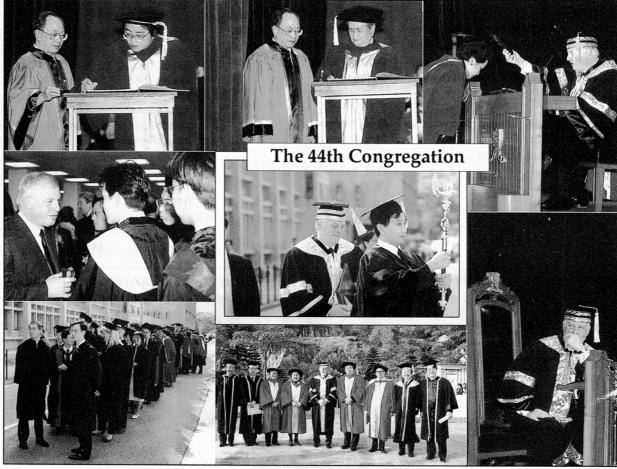


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University News



he University's 44th congregation for the conferment of honorary and higher degrees was held at the Sir Run Run Shaw Hall on 15th October. HE the Governor and Chancellor of the University, the Rt. Hon. Christopher Patten, officiated at the ceremony, which was attended by over 1,000 grad-

uates, guests and parents.

The Chancellor conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws, honoris causa, on Mrs. Alice K. Y. Lam, JP, and Mr. Wilson T. S. Wang, OBE, JP, and the degree of Doctor of Science, honoris causa, on Prof. Tsui Lap-Chee. Due to unforeseen cancella-

tions of flights, Prof. Ezra Vogel of Harvard University was unable to come to Hong Kong on time to receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Social Science in person. He was supposed to represent the honorary graduates to address the congregation, and because of his absence, Prof. Byron Weng of the Department of Government and Public Administration delivered his speech - 'The Twains Shall Meet' - on his behalf.

Citations for the honorary graduates were written and delivered by Dr. Y. H. Chou of the Department of English. The full text of the citations and Prof. Vogel's speech will be

published in the Chinese University Bulletin (Autumn-Winter 1992 issue).

The congregation also saw the award of higher degrees to 288 graduates, including one Doctor of Medicine, 12 Doctors of Philosophy, 108 Masters of Philosophy, 28 Masters of Arts, two Masters of Divinity, 93 Masters of Business Administration, 21 Masters of Arts (Education), 20 Masters of Science, two Masters of Social Science and one Master of Social Work. Outstanding graduates were introduced to the Chancellor at a tea reception held after the ceremony at the Benjamin Franklin Centre.

CUHK to Celebrate 30th Anniversary

The University will celebrate its 30th anniversary in 1993, and a 30th Anniversary Celebrations Planning and Steering Committee has been appointed with Prof. S. W. Tam, pro-vice-chancellor of the University, as chairman.

Sub-committees comprising representatives of students, staff and alumni have also been set up to plan and organize different celebration activities,

Sub-Committee on

Anniversary Lectures & Symposia Anniversary Dinner Anniversary Concert Exhibition Souvenirs Walkathon CUHK History which include seven anniversary lectures, 10 international conferences, a

dinner, an exhibition, a concert, an open day and a walkathon.

A special publication on the history of the University and a collection of souvenir items specially designed for the 30th anniversary will also be produced.

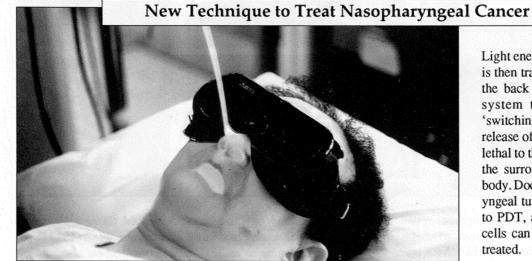
Convener

Prof. Ambrose King Mrs. Gwen Kao Dr. Philip Shen Prof. Kenneth Young Prof. C. N. Chen Mr. D. A. Gilkes Dr. Alice N. H. Ng



Appeal for Historical Photos for 30th Anniversary Exhibition

To commemorate the University's 30th anniversary in 1993, an Anniversary Exhibition will be held from 26th to 29th March 1993 in the Exhibition Hall of the City Hall. The organizing committee now appeal for photographs of the campus and personages of the University in its early days. Members of the University as well as alumni and friends who may possess such photographs are requested to contact Miss Joanna Poon at 6096369 as soon as possible.



The Department of Surgery has succeeded in using photosensitive drugs and lasers to treat patients with nasopharyngeal cancer.

Nasopharyngeal cancer is the second most common cancer in Hong Kong, affecting people of a younger age group. This kind of tumour usually grows at the back of the nose and until now the only treatment available has been radiation therapy, which is not always effective.

A new treatment programme, photodynamic therapy (PDT), has recently been introduced at the Prince of Wales Hospital under the leadership of Dr. C. A. Van Hasselt of the Department of Surgery. The programme is run in conjunction with the Department of Radiotherapy of the hospital. Patients who have failed to respond to the conventional radiation therapy will first be injected with a tumour-seeking drug, which will concentrate in the tumour.

Light energy from a Gold Vapour Laser is then transmitted to the tumour site at the back of the nose by a fibre-optic system to activate the drug. This 'switching on' of the drug causes the release of active components which are lethal to the cancer cells but harmless to the surrounding normal tissues of the body. Doctors have found that nasopharyngeal tumours are extremely sensitive to PDT, and so far no trace of cancer cells can be found at any of the sites treated.

Several thousand patients with a wide variety of malignant tumours in different parts of the body have been similarly treated worldwide, with most encouraging results. The technique has been shown to be effective in curing a wide range of cancers.

Funding for this expensive programme has been provided by a most generous donation from the Shaw Foundation. The Gold Vapour Laser and tumour-seeking drugs have been ordered from Australia.

New Library Extension to be Named after Mr. Tin Ka-ping

The University recently received a generous donation of HK\$25 million from Mr. Tin Ka-ping, a prominent local industrialist, in support of academic research activities. Twenty per cent of this donation has been specifically earmarked for research projects on education developments in China conducted by the Faculty of Education.

At a cheque-presentation ceremony held on 6th October, Mrs. Alice K. Y. Lam, treasurer of the University, represented the University to receive the donation from Mr. Tin.

To give permanent recognition to Mr. Tin's generous support, the University has decided to name the new



extension of the University Library after him. The new building is to be completed in spring 1993 and will house University Library offices, the Universities Service Centre, the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, and the Office of Academic Links.

Awards for Art Gallery Exhibition Catalogues



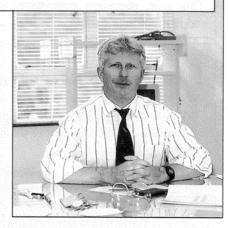


Two publications produced by the Art Gallery to accompany its exhibitions have won important awards.

- Renshan won the second prize in the Award for Outstanding Achievement in Social Science Research (1988-90) organized by the Joint Association of Social Science of Guangzhou and the Guangzhou Social Science Foundation. Edited by Mayching Kao, the catalogue contains 100 paintings and calligraphy of the 'Two Su's', two research papers, and appendices on signatures and seals. It is a valuable reference for the study of the two 19th century Guangdong artists.
- * Another catalogue, Jades from the Tomb of the King of Nanyue, has

been chosen as one of the 10 winning titles in the Award for the Best Produced Books in Hong Kong (1991) organized by the Urban Council and the Hong Kong Trade Development Council. Edited by Peter Y.K. Lam, the book was jointly published by the Art Gallery, the Kau Chi Society of Chinese Art, Woods Publishing Company, and the Museum of the Western Han Tomb of the Nanyue King, Guangzhou. It contains 235 colour plates, three essays by Chinese scholars, and commentaries on each piece of jade excavated from the tomb of the King of Nanyue.

1992 Wilson T. S. Wang Distinguished International Professor



Prof. Charles A. Ingene, Nordstorm Professor of Retail Marketing, University of Washington, has come to visit the University as Wilson T. S. Wang Distinguished International Professor.

Prof. Ingene specializes in spatial marketing, retail marketing and the organization of distribution channels, and has published over a hundred articles and books on these subjects. He also serves as editor of the *Journal of Retailing*, one of the major academic journals in the marketing profession, and consults for many business organ-

izations in the United States.

Prof. Ingene will stay for three months until December 1992. He currently conducts a course entitled 'Seminar in marketing: retailing strategy' for the University's Three-

Year MBA Programme. He has already given two seminars for the staff of the Faculty of Business Administration and a third one will soon be arranged for Ph.D. students. He is also involved in research on the distribution channels in Hong Kong's retail business. According to Prof. Ingene, the rising number of consumer complaints in Hong Kong could be attributed to incorrect pricing and retailing policies.

Symposium on Breast-Feeding

The University's Paediatrics Department and the Hong Kong Nutrition Association jointly organized a symposium on breast-feeding on 25th October 1992 in the lecture hall of the Hong Kong Science Museum. Local as well as overseas experts gathered to exchange experience in the promotion of breast-feeding.

While breast milk is the perfect food for infants, in Hong Kong breastfeeding rate has remained very low over the last two decades, at about 20 to 30 per cent of mothers of new born babies.

This year, important steps have

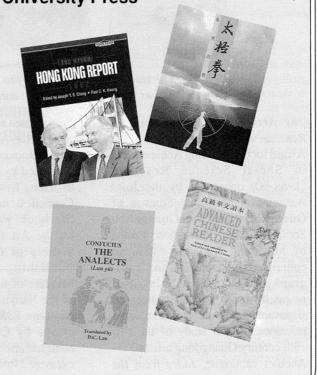


been taken by the United Nations Children's Fund and the World Health Organization to promote breast-feeding worldwide, urging different countries to achieve 'baby-friendly goals' by the end of 1992. The symposium organized by the Paediatrics Department was an effort made in this direction.

New Publications of the University Press

The following books will be sold at a 20 per cent discount to staff members at the University Bookshop, John Fulton Centre.

- The Other Hong Kong Report 1992 (in English), edited by Joseph Y. S. Cheng and Paul C. K. Kwong, 498 pages, paperback, HK\$118.
- Confucius the Analects (Lun Yu) (in English), translated by D. C. Lau, 338 pages, hardcover, HK\$280.
- The MacLehose Trail (in English), Photography: Tim Nutt, Text: Chris Bail, Painting: Tao Ho, 144 pages, hardcover, HK\$250.
- A Guide to Proper Usage of Spoken Chinese (Second Edition) (in English), by Tian Shou-he, 207 pages, paperback, HK\$105.
- Advanced Chinese Reader (in English), edited and annotated by Tien-yi Li and Richard F. Chang, 452 pages, paperback, HK\$185.
- The Development of Chinese Culture (in Chinese), by Hsu Cho-yun, 141 pages, paperback, HK\$55.
- An In-depth Analysis of Taijiquan (in Chinese), by Tsao Shu-wei, 297 pages, paperback, HK\$230.



COLLEGE

Two Colleges Celebrate Founders' Day in October

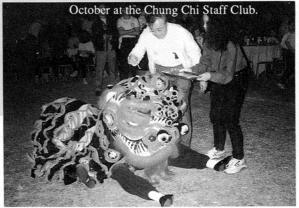


United College held its 36th anniversary ceremony at the Sir Run Run Shaw Hall on 23rd October. Mr. Shum Choi Sang, vice-chairman of the college board of trustees, and Prof. Charles K. Kao, the vice-chancellor, were invited to address the congregation and present prizes to academically outstanding students. To mark the event, the student union of the college also organized a celebration party at the University Mall, which featured a traditional lion's dance and the cutting of a birthday cake. The highlight of the anniversary celebration was a 'feastfor-a-thousand' held on the college campus on the same evening.

Chung Chi College organized its 41st Founders' Day Thanksgiving Service on 30th October in the college chapel. Dr. Su Chung Jen, vice-chairman of the college board of trustees, and Dr. Philip Shen, head of the college, presented awards and scholarships to prize winners.

The college student union organized a host of recreational activities to celebrate the event, which included a tug-of-war, a round-the-campus race, debates, sports games, and singing contests. The traditional 'thousand-people-feast' was held at the Lingnan Stadium in the evening with over 2,000 college guests, staff and students attending the function.

The college alumni association also presented a gift to their alma mater and held an alumni banquet on 31st



In Praise of College Spirit

What part do the constituent colleges play in the education of CUHK students? In an address made on the 36th anniversary celebration of United College, the vice-chancellor had this to say about the importance of college life:

'The Chinese University of Hong Kong is enriched by the unique educational traditions of its constituent colleges. The four colleges create an integrated and yet diversified atmosphere for a place of learning. United College exemplifies the spirit of freedom and vitality that is typical of Hong Kong. Those of you who have been here for one or more years should already have learnt to appreciate the additional benefits of a university education rendered through the college experience. Those of you who have just joined us will soon discover how the extra comaraderie of a college life compensates most effectively for the loneliness of leaving home for the first time. All of you will have gained an extra dimension by the time you graduate. ... You will share the same college spirit throughout your life.'

Prof. Kao also pointed out that the growth of this university from infancy to adulthood was a long and arduous process, and the aspirations of the founders of the three constituent colleges had always guided and inspired those who vouchsafed to bring the best education to the youths of Hong Kong. 'We are on a forward march,' he said, 'but we should never forget our roots.'

How They Tackle Problems of

Theft and Illegal Parking on Campus

On the morning of 8th July 1992, a burglar armed with a gun-shaped weapon broke into a flat in Residence No.11, tied up a couple in the flat, and made off with cash and jewels.

Also during that summer vacation, PC terminals and fax machines were reported lost from certain offices in the Fung King Hey Building.

At about the same time, an increasing number of complaints were lodged with the University administration about illegal parking and insufficient parking space on the campus.

How does the Security Unit react to all these issues which threaten to disrupt peace and tranquility on the campus? The CUHK Newsletter reporter recently

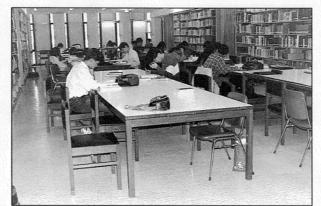
- □ CUHK Newsletter reporter
- Mr. Linus Lau
- ☐ With recent reports of break-ins in the residences and property losses in the general offices, how safe would you say our campus is?

talked to Linus Lau, the University's Security Officer, and here is what Mr. Lau told us about the state of law and order on the campus.

■ I would say very safe indeed, especially when compared with other parts of Hong Kong or Sha Tin. Apart from the 'armed' break-in which was a single incident, the only serious crimes committed on campus have been burglary, and the worst period was 1984-85, when we had an average of 10 such cases a year. After the Security Unit was reinforced in the mid-eighties and patrolling stepped up, such crimes have decreased drastically, and most of them are now confined to construction sites on the campus.

- ☐ What is the major threat to the campus population then?
- Definitely theft. According to our records there were 54. cases of theft on the campus during the six months from October 1991 to March 1992.
- ☐ What kinds of property were stolen?
- They ranged from personal belongings such as wallets, walkman, and bicycles to University property like PC terminals, computer software, staplers, and fax machines. Sometimes even telephone sets and economy light-bulbs.
- ☐ Is there any possibility that those who are supposed to keep them in safe custody have stolen them?
- Our investigations reveal that in certain cases, the culprits are very likely to be 'insiders'. Members of the campus

community are on the whole not fully aware of the important role they can play in the prevention of such crimes. They tend to be slack in keeping University or personal property safe, thinking that the responsibility lies only with campus security guards, which is not a very practical attitude. The best and most expedient way is for everyone to be a security guard. People



Never leave personal belongings unattended.

should never leave handbags and wallets unattended. They should lock up drawers and doors when leaving the office, be strict with the distribution of keys and their duplicates, strengthen control over the lending of office equipment, and install additional security gadgets to protect valuable items. If people are alert and careful, crime on the campus can be reduced.

- □ What measures has the Security Unit taken to fight such crimes?
- More patrolling and more plainclothes security guards to keep an eye on the 'hot spots'. We also put up notices near the scenes of crimes to alert the campus community and to call on possible witnesses to give useful information about the crime. These are effective measures which have led to the apprehension of culprits.
- □ Who are these culprits?
- Some are thieves from outside the campus. But to our dismay, some are found to be students and staff of this university, children of our staff, or employees of our contractors. It's really difficult to guard against such 'insiders' and that's why I always emphasize the im-

portance of cooperation from all quarters.

- □ Now let us turn to traffic problems on the campus. Can you tell us more about new traffic regulations recently introduced?
- Four new regulations have come into effect since 1st October: (1) Vehicles of general visitors and 'authorized individuals' will not be allowed to park overnight on the campus without special permission. (2) The carparks opposite the University Train Station and the Fong Shu Chuen Building are reserved for students and staff only. (3) A maximum of two university vehicle registration labels will be issued to each staff member with cars. (4) Each student is entitled to apply for one such label only.
- □ What are the objectives of these regulations? And what
 - do you mean by 'authorized individuals'?
 - Regulations (1) and (2) aim at solving the problem of insufficient parking space on the campus, especially near the train station. We discover that some persons with no affiliation to the University have been leaving their cars in our carparks for long periods of time, sometimes several weeks, and have refused to drive them away despite re-

peated warnings. The two carparks near the train station have been the most heavily abused. As a result, staff and students who have a real need to drive to work or use the train cannot find any parking space there. We've therefore decided to reserve these two carparks for staff and students only. By forbidding visitors and 'authorized individuals' to park overnight on the campus, we can improve the turnover in our carparks and increase available parking space.

'Authorized individuals' refers to persons closely related to the University in a specific way: contractors, suppliers of goods, vendors of school-bus services, or relatives of staff members residing on campus. Their vehicles are allowed to enter the campus and park in non-reserved carparks, though not overnight.

Regulations (3) and (4) are intended to rectify the situation whereby ineligible individuals ask someone else to apply for staff/student registration labels on their behalf. Through their implementation we can control the number of cars eligible to use our parking facilities.

- ☐ But two labels may not be sufficient for staff members who own three cars or more.
- We will allow more than one licence plate number on a

label, so that the owner can use the same label for several cars.

- □ Two carparks near the train station have been reserved for staff and students. Are there any more reserved carparks on the campus?
- Yes. The carparks in the Lady Shaw Building, the K. K. Leung Building and the new library extension have been designated for the use of staff members only. And overnight parking is strictly forbidden in these three carparks, irrespective of what kind of parking label you have.
- □ What happens when a car owner or driver violates any of these regulations?
- His car will be impounded. Of course if the situation allows
 - we will give him warning first and ask him to drive the car away. I would also like to take this opportunity to call upon members of the University to liaise with us in advance if they are expecting important guests. This will help avoid an embarrassing situation if they inadvertently park their cars in our reserved carparks and we impound them.



An illegally-parked car being impounded.

- □ Since parking space is inadequate, is illegal parking common? Are there spots where parking is strictly prohibited?
- Illegal parking is a serious problem here. We have painted yellow lines in 11 places on the campus to alert drivers that parking in those areas is strictly forbidden.
- ☐ And when you find cars parked in such areas, what action will you take?
- It all depends on the circumstances. We may only issue a warning letter; we may want to locate the owner as quickly as possible so that he can remove his car; we may impound the vehicle if the driver has been warned before or if the vehicle causes a traffic jam and poses danger to pedestrians.
- ☐ We notice that warnings are issued to illegally parked cars in some areas but not in others. Why the difference in treatment?
- Along major roads such as Central Avenue, University Road, Chung Chi Road, Station Road, United Road, New Asia Circle, and Residence Road, we have to make sure that

the flow of traffic will not be adversely affected by illegally parked cars and will therefore take more stringent measures.

In other more remote locations where illegal parking is less likely to cause a traffic accident, and where no objection is received from people at nearby offices, we tend to be more lenient.

- ☐ Security guards are after all not policemen. How then can you penalize those who frequently violate traffic regulations on the campus?
- Indeed the severest penalty we can mete out is impounding cars and levying fines on the owners. But we also keep a computer record of the offenders and their licence numbers, and check our records from time to time. If we identify a frequent offender, we shall first send him a letter re-

questing his cooperation in future. If cooperation doesn't seem to be forthcoming, an assistant security officer will pay him a home visit and try the method of friendly persuasion. On the rare occasion when the offender is still uncooperative, we shall nullify his vehicle registration label.

For more serious offences such as reckless, dangerous or unlicensed driving, we notify the police to prosecute the

drivers concerned. All campus roads are subject to the government's Road Traffic Ordinance and Regulations, and drivers have to bear legal responsibilities for their wrong-doings. The University may also ban the vehicles of such offenders from entering the campus.

But generally speaking, members of this university drive with care and restraint, and we have very few accidents on campus roads.

- ☐ I gather that the University community is generally pleased with the current state of affairs as far as campus security and traffic is concerned. Can you tell us how you manage the Security Unit?
- Thank you for your compliments. I have asked each staff member of our unit to adopt these as our objectives:

To work with enthusiasm,

To serve with courteousness.

To be impartial in our decision-making,

To safeguard our unit and our patrons.

Of course we need the cooperation of our patrons, i.e. all members of the University community, in order to maintain law and order, and to make the campus a pleasant place to live and work in.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Professorial Appointment

Professor of Clinical Oncology Prof. Philip James Johnson has been appointed professor of clinical oncology from 1st October 1992.

Prof. Johnson graduated M.B. Ch.B. in 1972 from the Medical School of Manchester University. After one year of internship, he served as senior house officer at four major



postgraduate centres in London and passed the MRCP examination in 1974. In 1975 he began his attachment to the Liver Unit at King's College Hospital, London, where he gained his initial training in hepatology and an introduction to clinical research. Prof. Johnson has extensive experience treating liver, gastroenterological and pancreatic diseases, and teaching postgraduate courses in these subjects. He obtained his MD from the University of Manchester and became FRCP in 1991. Before joining this university, Prof. Johnson worked with the Institute of Liver Studies, King's College Hospital and King's College School of Medicine and Dentistry as consultant physician.

Prof. Johnson's major research interests are the consequences of and factors influencing malignant change in patients with chronic liver diseases, pancreatic carcinoma, and more recently autoimmune chronic hepatitis.

Prof. Johnson is married, with two daughters.

The 45th Congregation and Special Arrangements on the Congregation Day

The 45th congregation for the conferment of first degrees will be held at the University Mall on Thursday, 10th December 1992 at 3.00 p.m. This year a total of 1,618 graduates will be awarded bachelor's degrees.

HE the Governor and Chancellor of the University, the Rt. Hon. Christopher Patten, will officiate at the ceremony, which will be followed by a reception at the University Square.

Robing Room for Procession Members

Staff members joining the official procession should assemble by 2.30 p.m. at the conference hall on the ground floor of the University Administration Building, which will serve as the robing room.

Marshalling of the procession will begin at 2.40 p.m. The procession will leave the Administration Building at 2.56 p.m.

Traffic Arrangements

Traffic on the Central Avenue will be made one-way only (west-bound) from 1.30 p.m., leaving one lane of the avenue for parking. The section between the Leung Kau Kui Building and the Y.C. Liang Hall will remain two-way.

The carpark near the Li Dak Sum Building and the parking area outside the University Administration Building will be reserved for members of the procession.

Appropriate road signs will be put up and campus guards will be on hand to assist motorists.

Suspension of Classes

Classes for Medical Studies (Year 1 & 2), the Intercalated Degree Programme in Medical Sciences, and the Pharmacy Programme will be suspended from 1.30 to 5.30 p.m. Other full-time undergraduate classes will be suspended for the whole day.

BFC Staff Canteen to be Closed

The Benjamin Franklin Centre Staff Canteen will be closed on 10th December to be used as the robing room for graduates.

Art Gallery to Extend Opening Hours

For the convenience of guests attending the congregation who may also be interested in visiting the Art Gallery, the gallery will extend its opening hours until 5.00 p.m. on 10th December.

Wet Weather Arrangement

In case of wet weather, the congregation will be held at the Sir Run Run Shaw Hall.

Professorial Inaugural Lecture

Prof. K. J. Sellick, professor of nursing, will deliver his inaugural lecture entitled 'The Evolution of Nursing: from Handmaiden to Independent Practitioner' on 20th November at 5.30 p.m. in Lecture Theatre 6, Lady Shaw Building. All are welcome.

Symposium on Accounting in December

The Department of Accountancy will host a symposium on 'Accounting in the Changing Chinese Environment' at the Cho-Yiu Hall on Thursday, 3rd December 1992. Academics and professionals from China, Taiwan and

Hong Kong will attend the function to discuss issues related to financial and management accounting, and taxation and corporate law. Keynote addresses will be delivered by Mr. Anthony Au-Yeung, the Commissioner of Inland Revenue, and Mr. Felix Chow, president of the Hong Kong Society of Accountants.

The deadline for registration is 20th November, and registration fee is HK\$260 per person. For further details please contact Mr. C. K. Low, secretary of the organizing committee (Tel. Ext. 7891; Fax No. 6035114).

Epson Foundation Invites Applications for Research Funding

Staff members wishing to apply for funds from the Epson Foundation for research should send their applications to the Research Administration Office before 1st December 1992. Prescribed application forms and application guidelines are obtainable from the office (Room 306, John Fulton Centre, Tel. Ext. 7865).

1992-94 Office-bearers of CUSA

The Chinese University Staff Association recently held its 11th general meeting and the following were elected office-bearers for 1992-94:

Honorary Presidents: Mr. Tomas H. C. Cheung

Mr. William H. C. Wan, JP

Honorary Legal Advisers: Mr. Hin-lee Wong

Mr. Tak-ching Foo Dr. Lai-hung Kwan

Honorary Auditor: Mr. Sau-yung Lau, ACCA, CPA

Members of the Executive Committee:

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Assistant Secretary: Mr. Wallace So
Executive Members: Mr. Alan Ho
Mr. Anthony Ho
Dr. Memie Kwok

Mr. Hardy Tsoi

Reserved Executive Member: Mr. Chow Yick-hay

Swimming Pool to Be Closed

The Benjamin Franklin Centre Swimming Pool will be closed from December 1992 to March 1993 for annual maintenace.

The date of reopening will be announced in due course.

- Sir Quo-wei Lee, chairman of the University Council, has been appointed by HE the Governor as a member of the Governor's Business Council from 10th October 1992 to 31st December 1994.
- Prof. S. W. Tam, pro-vicechancellor of the University and dean of the Graduate School, has been appointed by HE the Governor as chairman of the Supplementary Medical Professions Council for one year from 1st October 1992.
- Prof. Joseph C. K. Lee of the Department of Anatomical and Cellular Pathology has been appointed by HE the Governor as a member of the Supplementary Medical Professions Council and as chairman of the Optometrists Board, both for a term of one year from 1st October 1992.
- Prof. Charles. K. Kao, vice-chancellor of the University, has been appointed as

- a member of the Engineers Registration Board from 9th July 1992.
- Dr. Cheng Yin Cheong, lecturer in educational administration and policy, has been invited by the Education

Service to the Community and International Organizations

Department to serve as a member of its Advisory Committee on School Management Initiative for another year from 1st September 1992.

- Dr. Tsao Poon-yee, lecturer in music, has been appointed by the Urban Council as an honorary adviser to the Hong Kong Museum of History for one year from 1st October 1992.
- Dr. Leslie N. K. Lo, dean of education, has been invited by Caritas-Hong Kong to serve as a member of its reconstituted Education Committee for

two and a half years from 1st September 1992.

■ Prof. Ferdinand A. Gul of the Department of Accountancy has been invited by the Council of the Hong Kong

Society of Accountants to serve as a member of its Third Long Range Plan Working Group from 15th September 1992. Prof. Gul has also been invited by the Hong Kong

Society of Accountants to serve as a member of its editorial board from 15th September 1992.

■ Mr. Stephen Yam, lecturer in accountancy, has been invited by the Hong Kong Association of the Deaf to serve as a member of its advisory committee from 1st September 1992 to 1st September 1994. Mr. Yam has also been appointed by the Shanghai Academy of Social Science as honorary consulting professor of graduate studies of accountancy from 20th September 1992.

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- 4. The Editor reserves the right to reject contributions and to edit all articles for reasons of clarity, length or grammar. Those who do not wish to have their articles amended should indicate clearly in writing.

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