Newsletter

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I. 20th Annual General Meeting Extracts

With the active support of HKPCA members and potential members, AGM 2015 was held in great success on August 13, 2015. We were honoured to invite Dr. C.K. LAW, associate professor, Department of Social Work & Social Administration, HKU and First Registrar of Social Worker Registration Board, to be our guest speaker to share with us his precious experience in "Professionalism and Certification in Counselling- from the Experience of Social Work Professional Development:". A total of 78 members/potential members joined the meeting, with 84.42% attendant rate. A buffet dinner was held after the meeting providing a good chance for members to socialize and have more informal sharing.



1. A total of 8 master degree programs offered by 7 tertiary institutions in Hong Kong have been accredited. Among them, 6 programs offered by 5 institutions recently passed the three-year review (HKU, CUHK, PolyU, CityU, BU) with 1 program (Bethel Bible Seminary) undergoing its final review. Vice President Dr. Annis FUNG had further elaborated the background and latest progress report.

- 2. A total of 8 motions were passed in the meeting and details are listed in our official website www.hkpca.org.hk
- 3. In order to further promote the counselling development in Hong Kong, a Professional Development/ Research committee will soon be formed to perform researches on related issues.
- 4. The President has reported an increase of general membership of below % compared with 2013:

General Membership	+2%
Professional Membership	+14%
Approved Counseling Supervisor	+27%

Membership Statistics

At the end of December 2014 compared with 2013 (net total), the membership distribution was as follows. 2015 statistics will be shared at next issue.

General Membership				
	2014 (Net	2013 (Net Total)		
	Total)			
Fellow	20	11		
Associate Fellow	184	184		
Member	481	483		
Junior Member	50	51		
Student Member	32	30		
Affiliate	21	13		
Total	788	772		
Professional Membership)			
Certified Counselor	81	73		
Candidate	8	5		
Total	89	78		
Approved Supervisor	85	67		

5. Programme Committee Activity highlights:

In 2014-2015, the Association has offered **7** different professional trainings to our members.

No.	Date/Time	Name of program/workshop	Venue	Responsible
				person
1	July 5 , 2014 (Sat)	「音樂治療次體驗」工作坊	Poly U	馬學俊先生
	10:00am - 1:00pm			
2	August 8 & 16, 2014 (Sat)	EFT Training	Poly U	Mrs Selina Leung
	10:00am – 1:00pm			
3	Jan 15, 2015 (Thur)	A Mindfulness Approach to	City U	Mr Rob Fisher
		Couple Therapy		
4	Jan 15 – Nov, 2015	EFT for Individuals Theory and	Poly U	Mrs Selina Leung
		Skill Training Course 2015		
5	Feb 28, 2015 (Sat) 10:00am – 1:00pm	Introducing Positive	Poly U	Dr Au Cheung
	10.00am – 1.00pm	Psychotherapy and its		Kong
		application in treating		
		depression		
6	March 9, 2015 (Mon)	處理創傷:從評估到治療	Poly U	臨床心理學家
				姚穎詩小姐
7.	April 22 – May 13, 2015	輔導中的詮釋技巧	Poly U	屈偉豪博士

II. Recent Workshops highlights:

Introduction to Emotion-Focused (Individual) Therapy

A FULL DAY workshop has been successfully held on 24 October 2015 by Mrs. Selina Leung Ho Siu Man. The response was very satisfactory with 100% attendance rate.





III. Upcoming workshop:



An upcoming Certified Training in Emotion Focused Therapy for Individual together with 16 group supervision and peer group practicum sessions will be introduced to members soon in November 2015. Grasp the chance to get early bird enrollment by 4 Dec 2015 and 2 person bulk enrollment to get maximum discount up to HKD 1,000 per person!!

The Association has planned to offer different nature and level of programs to members in the coming year, such as:

- •Emotional Focused Therapy
- •Couple Therapy
- •Narrative Therapy

VI. Professional Indemnity Insurance for HKPCA members

At 2015 AGM we introduced the professional Indemnity insurance package offer for HKPCA active members. The package covers group insurance effective from 1 October 2015-30 September 2016. Details are posted in website and invitation letters were sent to active members with an information seminar held on 31 August 2015. Deadline of enrolment was 15 October 2015.

For further enquires or more details, please contact the agent Charterlloyd Insurance Broker Ltd. Dr. Mr. Raymond Chow directly at 2523 6350 or email to HKPCA at enquiry@hkpca.org.hk

V. Congratulations to 2 new Fellows endorsed in AGM 2015

- 1. Mr. CHAN Kai Nin Joseph 陳棨年先生
- 2. Dr. LEE Man Yuk Ching 李文玉清博士

Mr. CHAN Kai Nin Joseph 陳棨年先生

Brief introduction: Being born and raised up by a secular education, Joseph's outlook on life

was strongly influenced by religion and a mix of the Chinese and Western culture, mainly British. He has studied history, social work, business administration and education and worked in rehabilitation field in government, human resources management commerce, career counselling and student services in the tertiary sector. Career and life planning plus leadership and life skills in secondary and tertiary sectors are the foci of his professional engagement now in HK and the Mainland, with "developmental counselling" as pastime hobby! He firmly believes in indigenous application of Western concepts. Joseph still runs an active reading club.



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Dr. LEE Man Yuk Ching 李文玉清博士

Brief introduction: Man Yuk Ching got her Bachelor of Education and Doctor of Counselling Psychology from The Chinese University of Hong Kong. She also worked as an Assistant Professor in Department of Special Education and Counselling, the Hong Kong Institute of Education. She is now Fellow and Approved Supervisor of the Hong Kong Professional Counselling Association (HKPCA).



She started her teaching career as a secondary school teacher in

earlier days, and then became a teacher educator, teaching courses related to school counselling. Besides teaching and research work, she also practiced continuously in personal and group counselling. She retired from the Hong Kong Institution of Education in the year 2012, and then started her private practice career, counselling adolescences and parents. She supervises counselling courses for graduate courses of different higher institutes.

Man Yuk Ching is devoted to providing supervision to post-graduate students who wish to apply the cert. counsellor of HKPCA, in the hope that the counsellors in Hong Kong can move to a more professional manner.

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