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Education

Doctor of Philosophy

Department of Social Work and Social Administration,
The University of Hong Kong

Bachelor of Social Science (Major in Social Work)

The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Graduated with 1st Class Honours

Academic Position

2016-present	Associate Professor, Department of Social Work, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
2010–2015	Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
2007–09	Teaching Consultant, Center on Behavioral Health, The University of Hong Kong

Research and Teaching Awards

2015	Exemplary Teaching Award in General Education Senate Committee on General Education, CUHK (Contribution: Developed and conducted a new GE course, Living with grief: Understanding death, dying and bereavement.)
2013	The Young Researcher Award Faculty of Social Science, CUHK
2011	Exemplary Teaching Award Faculty of Social Science, CUHK
2005	Young Investigator Award for the research paper presented at the 12th Hong Kong International Cancer Congress

Professional Qualifications

2013–present	Diplomate of Logotherapy, Viktor Frankl Institute of Logotherapy
2011–2013	Academic Associate in Logotherapy, Viktor Frankl Institute of Logotherapy
2009–present	Fellow in Thanatology, Association for Death Education and Counseling
2007–09	Certified in Thanatology, Association for Death Education and Counseling

Editorial Board of journals

2020 (Dec)	Editorial Board member of the journal, <i>Death Studies</i>
2014-present	Consulting Editor of the journal, <i>Health and Social Work</i>

Publications: Peer-reviewed Journals

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- Chan, W. C. H., Wong, B., Kwok, T., & Ho, F.** (2017). Assessing Grief of Family Caregivers of People with Dementia: Validation of the Chinese Version of the Marwit–Meuser Caregiver Grief Inventory. *Health & Social Work*, 42(3), 151-158. doi: 10.1093/hsw/hlx022.
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- Chan, W. C. H., Tin, A. F., Wong, K. L. Y.** (2015). Coping with Existential and Emotional Challenges: Development and validation of the Self-Competence in Death Work Scale. *Journal of Pain and Symptom Management*, 50(1), 99-107.
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loneliness on the relationship between depression and pain of Hong Kong Chinese terminally ill patients. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, 17(5), 527–532.

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