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# Sunny Review

## 1. Alumni Homecoming Day



CUHK Alumni Homecoming Day was held on 3 December 2022 (Sat). One of the highlighted programmes this year is CUHK Campus Self-guided Tour, and a photo booth with the theme “Yee Sun Bear’s Adventure” was set up at the College. The photo spot attracted numerous alumni to gather at the College and they had an enjoyable walk at the College.

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## 2. Service-Learning Programme - Service for Intergenerational Digital Inclusion



Service for Intergenerational Digital Inclusion was conducted from September to November, with the collaborative effort of the College and Institute of Active Ageing(活齡學院) of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Our students had assisted the elder tutor to co-teach in eight zoom sessions, also to design and host four extra tutorial sessions which aim to increase the digital participation of elder adults and narrow the digital generation gap. Students had a great time interacting with the elder adults and got to know more about their difficulties in using digital devices during the service.

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# College Activities

## 1. Team Challenge 36 團隊挑戰 36

**團體挑戰 36 TEAM CHALLENGE 36**

日期 Date: 17 Dec 2022 (Sat)  
地點 Venue: 香港郊野 Hong Kong Countryside  
賽事全長 Length: 36km | 時限 Time Limit: 16 Hours

立即組隊參加!  
FORM GROUP AND JOIN NOW!

挑戰項目 Tasks:  
 • 登山 Hiking  
 • 城市 & 野外定向 Cityhunt  
 • 單車挑戰 Cycling  
 • 綠繩下降/繩網挑戰 Orienteering/Abseiling  
 • 獨木舟及溪流旅程 Canoeing & Stream Adventure

詳情 Details: 報名 Application:  
 [QR Code] [QR Code]

查詢 Enquiries: Ms Sammy Kwan (sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk)  
 Organizer: BGCA Deadline: 8 Dec 2022 (6pm)

## 【團隊挑戰 36 現正接受報名!】

由小童群益會主辦的團隊挑戰 36 正接受報名，有無興趣一齊組隊參加比賽呢？

活動詳情：<http://tc36.bgca.org.hk>

「團隊挑戰 36」自 1998 開始舉辦，是一項大型的越野跑賽事。活動路線約為 36 公里，參加隊伍需於 16 小時內以 4 人一隊隊制形式，自訂路線行畢全程，過程中需於指定時間內抵達各檢查站並完各項挑戰項目。當中包括登山、野外定向、單車、綠繩下降、團隊活動、溪流旅程等。活動目的為透過有益身心的挑戰活動，加強參加者的意志力及團隊合作精神。

賽事日期: 2022 年 12 月 17 日 (星期六)

起步時間: 08:00-11:00

地點: 香港郊野

項目: 路程約 36 公里，含各項團體挑戰項目 – 登山、城市定向、野外定向、單車挑戰、綠繩下降/繩網挑戰、團隊活動、獨木舟及溪流旅程等 (技術項目會按路線設計增減)

賽事時限: 隊伍必須於 16 小時內完成

截止報名日期: 2022 年 12 月 8 日

報名：[https://tc36.bgca.org.hk/?page\\_id=15](https://tc36.bgca.org.hk/?page_id=15)

資格: 兩位或以上年齡為 18 歲以上的團隊

對象: 具野外活動經驗之人士，需基本掌握地圖指南針運用，並對各挑戰項目有簡單認識

人數: 4 人 1 隊 (最少一名為異性隊員)

查詢: Sammy Kwan ([sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk)) / 電話: 3943 9775

## 【Team Challenge 36 is now open for application !】

Organized by BGCA, Team Challenge 36 is now open for application! Would you like to challenge yourself?

For details: <http://tc36.bgca.org.hk>

"Team Challenge 36" has been held since 1998 and is a large-scale trail running event. The route of the event is about 36 kilometres. The participating teams must complete the entire route in a team of 4 within 16 hours. During the process, they must arrive at each checkpoint and complete various challenges within the specified time. These include mountaineering, orienteering, cycling, abseiling, group activities, stream trips, etc. The purpose of the

activity is to strengthen the willpower and teamwork spirit of the participants through challenging activities that are beneficial to the body and mind.

Date: 17 December 2022 (Sat)

Starting time: 08:00–11:00

Venue: Hong Kong Countryside

Challenges: 36km

Duration: Within 16 hours

Application deadline: 8 December 2022

Application Information: [https://tc36.bgca.org.hk/?page\\_id=15](https://tc36.bgca.org.hk/?page_id=15)

Eligibility: A team of two or above adults

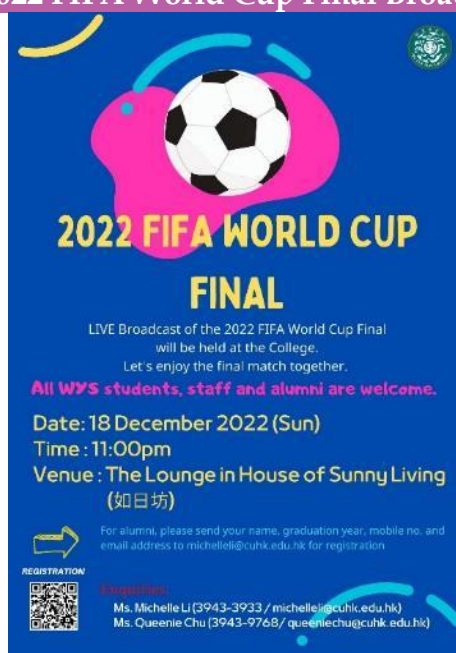
Targeted participants: Experienced in outdoor activities with basic mapping and compass skill

Team: 4 members with at least one member of opposite sex

Enquiries: Sammy Kwan (Email: [sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk) / Tel: 3943 9775)

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## 2. 2022 FIFA World Cup Final Broadcast



### Let's Watch 2022 FIFA World Cup Final Together

LIVE Broadcast of the 2022 FIFA World Cup Final will be held at the College.

Let's enjoy the final match together.

All WYS students, staff and alumni are welcome.

Registration : <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13659590>

(For alumni, please send your name, graduation year, mobile no. and email address to [michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk) for registration)

Enquiries:

Ms. Michelle Li (3943-3933 / [michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk))

Ms. Queenie Chu (3943-9768/ [queeniechu@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:queeniechu@cuhk.edu.hk))

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# College Announcements

## 1. [Open for Application] CUHK Convocation Outstanding Community Service Award

CUHK Convocation Outstanding Community Service Award was established by CUHK Convocation in 2003. The award is granted to undergraduates with outstanding performances, to encourage more diversity of student development, and to reflect the support and caring from CUHK alumni toward students. Each award values at HK\$10,000.

Please see below for selection criteria:

- Full-time Year 2 or above undergraduate students of any disciplines
- Have records of active and enthusiastic participation and promotion of community services
- Have outstanding contribution to the community
- Have demonstrated outstanding leadership and organizational abilities

The College will nominate ONE candidate to compete for the Award. You are cordially invited to apply for the Award through self-nomination and be made via the [online form](#). The deadline will be **14 Dec 2022, 11:59pm**. Students' self-nomination will be channeled to Service-Learning Committee for consideration.

Details: <http://www.alumni.cuhk.edu.hk/convocation/eng/scholarships.html>

Enquiries:

Ms Erica Leung (3943 3942/ [ericaleung@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:ericaleung@cuhk.edu.hk))

Miss Kiki Chan (3943 3935/ [kikiwkchan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:kikiwkchan@cuhk.edu.hk))

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## 2. Online Questionnaire on Wu Yee Sun College Student Canteen

*(The following message is drafted by Student Representatives of Catering Services Committee)*

The student representatives of the Catering Services committee, Wu Yee Sun College would like to collect opinions from the University community to help improve the quality of catering services, the results of the questionnaire will be announced in late December. We would be grateful if you could spare a few minutes to complete this questionnaire.

The link is as follows: <https://forms.gle/sDUrz7otbxYo3eLD7>

If you have any enquiries or encountered any technical problem when filling out the questionnaire, please email to [wys.catering.cscsr@gmail.com](mailto:wys.catering.cscsr@gmail.com)

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## 3. Opening Hour of Non-resident Hall

### Opening Hour of Non-resident Hall

Commuter students, though not living on campus, can still enjoy their campus life at their second home - the full sea-view Non-Resident Hall where they interact with fellow students and participate in various hall activities. Check out the details [HERE](#) and enrich your College life.

	Non-resident Hall (West Block)	Non-resident Hall (East Block)
Opening Hour	Monday – Sunday (9:00-22:30)	Monday- Thursday (13:00-17:00) Friday (12:00-17:00)

<b>Access</b>	Access by Students' CU Link	Committee Members of Non-resident Association will be there to greet you!

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#### 4. Revised Campus Arrangement in Term 1, 2022/23

We are most delighted to welcome our Sunnies back to campus. We would like to take this opportunity to update you the use of campus facilities, in order to safeguard the health and well-being for every College member. Your support is the key to maintain a healthy community for living and learning together.

#### College Prevention and Control Measures against COVID-19

1. Please measure body temperature at the counter at College Gallery and sanitize hands upon entering into College building. If body temperature is above 37.5 °C, s/he will not be allowed to enter into College.
2. If students have taken a COVID-19 test, please stay at home until the test result is available.
3. Please be reminded that **ONLY CUHK Student Visitor** (i.e. CUHK current undergraduate and postgraduate students who do not have a hostel place at Wu Yee Sun College) **will be allowed to enter the hostel floors during visiting hour 10:00am – 11:00pm daily**. Overnight visitors will remain suspended.

Residents and hostel visitors should observe the Student Hostel Regulations, all College precautionary measures against COVID-19 and latest government regulations on physical distancing including the limit on group gathering; as well as following the instructions of Wardens, Resident Tutors and hostel/ security staff on duty. **If necessary, residents and hostel visitors should present their CU Link Card and/or other identification document.** If residents witness suspicious persons in hostel floors, please report to Wardens, Resident Tutors or hostel/ security staff on duty immediately.

#### College Facilities

1. WYS non-residents can access College until 11:00pm daily. Only residents can access College building after 11:00pm
2. The opening hours and maximum capacity of College facilities can be referred at <https://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/about-us/campus/>.
3. **College Gymnasium:** Only authorized users can use the gym with a maximum of 15 users using the gym in the same session. Each user can use the gym for 1 hour daily. All users must complete registration, body temperature measurement and hand sanitizing, upon presenting users' CU Link/ Guest Card in exchange for an access card, prior to accessing the gym. Masks must be worn (**except** the time of doing exercises) and at least 1.5m social distancing must be maintained at all times. Users must also observe the current regulations of using the gym as well.

Students under medical surveillance with amber code status under the government's [enhanced vaccine pass function](#) are not permitted to use the sports facilities.

A detailed guideline will be sent to authorized users separately. First-time users should bring their valid (i) CU Link Card and (ii) CUHK Fitness Room User Certificate to College Office (G03) for registration.

4. **Reservation of College Facilities:** Only recognized College student organizations are eligible to reserve College facilities [except for Piano Rooms (Room 106 & 107) and Discussion Rooms in Learning Commons (Room 102A and Room 103A) which will be opened for individual students]. Student organizations may contact the responsible

College staff to book facilities for their planning of activities until the resumption of College online booking system.

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## 5. Grab this chance to join the newly revamped Rance Lee Mentorship programme



With the initiation of our CUHK alumnus Mr. Sai-Yung Lau and the generous funding support of our CUHK alumni Mr. Albert Wu and Mr. Philip Li, this programme has been restructured.

The group-to-group mentor-mentee model, which is comprised of senior mentors, alumni mentors and student mentees, will be adopted. With the support of *alumni mentors*, a new element of this programme, it is believed that the bonding within a group or among WYS members will be stronger.

We are excited to share that a number of alumni mentors from various industries, namely **banks, insurances, education, medical care, architecture, start-ups** and so forth will join hand with senior mentor to play a role in this programme.

This programme aims to promote *a multi-functional social networking* for

- Providing practical advice and assistance
- Sharing information and interests
- Nurturing close friendship and emotional support

Funding support at HK\$3,000 per annum for each group will be provided to facilitate the group activities. This programme offers a lifelong membership for all the participants. It is now open for all WYS students to enroll.

Should you be interested in it, please click this [link](https://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/whole-person-development/mentorship/) to register. For details, please check out College website <https://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/whole-person-development/mentorship/>

**Enquiries:**

Miss Kiki Chan ([kikiwokchan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:kikiwokchan@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3935)

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## 6. “Meet the Dean” Hours 輔導長時間

“Meet the Dean” Hours is a regular time schedule particularly for you to talk directly to the College Dean of Students on any matters you feel interested or concerned.

You talk. We listen. Even if you want to keep it to your heart, we still stand by your side.

The session is hosted by:

- Professor Kelvin K.F. Tsoi (蔡錦輝教授), College Dean of Students and Associate Professor at Jockey Club School of Public Health and Primary Care
- Dr. Po-kin Leung (梁寶建博士), College Associate Dean of Students and Lecturer at the Department of Physics
- Ms. Sharon Wong (黃倩影小姐), College Associate Dean of Students and Assistant Lecturer of Independent Learning Centre

Every Sunnie is welcome, email us whenever you want to talk!

### Enquiries:

Ms. Sammy Kwan ([sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 9775)

Miss KiKi Chan ([kikiwkchan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:kikiwkchan@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3935)

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## 7. Student Pastoral Care

Sometimes you find yourself with these negative emotions: lost, alone, aimless or confused as you adjust to university life or pursue personal growth. Share your feeling with others will help release your emotions and gain new perspectives! DON'T be afraid to ask for help. Our College Dean of Students would be more than happy to speak to you and give you advices, below are the contact numbers you may wish to know.

- 1) You are welcome to speak with our **College Dean of Students** when you have problems that need resolving. Please email [sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk) for arrangement.
- 2) You may also approach the **University's Wellness and Counselling Centre** at **3943 7208** for help.
- 3) A **24-hour Emotional Support Hotline** at **5400 2055** is available to assist all CUHK full-time students in need of emotional help. The hotline is operated by trained counsellors from Christian Family Service Centre which offers telephone counselling and crisis interventions. You are welcome to call when facing emotional distress and critical situations.

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## 8. WYS's Got Talents - Photography, Poster Design, MC and a lot more!





Are you interested in or excellent at any of the fields below?

- Photography / Video-production
- Art & Design (e.g. posters or infographics)
- Simultaneous Interpretation
- Master of Ceremonies
- Audio & Video Support
- Writing (e.g. creative writing or student reporter in publications)

The College is recruiting all sorts of talents to contribute in various College events. Registered students may be invited to assist in different occasions. Don't hide your talents, shine in the College!

P.S. CREATIVITY COUNTS!!!

Let us know what you are interested in and excellent at: <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=2083838>

**Enquiries:**

Ms. Sammy Kwan ([sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:sammykwan@cuhk.edu.hk)) / 3943 9775)

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## 9. Membership Recruitment – WYS Alumni Association 伍宜孫書院校友會會員招募

Want to stay in touch with your college friends? Expand your professional network? Give back to the College? WYS Alumni Association lets you take college bonds beyond student life. You can get a lifelong membership for just \$500. Apply now, and you will receive a set of 4 reusable drinking straws! (While stocks last)

Simply fill in the [application form](#), and return to the College Office (G/F, Wu Yee Sun College) with the membership fee.

想跟書院同學保持聯繫？想擴闊人際網絡？想回饋書院？透過伍宜孫書院校友會，你可以將學生時代的關係延續下去。終生會籍只需 500 元。現時申請，更可獲贈一套四支環保飲管（先到先得，送完即止）。

各位同學只須填妥申請表，連同會員費，交回伍宜孫書院地下院務室即可。

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# College Funding & Awards Schemes

## 1. Self-Motivation Fund for Health and Well-being Activities



*Self-Motivation Fund for Health and Well-being Activities* encourages students to participate in various kinds of health and well-being activities in order to strengthen your **physical health** and **mental wellness**.

### Eligibility:

For Wu Yee Sun College students who participate in health and well-being activities organized by organization(s) other than the College.

**There are two categories of activities you can apply :**

#### **(i) Health and Well-being Activities**

##### **Examples :**

Healthy Cooking Class, Trial Course on Musical Instruments, Course about Nutrition or Chinese Medicine, Mindfulness Workshop, Mental Health First Aid Course

**Funding amount :** Maximum **\$1500** or Up to 60% of application fee and course fee (whichever is lower)

#### **(ii) Qualification Courses for Health and Well-being Instructors**

##### **Examples :**

Mindfulness-Based Cognitive Therapy (MBCT) Instructor Course, Art or Music Therapy Instructor Course

**Funding amount :** Maximum **\$3000** or Up to 60% of course fee (whichever is lower)

Take a look at the guidelines and the reflection template to start your healthy life now!!!

**Application :** <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13636283>

### Enquiries:

Ms. Queenie Chu ([queeniechu@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:queeniechu@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 9768)

Ms. Michelle Li ([michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3933)

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## 2. Self-Motivation Fund for Sports Activities

**[The Self-Motivation Fund for Sports Activities has been exhausted for Phase I. Students can submit the application for Phase II starting from 9 Jan 2023, for activities held on or after 1 Feb 2023. ]**



*Self-Motivation Fund for Sports Activities encourages students to participate in various kinds of **sports activities** and **qualification courses for sports coach**, in order to live up the spirit "Sports for Everyone".*

**Funding Amount:**

Sports Activities: Maximum **\$1500** or Up to 60% of application and course fee (whichever is lower)

Qualification courses for sports coach: Maximum **\$3000** or Up to 60% of course fee (whichever is lower)

Take a look on the guidelines and report template, and challenge yourself with different activities.

**Application** : <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13636283>

**Enquiries:**

Ms. Queenie Chu ([queeniechu@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:queeniechu@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 9768)

Ms. Michelle Li ([michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:michelleli@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3933)

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**3. Self-Motivation Fund for Green Activities**



*Self-Motivation Fund for Green Activities* encourages students to participate in various kinds of *green activities* and *qualification courses* for instructors of green activities that promote sustainability and environmental consciousness.

**Funding Amount:**

Green Activities: Maximum **\$1500** or Up to 60% of application fee and course fee (whichever is lower)

Qualification courses for instructors of green activities: Maximum **\$3000** or Up to 60% of course fee (whichever is lower)

Take a look on the [guidelines](#) and [reflection template](#), and challenge yourself with different activities.

**Application :** <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13636283>

**Enquiries:**

Ms. Sonia Yu ([soniayu@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:soniayu@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3937)

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## 4. Mingle Fund



Mingle Fund aims at encouraging interaction among local, international and incoming exchange students of Wu Yee Sun College.

The Fund mainly supports daily and social activities with the participation of Both local students and international / incoming exchange students (i.e. there should be at least one local student AND at least one international / incoming exchange student.)

Successful applicants will receive subsidy on reimbursement basis. For each successful application, each participant may receive, at most, HK\$100 subsidy for the activity.

**More Details:** <https://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/college-life-support/funding-scheme/>

**Enquiries:**

Miss Kiki Chan ([kikiwkchan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:kikiwkchan@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3935)

## 5. Be Entrepreneurial! Funding Scheme 創出我天地! 資助計劃



Grab the chance, be creative!

**Be Entrepreneurial! Funding Scheme** supports students to implement various short-term projects fulfilling college's core values of **creativity, entrepreneurial spirit, and social responsibility**.

All undergraduate students, regardless of discipline and year of study, are welcome to submit application all year round. **The maximum funding amount is up to HK\$20,000!**

**Online application is now available, simply submit your application through one click**  
- <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13638278>

Check out the details through this [link](#).

**Enquiries:**

Ms. Julia Liu ([juliali@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:juliali@cuhk.edu.hk)) / 3943 9775)

## 6. Service-learning project Funding Scheme 服務學習項目資助計劃



If you have ideas of service-learning projects in mind, grasp the chance to make it come TRUE! The College’s Service-learning Project Funding Scheme supports any meaningful service-learning project to be held at anywhere of the world any time. You will definitely gain more than you give in the service-learning project.

Learn to serve and serve to learn! Please visit the website for more info.

**Enquiries:**

Miss Kiki Chan ([kikiwokchan@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:kikiwokchan@cuhk.edu.hk) / 3943 3935)

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## 7. Global Learning Award Scheme



The Global Learning Award Scheme (GLAS) aims to encourage students to initiate or participate in non-local academic or experiential learning programmes with the main purpose of LEARNING. Applicants will be awarded the “Global Learning Award” and receive the award amount after completing all post-trip requirements on time.

Students can apply funding for the self-initiating trips, overseas programmes, and virtual programmes. For further details, Please refer to college website for application guidelines.

Round	Applying for trips taken during (for trips overlapping both rounds, <u>first date</u> of the trip shall determine the application period)	Application period
Summer	May 1 - Oct 31	Nov 1 - Apr 30

Application: <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13658106>

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## 8. Internationalization Activity Fund



If you are interested in organizing activities to promote cross-cultural integration, we support you to kick-start your plan!

The **Internationalization Activity Fund** aims to support students or student bodies to organize college- or hostel-level extracurricular activities which promote internationalization and inter-cultural exchange opportunities among members of the WYS community.

### Eligibility

1. All registered WYS student associations will be eligible for applying for financial support from the Fund.
2. Local and non-local student bodies/students are also encouraged to apply for the funding to organize activities for promoting campus integration and cohesion.
3. At least 70% participants should be local undergraduate students.

### Examples

- Experience of Clothing, Dining, Living & Transport in Hong Kong
- Hong Kong Sightseeing Tram Tour
- Thanksgiving Festival Celebration

• Korean Night

**Funding Amount:** Maximum \$20,000

**Guidelines & Application:** <https://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/college-life-support/funding-scheme/?scheme=internationalization-activity-fund-2>

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## Other Activities & Announcements

### 1. Friends of the Arts Scheme (FTA) 2022-23

新一年度 Friends of the Arts 計劃現已接受報名。

「Friends of the Arts」由藝術行政主任辦公室主辦，為中文大學全日制學生提供多元藝術文化教育。除了邀約不同界別的資深藝術工作者舉辦藝術講座、工作坊及分享會外，我們更會定期為大家選取有質素的演出一同欣賞。

年度主題：ARTS Like...文化藝術打卡

對象：香港中文大學全日制學生

費用：\$250 [開學優惠！30/9 前以優惠價 \$200 報名]

名額有限，先到先得

報名：<https://www.srrsh.cuhk.edu.hk/zh/content/student-cultural-ambassadors-scheme-application-zh>

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2022-23 Friends of the Arts Scheme (FTA) is now open for application.

Presented by the Office of the Arts Administrator, the scheme provides diverse arts and cultural programmes for full-time CUHK students. FTA provides an extensive range of arts and cultural activities. We invite experienced artists from different fields regularly to give lectures, workshops and sharing sessions for our members. We will organize arts performances appreciation and activities to our members every month.

Theme of the year : ARTS Like...

Target: Full Time CUHK students

Fee: \$250(Discount registration before 30/9: \$200)

Limited quota on a first-come-first-served basis

Application: <https://www.srrsh.cuhk.edu.hk/en/application>

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### 2. ILC Services for Students

[Independent Learning Centre \(ILC\)](#) provides a resource rich environment for students to reflect on and engage in their role as Independent Learners. If you are interested in improving your academic and language skills, you can visit the ILC website regularly for the latest updates. Below are some ILC workshop highlights for the academic year 2022-23:



1. **University Study Skills Series**
2. **Writing Success Series**
3. **Job Preparation Series**
4. **CRE/JRE Series**
5. **Exam Preparation Series**

If one-to-one meeting with ILC teachers is preferred, you can also book a 30-minute consultation session via <https://www.ilc.cuhk.edu.hk/EN/consultation.aspx>

Other learning resources on various topics in both English and Chinese are also available at <https://www.ilc.cuhk.edu.hk/EN/LearningRes.aspx>

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### 3. UrHeard is launched!

The Office of Student Affairs has newly launched the mobile app “UrHeard” to support peer networking among CUHK students. With this mobile app, students can connect with a network of peer listeners from different academic disciplines with rich U-life experience, and consult their advice on a wide range of topics including academic study, university life planning, personal wellness and future development.

Through the initiative, it is hoped that an inviting space can be created for students to interact, support and learn from each other, maintaining the proximity among students in the campus community under the new normal.

The beta version of UrHeard mobile app is now available on:

App Store (iOS users): <https://apple.co/3LTLDJW>

	<p><b>UrHeard</b></p> <p>UrHeard 由香港中文大學學生事務處開發，為學生提供線上平台，諮詢大學生活及學習上的問題，透過經驗交流建立朋輩支援網絡。主要功能： - 搜尋相關背景及領域的朋輩聆聽者 - 線上對話 - 有用資源 香港中文大學學生事務處網站： <a href="https://www.osa.cuhk.edu.hk/">https://www.osa.cuhk.edu.hk/</a> UrHeard is developed by the Office of Student Affairs, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. It provides students with an online platform to seek advice...</p>
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Google Play (Android users): <https://bit.ly/35tq7u>

	<p><b>UrHeard - Apps on Google Play</b></p> <p>A peer support network providing CUHK students with directions for solutions</p>
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Students who have any enquiries regarding the “UrHeard” mobile app, please contact the Office of Student Affairs at [ices@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:ices@cuhk.edu.hk) for more information.

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## 4. Multicultural Counselling Service for Non-local Students



To strengthen support to non-local students, WACC has extended the program to provide Multicultural Counselling Service to non-local students. Local students with extensive exposure to cultural experiences outside Hong Kong are also eligible (e.g. with international school backgrounds, or ethnic minorities born in Hong Kong).

The off-campus counselling service will be conducted by native Putonghua/ English speaking counsellors from an external counselling service provider (St. John's Cathedral Counselling Service <https://www.sjcskh.com/>). Counselling sessions could be conducted in languages including English, Putonghua and other languages such as German, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Maithili, Marwadi, Nepali, Spanish, Tagalog and Urdu.

Details of the service are as follows:

- **Target:** CUHK full-time non-local students, including exchange students
- **Service:** 6 counselling sessions (may be extended according to service needs and availability)
- **Service Period:** From October 2022 to December 2023
- **Service Provider:** St John's Cathedral Counselling Service (<https://www.sjcskh.com/about/>)
- **Service Location:** Central (with easy access from Central MTR Station (Exit A1))
- **Charge:** Free of charge

For more details, please visit: <https://www.osa.cuhk.edu.hk/services/multicultural-counselling-service> and attached poster. Students' self-referral, as well as referrals from units, are both welcome. Please visit <https://www2.osa.cuhk.edu.hk/wacc/en-GB/resources/for-staff/operational-guidelines> for referral form.

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## 5. Community Resources for Emotional Support

### <Samaritan Befrienders HK>

Samaritan Befrienders Hong Kong is a voluntary agency giving support and rendering emotional counselling to those in need.

**24-hour Hotline:** 2389 2222

*Emotional Support provided by a group of passionate volunteers who are willing to listen, care, and walk with the help seekers to face their problems and finally regain their hope for the future and confidence in facing the challenges ahead*

**Suicide Crisis Intervention Centre: 2341 7227 for appointment**

*Professional social workers providing services such as risk assessment, emergency crisis intervention, 6-8 weeks intensive counselling and small group services*

**Family Helpline: 2319 1177**

*Professional social workers providing consultation to people whose relatives or friends are suffering from suicide crisis*

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