng Q. (March 6, 2019). What can we discuss about momo challenge? (當我們談論 momo 挑戰時-可以談論些什麼). HK01 (in Chinese).  
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8. Suicide News Safe Reporting Workshop on June 28 – main speaker Cheng Qijin. (自殺新聞安全報導工作坊 28 日程綺瑾博士主講). Guang Ming Daily (Malaysia), June 16, 2019, (in Chinese). <http://www.guangming.com.my/node/493883/privacy>
9. Traditional media and online media should be rigorous and appropriate reporting can help prevent suicide. (媒體網媒應嚴謹 適當報導助預防自殺). Nanyang Siang Pau (Malaysia), June 30, 2019, (in Chinese).  
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10. “Suicide News Safe Reporting Workshop” is open to media professionals ( “自殺新聞安全報導工作坊” 公開給媒體工作者參與). China Press (Malaysia), June 19, 2019, (in Chinese).

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11. A confession from a suicide attempter: There is more than one way in life, and it is better to pave a way out than to die. (曾想自殺者的告白：人生不止一條路，想死不如去闖). China Press (Malaysia), June 28, 2019, (in Chinese).

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### *Funded Knowledge Exchange Projects*

1. Changing Suicide News Reporting in Hong Kong. Received Knowledge Exchange Award from Faculty of Social Science, HKU. HK\$100,000.
2. CSRP + Initium Media – 1cm Distance from Blue to Blue. Funded by HKU Knowledge Exchange Funding Exercise 2016/17. HK\$100,000.
3. Exchange knowledge of well-being with policy makers and the public via online platforms. Funded by HKU Knowledge Exchange Funding Exercise 2015/16. HK\$100,000.
4. 5. Engaging Media Professionals into Suicide Prevention. Funded by HKU Knowledge Exchange Funding Exercise 2014/15. HK\$100,000.

## **RESEARCH GRANTS**

### *Competitive Grants*

1. Principal Investigator, (Using online peer-support groups to address mental health needs: A co-creation approach with Filipino domestic workers & Project Code:24619521), (ECS), 01/01/2022-31/12/2023, HK\$810,000
2. Co-Investigator, (Web-based single-session growth mindset intervention for adolescent anxiety: A three-arm cluster randomised control trial), (GRF), 01/01/2022-30/06/2023, HK\$498,386)
3. Co-Investigator, (Second Phase of CLAP for Youth@JC & Project Code: 6905616), (Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust), 01/08/2020 - 31/07/2025, HK\$76,320,000
4. Co-Investigator, (Monitoring, Evaluation, and Learning (MEL) Institute Project: Certificate Training cum Mentored Practicum Augmented by an e-Learning Knowledge Hub & Project Code: 7105856), (Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust), 01/09/2018 - 31/08/2021, HK\$13,320,000
5. Principal Investigator, (Media and authoritative discourse of suicide and depression over three decades (1985~2015) in Hong Kong and mainland China & reference no.: 2120564), (Hong Kong General Research Fund), 10/09/2016 - 09/09/2019, HK\$631,000

### *Non-Competitive Grants*

6. Principal Investigator, (A systematic review of rating and regulating protocols on mental health mobile applications & reference no.: 4052215), (CUHK Direct Research Grant), 30/06/2019 - 29/06/2020, HK\$10,000
7. Principal Investigator, (User needs and expectations of online suicide intervention in Chinese speaking regions & reference no.: 4052181), (CUHK Direct Research Grant), 01/06/2018 - 30/11/2019, HK\$91,892
8. Principal Investigator, (Feasibility and usefulness of computerized thematic content analysis on youth suicide narratives in Cantonese and Mandarin), (HKU Seed Fund for Basic Research), 03/03/2017 - 02/03/2018, HK\$77,570
9. Principal Investigator, (Detect and reach out to Chinese microblog users at suicide risk), (HKU Seed Fund for Basic Research), 29/01/2016 - 28/07/2017, HK\$150,000
10. Co-Investigator, (Connect vulnerable youths by activating their social networks), (HSBC Charity Fund), 01/07/2017 - 31/12/2018, HK\$3,068,941
11. Co-Investigator, (A longitudinal study on altruism and well-being in Hong Kong), (Chow Tai Fook Charity Foundation), 01/09/2015 - 31/08/2015, HK\$2,000,000
12. Trained mentor, (eCapacity Development & Growth in the ASPIRE Network), (the US NIH/Fogarty Grant), 18/05/2015 – 30/04/2018, US\$162,535
13. Principal Investigator, (Monitor online spreading of an emerging suicide method (charcoal burning) in Mainland China), (Small Project Funding, HKU), 17/04/2014 - 16/05/2015, HK\$80,000
14. Co-Investigator, (Study of Altruism Index in Hong Kong), (the Government of Hong Kong SAR), 18/03/2014 - 31/07/2014, HK\$2,000,000

### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

Young Researcher Award 2019, granted by The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 07/2020  
Knowledge Exchange Excellence Award 2017, granted by The University of Hong Kong, 10/2018

### **EDITORSHIP**

Guest Editor, for a research topic. Invited by Frontiers in Psychology (<https://www.frontiersin.org/research-topics/14871/the-role-of-media-in-suicide-and-self-harm-cross-disciplinary-perspectives>), 03/2020 – 04/2021.

### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS/ LECTURES**

1. (Media Safe Reporting Workshop), The Penang State Executive Council for Welfare, Caring Society, & Environment, Auditorium F, 5th Floor, KOMTAR & Seminar Room, Jalan Perak Psychiatry Ward, Penang Hospital, Malaysia, 10/07/2021. My presentation was delivered online due to the pandemic.
2. (Tips On Helping Friends At Risk For Suicide), Domestic Workers Corner Hong Kong, Facebook Live. 20/04/2021
3. (Online Chat for Suicide Prevention), The Web Conference 2020 Taipei, Taiwan, 24/04/2020
4. (Media Safe Reporting Workshop & New Media & Suicide Contagion in Youth: How Do We Respond?), The Penang State Executive Council for Welfare, Caring Society, & Environment, Auditorium F, 5th Floor, KOMTAR & Seminar Room, Jalan Perak Psychiatry Ward, Penang Hospital, Malaysia, 28/06/2019
5. (“New Media & Suicide Contagion in Youth: How Do We Respond?” & “Media Safe



- Reporting Workshop”), The Malaysian Psychiatry Association, 5th Floor, Chancellery Building, University Malaya, KL, Malaysia 20/02/2019
6. (Mental health and online addiction), HK Police Negotiation Cadre, Disciplined Services Sports and Recreation Club (DSSRC), Causeway Bay, Hong Kong, 20/06/2018
  7. (Social media and suicide contagion), American Foundation of Suicide Prevention, International Summit of Suicide Research in Henderson, VN, US, 05/11/2017
  8. (Social media for youth suicide prevention), Invited by Hong Kong Society of Behavioral Health, BeHealth 2 Conference at Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, 13/11/2016
  9. (ICT for mental health research and intervention), Invited by School of Public Health, Sun Yat-Sen University, Guangzhou, Guangdong Province, PRC, 10/10/2016
  10. (Social Media for Social Good: Reverberating effects of suicide in the public eye), Department of Psychiatry, University Rochester Medical Centre, Rochester, NY, US, 29/07/2016
  11. (ICT for suicide prevention, Invited by School of Psychology and Behavioural Science), Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, Zhejiang Province, PRC, 09/05/2016
  12. (ICT for mental health research and intervention), School of Public Health, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 20/11/2015

## **INTERNAL SERVICE**

### **Department**

- Member, Department Board, 01/2018 – present  
 Member, The Youth and Childhood Research Programme, 01/2018 – present  
 Member, Committee on Departmental Resources, 08/2018 – present  
 Member, Research Programme for Social Service Development and Programme Evaluation, 01/2018 – 05/2019  
 Teacher-in-Charge, Shandong Study Tour, May 2018  
 Member, Committee on e-Learning Development, 08/2018 – 07/2019

### **Faculty**

- Member, Computational Social Science Laboratory (CSSL) @CUHK

### **College**

- Member, United College, 09/2018 – present  
 Advisor for a student group’ final year project, United College, 03/2019 – 07/2019

## **EXTERNAL SERVICE**

- Advisor for the i-Life Suicide Prevention Association of Penang, 07/2021 – present  
 Invited Judge for Mind HK Media Awards 2021, 03/2021 – 04/2021  
 Academic Advisor for Taipei Lifeline (台北生命線學術顧問), 06/2018 – present  
 Academic Consultant for the HKJC Centre for Suicide Research and Prevention, The University of Hong Kong, 01/2019-present  
 External Examiner of PhD Thesis, University of Newcastle, Australia, 08/2019 – 10/2019  
 Invited reviewer, grant application by Research Foundation Flanders, Belgium, 09/2018 – 10/2018  
 Invited journal reviewer:
1. Suicide and Life-Threatening Behaviors, 10/2021-present
  2. Journal of Adolescence, 02/2020-present

3. Australia and New Zealand Journal of Psychiatry, 06/2020-present
4. The 53rd annual meeting of the Hawaii International Systems Science conference, 07/2019-present
5. Administration and Policy in Mental Health and Mental Health Services Research, 07/2019-present
6. Assessment, 07/2019-present
7. Preventive Medicine, 08/2018-present
8. Aging and Mental Health, 06/2018-present
9. BMC Psychiatry, 12/2017-present
10. Crisis, 09/2017-present
11. Journal of Infection and Public Health, 04/2017-present
12. Epidemiology and Psychiatric Sciences, 09/2015-present
13. Journal of Affective Disorders, 12/2015-present
14. Computers in Human Behavior, 06/2015-present
15. BMC Public Health, 11/2016-present
16. Journal of Medical Internet Research, 11/2015-present
17. General Hospital Psychiatry, 01/2014-present
18. American Journal of Public Health, 12/2013-present
19. PLoS ONE, 02/2012-present
20. Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking, 02/2012-present