

**THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES
BIOCHEMISTRY PROGRAMME**

CAREER TALK

Speakers: Dr. Alan Pang and Dr. Jacky Yuen

Date: 1 February, 2016 (Monday)

Time: 6:30 pm – 8 pm

Venue: L3, Science Centre Lecture Theatre

Speakers' background:

Dr. Alan Pang

Dr. Alan Pang received both his B.Sc. and Ph.D. degrees in Biochemistry from CUHK in 1996 and 2000 respectively. After that, Alan moved on for postdoctoral training at the National Institutes of Health in the US and subsequently became a Senior Research Fellow and tenured Biologist there. Last year, Alan returned to Hong Kong and took up the CEO position of a biotech startup company focusing on human induced pluripotent stem cell (iPSC) R&D at the Hong Kong Science Park. In his talk, Alan will share with the audience his experience of biomedical research in North America as well as the opportunities of biotech industry in Hong Kong.

Dr. Jacky Yuen

Dr. Jacky Yuen, graduated in 2008 (B.Sc. in Biochemistry, CUHK) and 2012 (Ph.D. in Biochemistry (Med), CUHK), is currently a secondary school Chemistry teacher, while volunteering in The Power of Words (書寫力量). His first collection of poems *Synaptic Cleft* was published in 2015. He was interviewed by TVB, RTHK, DBC, etc., and recited his poems in some events, including *International Poetry Nights in Hong Kong*.