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"Knowledge Vending", the Silver Award project of the College's Sunny Passion Programme 2015-16 took a great step forward in pursuing their goals. The team won the Second-class Prize in the category "Entrepreneurship" of 'Challenge Cup' National Competition Hong Kong Regional Final – Hong Kong University Student Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition 2016 (挑戰盃全國賽香港區選拔賽-香港大學生創新及創業大賽). Subsequently, they entered the National Final held in Sichuan, and won the Silver Award again.

The team connected the idle time of waiting lift at hostel with promoting global citizenship. By producing a machine with a question bank of global issues, students can entertain themselves with a few MC questions about poverty or climate change through waiting lift. Since the idea sow in Sunny Passion Programme, the team further tested the project potential in College campus!

Congratulations and wish them every success in the project implementation!





1. College Photo Day for Graduating Students of 2016/17

The College Photo Day for Graduating Students of 2016/17 has been scheduled for 31 March 2017 (Friday). More information regarding application for departmental booths, collection and return of gowns, schedule for group and departmental photos etc will

be announced in due course.

Contact Yolinda at <u>yolindawong@cuhk.edu.hk</u> / 3943 3932 or Rebecca at <u>rebecca_wong@cuhk.edu.hk</u> / 3943 3941 if you have questions.

2. Complimentary Fruit at College Student Canteen 書院學生飯堂免費送水果

To show their support to students during the examination period, the caterer will offer complimentary fruit to Wu Yee Sun College students who purchase any meal (drinks excluded) from 7 to 23 December 2016 (Monday to Friday; Dinner session only) at the Wu Yee Sun College Student Canteen. Please present your CU Link Card as verification. Offers will be limited to 40 fruits per day and first-come first-served.

書院學生飯堂將於 2016 年 12 月 7 日至 23 日之星期一至五晚市時段贈送水果予本院同學,為同學考試溫習打氣!凡於上述期間惠顧晚市 食品(飲品除外),可免費獲贈水果乙個。同學需出示學生證以茲證明。每晚限送 40 份,送完即止。

3. Drum Set and other Music Equipment Available for Booking

To promote music atmosphere on campus, the College has recently arranged a drum set and other music equipment at College Theatre which are available for booking.

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Booking Period: Monday 19:00-22:00; Wednesday 14:00-17:00 (except public holidays & special situations)*

*Other than the time specified above, please consult College Dean of Students' Office ONE working day prior to the proposed booking time.

Registration: **BEFORE** submitting booking request to College Dean of Students' Office, applicants must

- 1) be Wu Yee Sun College Students;
- 2) register as a member of Music Team via https://goo.gl/AMzk0z;
- 3) attend a briefing about the proper use of music equipment; and
- 4) read through the "Rules & Regulations For Music Equipment" and complete the booking form (downloadable from http://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/cms/wp-content/files_mf/1441602248Material_Application_Form.pdf)

*For other student bodies' bookings, please follow the rules and procedures stated in the "Rules & Regulations For Music Equipment". Enquiries: Sonia (3943-3937/ soniayu@cuhk.edu.hk) / Kan (3943-9767/ kanpoon@cuhk.edu.hk)

4. WYS's Got Talents

Are you interested in or excellent at photography, video-production, art & design, simultaneous interpretation or being the Master of Ceremonies? Or do you have any other talents to showcase?

The College is recruiting all sorts of talents to contribute in various College events including the upcoming College Opening and Anniversary Ceremony, College Forum and Assembly...etc. 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: Miss Jane Wu (3943 3934/ janewu@cuhk.edu.hk)

5. "Meet the Dean" Hours & Lunch Gathering 輔導長時間 及午餐聚會

"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. The session is hosted by Professor Annisa C.H. Lee (李賴俊卿教授), College Dean of Students and Associate Professor of School of Journalism & Communication, Professor Ming-kay Poon (潘銘基教授), College Associate Dean of Students and Associate Professor of Department of Chinese Language and Literature, and Dr. Lancelot W.H. Mui (梅維浩博士), College Associate Dean of Students and Lecturer of The Jockey Club School of Public Health and Primary Care. Every Sunnie is welcome!

Date: Every Wednesday Time: 2:30 – 3:30pm

Venue: Dean of Students Office, Room UG09, Wu Yee Sun College

Enquiries: Miss Sonia Yu (soniayu@cuhk.edu.hk / 3943 3937) and Miss Katie Yu (katieyu@cuhk.edu.hk / 3943 3935)

However, "Meet the Dean" Lunch Gathering will be closed during exam period. The events will resume next semester. Updates will be

provided in due course.

6. Exchange and Travel Grant/Loan 2016/17

College students with financial needs who are selected for semester or year exchange programmes or going overseas for summer activities/exchanges may apply for Exchange and Travel Grant/ Loan.

There are different rounds of applications. For programmes/ activities held in Oct 2016 - Jan 2017, the application is open from 15th Aug to 14th Dec 2016.

For programmes/activities held in Feb - May 2017, application will be open from 15th Dec 2016 to 18th Apr 2017.

Check out the following link for more information including eligibility: http://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/cms/wp-content/files_mf/1469415873ExchangeandTravelGrantandLoan2015164th_2.pdf

For enquiries, please contact Ms. Carol Cheng at carolcheng@cuhk.edu.hk or Miss Yolinda Wong at volundawong@cuhk.edu.hk

7. Student Pastoral Care

It is not uncommon for college students like all of you to encounter various academic, emotional, interpersonal or family concerns and difficulties when you adjust to university life or pursue personal growth. You may wish to know the below ways that you can seek support or advice from the College and the University when you face problems:

- 1) You are welcome to speak with our College Dean of Students when you have problems that need resolving. Please call **3943 3942** for arrangement.
- 2) You may also approach the University's Student Counselling and Development Service at 3943 7208 for help.
- 3) A 24-hour Emotional Support Hotline is also launched 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. The hotline number is **5400 2055**.

College Funding & Award Schemes (for Year- round Application) 書院資助及奨勵計劃(全年可供申請)

1. Mingle Fund (English only)

Mingle Fund aims at encouraging interaction among local, international and incoming exchange students of Wu Yee Sun College. The Fund supports self-initiated activities with participation of both local and international/ incoming exchange students. Successful applicants will receive subsidy on reimbursement basis. For each successful application, each participant may receive, at most, HK\$100 subsidy for the activity.

For more info, please visit: http://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/exchange.php?cat=others=en
For enquiries, please contact Miss Katie Yu at katieyu@cuhk.edu.hk or 3943 3935

2. Self-Motivation Fund for Sports Activities 「自選遊」體育活動資助計劃



Self-Motivation Fund for Sports Activities encourages students to participate in various kinds of sports events or competitions, in order to live up the spirit "Sports for Everyone".

The College will subsidize the **application fee** of sports events/ competitions/ activities organized by organization(s) OTHER THAN College. *Oxfam Trailwalker, Standard Chartered Hong Kong Marathon, Totem Run, or The Nike Cup-Hong Kong Five* are some of the examples.

Funding Amount: \$500 or 80% of application fee (whichever is lower)

Guidelines: http://www.wys.cuhk.edu.hk/page.php?name=sports-health-education

Application: Please submit application at https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=1935668 at least 14 working days

BEFORE the start date of the activity. We will notify applicants the results within two weeks.

Enquiries: Sonia (3943-3937/ soniayu@cuhk.edu.hk)

If you are planning to expand your academic wisdom with support from the scheme, ACT NOW!

The scheme supports Wu Yee Sun College students to take part in or self-initiate academic programmes, such as academic conferences, competitions, field trips and language programmes outside Hong Kong. Last academic year, the scheme has supported students to South India, Belgium, Inner-Mongolia and so on!

Students successfully selected by the Scheme will be awarded the Global Learning Award. The maximum award amount varies for programmes of different length and nature.

	Programme Length	Programme nature	Maximum Award amount	
Short-term	Shorter than one month	Self-initiated programmes	HK\$8,000 or 100% of particular items (whichever is lower)	
		#Participating in organized programmes	HK\$8,000 or 80% of particular items (whichever is lower)	
Long-term	One to six months	Self-initiated programmes	HK\$15,000 or 100% of particular items (whichever is lower)	
		#Participating in organized programmes		

^{*}Programmes organized by the College and Term-long Exchange Programmes will not be considered for this scheme.

The sooner you submit your application, the quicker to receive feedbacks, and more time to improve the contents. Comment from College Exchange Committee members on proposal of self-initiated programmes could be sought by special request. The request shall be made at least month before application deadline together with submission of the completed proposal, budget plan and application form.

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
Winter	Nov 1st – Apr 30th	May 1st - Oct 31st
Summer	May 1st - Oct 31st	Nov 1st - Apr 30th

^{*}application documents shall be submitted to DOS Office by the last working day within the application period.

Contact Miss Katie Yu (3943 3935 / <u>katieyu@cuhk.edu.hk</u>) now if you have any ideas in mind. Know more about the <u>details</u> and <u>apply</u> here!

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

Life begins at the end of your comfort zone!

A SMALL change can make a BIG difference!

If you are planning for any short-term projects containing elements of Creativity, Entrepreneurial Spirit or Social Responsibility, apply for Be Entrepreneurial! Scheme.

To provide more support to students, the maximum funding amount has been raised to \$20,000!!!



Maximum Funding Amount: HK\$20,000 Eligibility

- ✓ All WYS undergraduate students
- ✓ Individual and Group projects (the group must comprise of at least 50% WYS students, other 50% may be students from other Colleges)
- ✓ Applications are welcome all year round.

What are you waiting for? Click **HERE** to find out more information!

Enquiries: Mr. Kan Poon (3943-9767 / kanpoon@cuhk.edu.hk)

5. 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 <u>Service-learning Project Funding Scheme</u> 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 <u>website</u> for more info

Enquiries: Miss Jane Wu (janewu@cuhk.edu.hk / 3943 3934)

6. Sports for Life Award Scheme 體育運動參與獎勵計劃

Wanna move your body and get a prize in the same time?!

Sports for Life Award Scheme aims at motivating students to take part in more College's sports activities and exercising regularly for a healthy life. Students can earn award points for participating in College's sports activities and gain prizes!

How to join? You will be enrolled into the Scheme after joining your first sports activity!

What are the prizes? 30 points for Sports Towel & 40 points for Water Bottle

How to redeem prizes? Prize redemption will be arranged every semester! Please follow the College news!

Upcoming Sports Activities

Stay tuned!

Check your accumulated points at http://bit.ly/WYSSportsForLife!!

Enquiries: Miss Sonia Yu (soniayu@cuhk.edu.hk / 3943 3937)



1. Green Ambassador Scheme of the Jockey Club Museum of Climate Change (賽馬會氣候變化博物館)

The Green Ambassador Scheme of the <u>Jockey Club Museum of Climate Change</u> (MoCC) offers you an excellent learning opportunity and career-enhancing experience. The first of its kind in the world, the MoCC has the mission to keep students, teachers, and the community-at-large aware of the latest developments in climate change, environmental conservation and sustainability by interactive and multimedia means.

To help promote green living on campus, the MoCC is now looking for a select number of committed Wu Yee Sun College students to join the Green Ambassador Scheme, which runs from February to August 2017. It is not necessary to be an expert in environmental issues in order to be a Green Ambassador; anyone who is interested in "greening" his or her college life, and is enthusiastic about museum work as well as guiding visitors around the campus is welcome to apply.

Interested students are invited to complete an online application form by 13 January 2017 (Friday).

More details about the Scheme can be found <u>here</u>. Questions are welcome and should be directed to Miss Yoyo Chiu of MoCC (3943 9632; <u>yoyochiu@cuhk.edu.hk</u>).

2. Internship at SOW (Asia) Foundation 心苗(亞洲)基金實習計劃

About SOW Asia: SOW Asia employs an analytical and investment-minded approach to solving social problems and identifying solutions that can scale. We look for opportunities to invest in whether they be business or non-profit approaches to create a scalable impact to address Hong Kong's pressing challenges in food waste/food poverty, sustainable environment, elderly care and education.

What a day at SOW Asia is like: Our team consists of strategy and management consultants, finance professionals and entrepreneurs, and we are constantly looking for talented interns to support and drive our analysis and decision making. Interns regularly engage in problem solving projects, and are expected. Interns regularly engage in problem solving projects. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Helping to prepare new proposals, materials for donor/sponsor correspondence and updates
- Conducting program-related research and writing informational materials
- Helping to compile and/or review program-related presentations and reports
- Contributing to SOW Asia's various social media platforms with interesting news articles, commentary, thought leadership reports etc.
- Helping with administrative tasks as and when needed
- Attending networking events

Application requirements and details can be referred to http://www.sowasia.org/careers

3. HSBC Overseas Scholarship 2017/18 Now Open for Application

The scholarship will enable local **non-final year full-time undergraduate** students to spend **a semester or an academic year** as a visiting student or an exchange student at one of the overseas universities selected from the List of Overseas Universities. The maximum total value for each scholarship is HK\$300,000, which can only go towards tuition fees and mandatory college fees, a minimum economy return airfare, reasonable room and board costs, books, a small portion of living expenses and visa application fees.

Details of the Scholarship and its application form can be downloaded from our website at http://www.oafa.cuhk.edu.hk/ (Scholarships & Financial Aid \rightarrow Open for Application). The application deadline is 28 December 2016.

For enquiries, please contact the Scholarships and Financial Aid Section, Office of Admissions and Financial Aid at 3943 7204 or

4. Innovation and Technology Scholarship Award Scheme 2017

The Innovation and Technology Scholarship Award Scheme (the Scheme) aims to provide recognition to outstanding undergraduates in universities in Hong Kong as well as opportunities to widen their international/Mainland exposure and gain industry experience. Twenty-five science undergraduates, to be nominated by the six local universities and selected by an Awardee Selection Committee of the Scheme, will each be awarded a scholarship of up to HK\$150,000. The Scheme comprises the following components:

- (a) Financial support for Overseas/Mainland Attachment Programme(s) between 1 June 2017 and 30 June 2018 (at least one of the attachment programmes must be longer than three weeks)
- (b) Mentorship Programme
- (c) Service Project Programme
- (d) Local Internship Programme (optional)

Eligibility and Selection Criteria

The Scheme is open to **full-time**, **non-final-year undergraduates** who meet the following criteria:

- Hong Kong Permanent Residents with the right of abode in Hong Kong.
- Undertaking a science-related degree funded by the University Grans Committee (UGC). In general they cover (i) Sciences; (ii) Engineering and Technology; and (iii) Medicine, Dentistry and Health.
- Preferably cumulative GPA of 3.3 (or equivalent) or above up to Term 1 of 2016/17.
- A minimum total TOEFL (Internet-based test) score of 90 with scores for individual sections not lower than 21 on reading, 22 on listening, 21 on speaking, and 17 on writing; or a minimum IELTS (Academic Test) overall band score of 6.5, with no component below 6.0. All tests must have been taken on or after 11 February 2015.
- Have not received an award under this Scheme.

Application Procedures

- 1. Details of the Scheme and its application form are obtainable from the website of the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid at http://www.oafa.cuhk.edu.hk (Scholarships & Financial Aid \rightarrow Open for Application).
- 2. Applicants should submit the completed application form together with all supporting documents to their Faculty Office on or before 28 December 2016.
- 3. For enquiries, please contact OAFA at 3943 7204 or sfas@cuhk.edu.hk

5. The Hong Kong Jockey Club Scholarships 2017/18 - Graduate Scholarship at the University of Oxford & Graduate Scholarship at Harvard University

Graduate Scholarship at the University of Oxford

Up to three students will be awarded full scholarships to pursue full-time master's or full-time DPhil course at the University of Oxford for up to three years. The scholarships will cover course fees, college fees and a grant for living expenses of up to £75,000 per year.

Graduate Scholarship at Harvard University

Up to three students will be awarded full scholarships to pursue full-time master's or doctoral degree, for up to three years, in public service related programmes at selected schools at Harvard University (Harvard). The scholarships will cover course fees, college fees and a grant for living expenses of up to US\$100,000 per year.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the Scholarships, the candidates must:

- be Hong Kong citizen
- submit application for full-time master's or doctoral study at Oxford and/or Harvard

Application Procedures

Please visit the website of The Hong Kong Jockey Club Scholarships for details at

http://charities.hkjc.com/charities/english/charities-trust/trust-initiated-projects/hong-kong-jockey-club-scholarships.aspx

Deadline

University of Oxford: 6 or 20 January 2017

Harvard University: Scholarship applicants must apply to and be accepted to the University independently from their scholarship application. Admission applications should be submitted prior to submitting a scholarship application. Please refer to the Harvard's website at https://scholarships.harvard.edu/international-students/hong-kong for details.

For enquiries, please contact the Secretariat of The Hong Kong Jockey Club Scholarships at hkjc.org.hk