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Message from President

Characteristics of a living organism



In any textbook of biology we can learn about the 7 characteristics of a living organism. They are: movement, respiration, sensitivity, growth, reproduction, excretion, and nutrition. As a profession and a professional body, do we have characteristics of a living organism that make our lives thrive and flourish?

In this issue of the Newsletter, you would see that there are a number exciting initiatives introduced by the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN). In early August, we have invited our young Fellows for a gathering with the theme 'Passing On'. At the end of the event, we have 23 of young Fellows signed up to participate in various functions and committees of the HKAN. We believe that the best way to prepare the next generation of leaders is to expose them to leaders and mentor them along the way. The HKAN is extending her impact of work not only locally but cross the border. In June-July, we were invited by Shanghai and Suzhou to provide talks on specialty nursing and signed a contract to support the training of nurses in the specialty area of critical care and emergency care with Shanghai Tenth People's Hospital. The works of HKAN and her Academy Colleges attracted much admiration and respect by counterparts in the region. Recently, the HKAN joined a group organized by the Food & Health Bureau of the Hong Kong Government; SAR to visit the Greater Bay Area. The project on APN education and certification in collaboration with the Guangdong Nursing Association has been listed as one of the strategic projects of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macau Greater Bay Area health collaboration project earlier this year.

On the local side, we have recently received a letter from the Chief Executive of the Hospital Authority (HA) confirming that HA supports the professional development of nursing and will facilitate nursing professionals to pursue advancement in specialty nursing practice.

There will be a pilot scheme in HA to align clinical objectives for advanced nursing practice in selected specialties and facilitate mentorship for the nurses who aspire to attain the Fellowship status.

The HKAN continues to participate in the work group in the Nursing Council of Hong Kong to define competencies, scope of practice, standards and explore regulation mechanism of advanced nursing practice.

Nurses in Hong Kong live and live well in the ecology of the healthcare system, with continuous nutrition supply, growth, reproduction and being sensitive and responsive to the healthcare environment. It is the mission of the HKAN to help our nurses grow with vitality from one generation to the next, best equipped with optimal competence to serve our society better!

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Frances Kam Yuet WONG RN PhD FAAN FHKAN (Education & Research) President, The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing

Greater Bay visit on 6 August – 8 August 2018

HKAN joined a group organized by the Food & Health Bureau of the Hong Kong Government; SAR to visit the Greater Bay Area.



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粤港衞生健康工作交流會



本會黃金月院長,香港護士協會主席李國麟教授(立法會 議)(衞生服務界代表),香港 醫學專科學院主席劉澤星教 授及世界家庭醫學組織候任 主席李國棟醫生合照



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Passing on Gathering on 4 August 2018

On 4 August 2018, a "Passing on Gathering" has been organized by the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN) at School of Nursing, Princess Margaret Hospital from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm. The gathering provided a unique platform for Earned Fellow (new Fellow who were admitted as Fellow of HKAN through passing the examination and assessment) to meet up with friends of other Academy Colleges, to understand more about HKAN, to develop a sense of pride for being a Fellow, to subsequently form a Fellow network and engage more in the HKAN committees and activities. The ultimate aim of the gathering was to kick start for succession planning.

The response to the event was good. A total of 60 Fellows attended the gathering of which 23 were Earned Fellows from 14 Academy Colleges. The rest of attendants were College Presidents and Grandfather Fellows who never missed the chance to show their hearty support to their younger nurses. Professor Frances Wong, President of HKAN extended her warmest welcome and presented the recent work of HKAN. Audience was impressed with the out-perform achievement and the accelerated pace led by HKAN in spearheading the Advanced Nursing Practice and realizing the strategic actions in terms of visibility, voices and professionalism. Ms. Susanna Lee, Vice President of HKAN raised the proposal of forming the Young Fellow Chapter and briefed its objectives and terms of references. The proposal gained the concurrences of the Earned Fellows with immediate responses by signing up the enrolment forms of the soon-to-be formed Young Fellow Chapter. Some showed interest to join more than one HKAN committees and working groups to acquire more experiences. Grandfather Fellow and Earned Fellow representatives also shared their affirmative experiences, sense of unity and pride in being members of the HKAN. The feedback of the event was very positive, all agreed and some strongly agreed that through this gathering, they learnt more about the mission, vision and spirit of HKAN and increased their interest in joining HKAN activities. The Gathering was successful. It fulfilled the objective in paving an initial step for succession planning of HKAN.



Passing on Gathering on 4 August 2018



Ms. Peggy LEE & LAM Wai Kwan, Young Fellows of HKCPN helped at the reception



Convened by Ms. Susanna LEE, Vice President of HKAN



Sharing by Ms. Angelina TONG, Vice President of HKCSN



Facilitated by Ms. Susan LAW, Honorary Professional Consultant of HKAN



Welcome address by Prof. Frances WONG, President of HKAN



Sharing By Prof. TAWARI, Vice President of HKCERN

Sharing by Young Fellows



Mr. YEUNG Kai Jone, HKCCCN





Ms. Margaret LEE, HKCCCN



A delegate of thirty-four HKAN Fellows got on board an early flight to Shanghai on 28 June 2018 and arrived safe and sound for a 5-day educational visit in Shanghai and Suzhou. There being no tour escort from the travel agency, our excitement began at the airport when the team leader delegated 2 deputy team leaders and 5 group leaders with a view to kick off this trip smoothly and effectively.



Team Leader Esther WONG



Two Deputy Team Leaders - HO Wai Fan and Margaret LAM



Reporters - Angela CHEUNG & Denny FONG



LEUNG Suk Fun, CHEUNG Lai Ping took care of our accommodation every night.



Group 2 Leader Veronica LI



Group 4 Leader Angelina TONG



Group 1 Leader CHAN Chi Chung



Group 3 Leader LAM Yin Ming



Group 5 Leader Elizabeth SIU



A memorable picture featuring the birth of the "Nursing Specialty Training Center"

On our arrival in the afternoon, we visited the上海市第十人民醫院 also known as同濟大學附屬第十人民醫院where we exchanged our experience with the nursing counterparts. Early next morning, at the "授牌儀式" of Nursing Specialty Training Center at Tongji University (同濟大學), we witnessed the announcement of the collaboration of HKAN and the Tongji University & the Tongji Hospital Groups in enhancing advanced nursing practice. The HK Colleges of Critical Care Nursing and Emergency Nursing are the pilots to assist the Hospitals in this regard. Immediately after the ceremony, a Forum started in which the presidents and APNs of both areas shared with participants the recent development of the two specialties. Moreover, talks on chronic illness and nursing services development were also delivered. Representatives from different specialties actively shared the prevailing care delivery systems in Hong Kong with our nursing counterparts in the Mainland China.





Photo of HKCEN

The delegation on the stage



Photo of HKCCCN

Soon after the Forum, we took an express rail and arrived Suzhou in late evening and spent Day 3 there. During our short stay in Suzhou, we had a valuable experience of sharing our views in a symposium which was taken place in the "Suzhou University". The theme was on "Strategies in promoting safe nursing practice and strengthening quality care".



All Fellows at the entrance of the event hall in the "Suzhou University" Campus.

Day 4 was a Sunday for outdoor activity. We visited Wu Zhong District which is one of the five urban districts of Suzhou, Jiangsu Province. We had a funfull time at 蘇州摩天輪公園 and 世界第二斜塔. We saw the 東方之門 and cruised on 金雞湖. The sea food served on board was delicious. We kept saying "wow, yummy, yummy" each time when a dish was served.



President pictured with the poet





World's second Leaning Tower in Suzhou. How is it different from the Leaning Tower of Pisa?

At one of the tourist attractions, we met a poet who wrote us a piece of verses about the Academy in Chinese Calligraphy. This scroll will soon be posted up in the HKAN office in memory of this fruitful visit.

We spent the last day on a visit to the Jiahui International Hospital (上海嘉會國際醫院) before flying back to Hong Kong. It is a newly established private hospital with strong international background and provides services ranging from in-patient to well-health clinic. It is not yet a fully functioned one, but the high technology such as the robot at the reception impressed us most!



Time flies. The five-day trip flew by in the blink of an eye. It is true that we used our own time, prepared a lot and were well aware of the follow up work ahead. Yet in experiencing the HIGH team spirit, we appreciate and value this trip.

Members felt obliged to HKAN for the opportunity to participate in the development of the nursing profession in our own country. We are especially touched by the "eagerness" of the local nurses in improving their practice and enhancing their standards of nursing care. This has subsequently motivated us to work harder to sustain and enhance our own practice in Hong Kong.

Being a Chinese, many of us have found ourselves inadequate in Putonghua and there is a need for improvement so as to communicate better with our counterparts in the Mainland.

The unique experience and real interactions with local nurses were amazing. We are touched by their attentive manner. We strongly believe we have more to learn from Shanghai and Suzhou and we definitely look forward to meeting the nurses there again.

Last but not least, we thank HKAN office for the logistics support, President of HKAN for her leadership and Vice-Presidents of HKAN for their co-ordination with Mainland to make this trip happened. Members were impressed by the huge hosting team and their remarkable hospitality spirit. Without all these, the trip would not have been so successful.



The 7th Annual General Meeting on 16 June 2018

The 7th Annual General Meeting of The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing Limited ("Academy") was held at the LG2, School of Nursing, Princess Margaret Hospital, 232 Lai King Hill Road, Lai Chi Kok, Hong Kong on 16 June 2018 at 9:30 a.m.



The Council of Hong Kong Academy of Nursing 2018-2019

(updated as at 20 July 2018)

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	Prof. WONG Chi Sang Martin	
	Mr. YEUNG Kin Keung Frederick	

Message from the New Council Member of HKAN 2018

Ms. CHEUNG Yuk Hung, Kathy was elected as Council Member

It is my honor to be elected as one of the Council Members of The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN) on 16 June 2018. I take this opportunity to express my heartfelt gratitude to the Presidents of the academic colleges and Council Members of HKAN for their trust and great support.

My 32 years of nursing career is built on the foundation of Primary Health Care Nursing. For the last 23 years, I witnessed and took part in the development of this specialty. Moreover, I



have been sharing my 14 years of nursing education experience in The Open University of Hong Kong and the accreditation experience as a specialist of Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications with the Fellows of Hong Kong College of Community and Public Health Nursing. I am prepared to render alike to HKAN when occasions arise.

Facing the challenges of ageing population, increasing chronic diseases and multi morbidity patients, the focus of health care is being shifted from hospital to community and at the same time, communicable disease is unwittingly shifted to noncommunicable disease. Enhancing Primary Health Care is the priority work of health care reform of Hong Kong. This will be a precious opportunity for me to work with HKAN council members to contribute my knowledge and skill, especially in areas of health promotion, health education, health and risk assessment, chronic disease management and patient empowerment to the continuous enhancement of primary health care services in Hong Kong.

CHEUNG Yuk Hung, Kathy RN, BHSc (N), MPHC, MAppMgt (N), FHKAN (C&PH-Primary Health Care), FHKAN (Nursing & Health Care Management) FHKCHSE, FACHSM Council Member, Hong Kong College of Community & Public Health Nursing

Mr. CHAN Hin Cheong, President Elect of Hong Kong College of Perioperative Nursing, succeeded as Institutional Council Member

It is my honor to be the President-Elect of Hong Kong College of Perioperative Nursing (HKCPON), succeeded as Institutional Council Member of the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN) as from August 2018. I deeply appreciate the past and present HKAN council members for their tremendous efforts and dedication in safeguarding the provision of quality health care services to the public and promoting the advancement of the nursing profession in Hong Kong.



HKCPON is one of 14 Colleges under HKAN. The 235 Fellows of HKCPON bear the same core values to protect the public by striving for excellent quality of care and providing sustainable safety in a complex theatre in which our patients feel at ease. Such mutual respect and trust has driven our perioperative nurses with passion and enthusiasm towards professional competency and accountability. Through continuous education, we stride to meet the increasing needs of operations with advanced technology and collaboration with cross specialties.

As a President, I will commit and exert my best efforts to lead and inspire the perioperative nurses for unity towards the continuing advancement of the nursing profession in perioperative care which in return people we serve will benefit.

CHAN Hin Cheong, Vincent RN, BN, MN (Advanced Practice), Msc (Health Care Management) FHKAN (Education & Research - Education), FHKAN (Perioperative) President Elect, Hong Kong College of Perioperative Nursing Ms. CHAU Mo Ching, Macy, President of Hong Kong College of Midwives, succeeded as Institutional Council Member



First of all, it is my honor to be elected as the President of Hong Kong College of Midwives (HKCMW) in June 2018 and join the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing as a council member.

As we all understand, HKCMW was established with the objectives of providing advanced education and training in the practice of midwifery in Hong Kong as well as ensuring the

highest professional standards of competence and ethical integrity.

In the coming three years, HKCMW will (i) strive for further success to promote professional midwifery services; (ii) to enhance the professional standard of members by organizing seminars with overseas experts; and (iii) to build up a professional image of midwives and to project a positive message of midwifery in the community.

The College will also continue the task of the former council in setting professional standards that impart on the care of childbearing women, babies and their families through the use position statements, participate in various collaborations and engagement in the community. HKCMW will continue to sustain harmonic relationship with associate, ordinary and fellow members.

Finally, my deep appreciation is given to Ms. Alice Sham, Immediate Past President and Founding President of our College, for her great contributions and never failing commitment to advance midwifery practice and its profession.

CHAU Mo Ching, Macy RN, RM, PGD, BSc, MSc, FHKAN (Midwifery) President, Hong Kong College of Midwives Ms. KONG Ching Yan, Ivy, President of Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Nursing, succeeded as Institutional Council Member



I am most honored to be the President of the Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Nursing (HKCON) in 2018. With the great support from my Council members and Fellow members, I will do my best to meet the challenges and look forward to our continued partnership for the future success in Nursing.

HKCON was built on a strong leadership foundation. I would take this opportunity to express my immense gratitude to our Founding President Mr. Tsang Wing Wah and the tremendous efforts of our past and present council members. Under their leadership, HKCON had established good networks with local specialty colleges and international Orthopaedic experts. This endeavor is a constant work in progress. I pledge to continue our advantages to develop new domains of professionalism with advanced practices. To be the new President, I will dedicate to the advancement of Nursing profession and strive for excellence to improve the health of our community.

In late 2018, HKCON will conduct the first membership examination and fellow exit assessment in certifying the first batch of Ordinary Members and earned Fellows respectively. With unremitting efforts in education and professional development of Orthopaedic Nursing, we recognize the advanced practices of our members. HKCON preserves to drive the flagship in advanced Orthopaedic Nursing. With the enthusiasm of our "siblings", HKCON continues to fortify the vision and mission well practiced in the past years.

Under the leadership of The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN), the directions for professionalism are established. Thus safe and high quality of nursing practices could be served to the community. HKAN fosters transdisciplinary collaboration with global partners to set world-class practice standards for advanced practice nurses in Hong Kong. It is my honor to be a member of the HKAN Council and I look forward to an exciting experience with all of you to create the future.

KONG Ching Yan, Ivy RN, RM, MPHC, FHKAN (Orthopaedics), FHKAN (Nursing and Health Care Management) President, Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Nursing Mr. WONG Kin Wing, Jimmy, President of Hong Kong College of Community & Public Health Nursing, succeeded as Institutional Council Member



I am honoured to take up Presidency of The Hong Kong College of Community and Public Health Nursing (HKCCPHN) as from May 2018. Being the Vice-President of HKCCPHN in the past 3 years, I have gained substantively in terms of knowledge, experience and job satisfaction. I am grateful for the many opportunities that HKCCPHN has given me to enrich and further develop myself, let alone the chance to participate in the many meaningful activities held by The Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (HKAN).

Community and Primary Healthcare Services are focus areas to both Food and Health Bureau and Hospital Authority in the recent years. These two areas rely on more than changing our concerns to patients and the practice of delivering the healthcare services. They call for a fundamental shift in our culture so that all healthcare workers are aware that good patient care is not only about saving lives, but also helping patients to live healthily, safely and comfortably in the community. The provision of integrated community care should be merged into the management of every patient with chronic diseases in spanning from hospital stay to community care. It is the dream of HKCCPHN to foster this cultural change while our Fellow Members will continue with momentum generated and provide the best possible quality of life services to patients in the community.

As the President of a College with four nursing specialties, namely Public Health Nursing, Community Nursing, Occupational Health Nursing and Family Medicine & Primary Healthcare Nursing, I have the grave responsibilities to anchor the College development and estate strategy of associating with HKAN. I strongly believe that through collaboration and effective communication, HKCCPHN will continue to contribute and provide upholding community services to the public of Hong Kong.

Last but not least, I would like to give tribute to Ms LAM Yin Ming, our Founding President for her valuable input in laying the concrete foundation for HKCCPHN.

WONG Kin Wing, Jimmy RN (HK & UK), ENB 298 (UK), Prof. Dip. (OSH) BU HK MBA (Health Management), University of Ballarat, Australia FHKAN (Nursing & Health Care Management), FHKAN (C & PH - Primary Health Care) President, Hong Kong College of Community & Public Health Nursing

7th Fellowship Conferment



Fellowship Conferment was held on 12 May 2018 (Sat) in the Chiang Chen Studio Theatre of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Million thanks to our Advisors, Guests and Fellows for their continuous support.

Honorary Fellows

6 Honorary Fellows were conferred this year in recognition of their abundant contribution to nursing profession.



Ms. CHING Tai Yin Patricia, MH



Mr. KWAN Kin Boon Aaron



Dr. KO Wing Man, GBS, BBS, JP



Mrs. LEE Liv

Honorary Fellows



Prof. Ida MARTINSON



Ms. SO Chui Kuen Cecilia

Conferment of Fellows

26 Fellow Members admitted through examination and assessment. Below are their memorable photos.



Hong Kong College of Critical Care Nursing (3 Fellows)



Hong Kong of Education and Research in Nursing (5 Fellows)



Hong Kong College of Emergency Nursing (3 Fellows)



Hong Kong College of Midwives (1 Fellow)



Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing (7 Fellows)



Hong Kong College of Nursing and Health Care Management (1 Fellow)

Conferment of Fellows



Hong Kong College of Paediatric Nursing (2 Fellows)



Hong Kong College of Surgical Nursing (4 Fellows)



Keynote Speech by

Dr. CHEUNG Wai Lun Allen, Project Director, Chinese Medicine Hospital Project Office, FHB, delivered an excellent talk on "Are we prepared?" at the Conferment Ceremony.



2018 IND Seminar

Prof. YUEN Kwok Yung , delivered an excellent talk on "Control of Antimicrobial Resistance".



2018 International Nurses Day (IND) Celebration Dinner



The Academy together with the Hong Kong East Cluster Hospitals and Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital organized the 2018 IND Celebration Dinner on 12 May 2018 at Rotunda 3, 6/F, Kowloon bay International Trade and Exhibition Centre. The Theme was "Nurses: A Voice to Lead – Health is a Human Right"「護理號召齊發聲、健康權益同響應」. Over 1000 guests and nurses attended the event. The performers their outstanding performance attracted most of the audiences who joined the dinner.



2018 Health Carnival 7 April 2018 (Saturday) Venue : Wong Tai Sin Square

To support World Health Day, HKAN organized Health Carnival 2018 on 7 April at Wong Tai Sin Square. With 24 booth exhibits and various health promotional activities hosted by our 14 College members and Tung Wah Group of Hospitals Wong Tai Sin Hospital, the events successfully attracted 3,500 visitors.

2018世界



Health ambassadors 衛駿輝女士 & 羅蘭女士



APN Booth Health Consultation Dancing

International Networking and Collaboration



7 March 2018 與同濟大學簽署合作儀式





25 April 2018 北京大學醫學部產業管理 辦交流訪問團



11 May 2018 出席港大深圳醫院護士節



2 June 2018 粤港澳大灣區合作及 專科護士認證會議





28 July 2018 康復醫療+健康護理" 學港澳大灣區"康復醫療+健康護理" 峰會暨粤港澳大灣區健康護理聯盟成立大會



7 July 2018 北大深圳醫院聯合會議

Partnership and Stakeholder Engagement



7 May 2018 Attending HA Convention 2018





3 August 2018 Meeting with founding chairman of Jade Club Mr. Patrick Cheung

Social Engagement



4 May 2018 Attending Health Promotion Symposium cum Central Health Education Unit 40th Anniversary Celebration

20 May 2018 Attending COSH Kick off event





15 June 2018 Attending Opening Ceremony of Care For Your Heart Centre

20 July 2018 Attending Advocacy of Total ban of E-cigarette meeting organised by COSH





20 July 2018 Attending Kick Off Ceremony of community service on dementia 《腦」友・陪著您走》

Health Promotion and Public Relation Activities



24 March 2018 護專扶輪"老友所護": 愛老護腦大行動



9 July 2018 For HK Professional Teachers' Union Community Service at Tseung Kwan O





Students of Caritas Institute of Higher Education (明愛專上學院) as helpers

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Speak up and Speak out with Evidence

Go visit the website!

- Joint Declaration with HK Alliance of Patients' Org on District Health Centre(March 2018)
- View Point on Strategic Review on Healthcare Manpower Planning and Professional Development(July 2018)
- Advocacy of Total Ban on E-Cigarettes (June 2018)
- Position Statement on Doctor-Nurse relationship (May 2018)
- Position Statement on Advanced Nursing Practice (July 2018)

Young Fellow Sharing Column

Integrated Research in Clinical Practice - Ms LEE Wing Ki's paper was being selected as Oral Presentation in the Joint Annual Research and Scientific Meeting organized by Hong Kong Paediatric Society, Hong Kong College of Paediatricians, Hong Kong Paediatric Nurses Association and Hong Kong College of Paediatric Nursing.

VALIDATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF A MODIFIED CHINESE VERSION ON NURSE COMPETENCY SCALE IN DEMONSTRATING AND ASSESSING METER-DOSE INHALER PLUS WHISTLE MASK SPACER TECHNIQUE



Introduction

In the past, nurses learnt a whistle sound from spacer which indicated poor inhalation technique. However, many children suffered from acute bronchiolitis or asthma have the problems of accepting a spacer due to anxiety. In United Kingdom, an app was developed and integrated with the concept of play to children. The whistle sound emitted by the mask when the young user is breathing correctly with the spacer is capable of driving the "Rafi" robot and fights off the colorful cartoon-style baddies. This new device with game was proven to reduce children's anxiety and enhance correct inhalation technique with better adherence and compliance. Prior to adopt the new device, we need to access our nurses' skill and knowledge in both demonstration and assessment of inhalation technique of the new device. As such, a modified Chinese version of nurses competence scale was developed and validated in order to measure level of competency (knowledge, attitude and practice) of nurses in demonstration and assessment inhalation technique before kicking off our training.

Objectives

(1) To develop and validate a modified Chinese version on competency scale which measures paediatric nurses' competency (knowledge, attitude and practice) in demonstrating and assessing MDI plus whistle mask spacer technique among paediatric nurses in Hong Kong; And (2) to assess psychometric properties of the instrument.

Methodology

This is a quantitative study quasi-experimental design without control group using pre- and post-tests measures. The English version of the tool was developed initially and then translated to Chinese version. Back translation was carried out afterward. Content validity was done by five experts in paediatric. Test and retest for reliability was implemented after the content validity in two weeks.

Results

The samples comprised of 38 paediatric nurses with a mean year of experience 9.71. The Content Validity Index was reported 0.939, the Cronbach's alpha was overall 0.926. The test-retest reported ICC 0.755 for overall scale.

Conclusion

The psychometric properties of the scale have been empirically tested in this study and showed adequate internal consistency, reliability and validity. Overall, the scale can be used in the Chinese society.

Congratulations to Our Honorary Fellow Prof. YOUNG Tse Tse Rosie, GBS, JP Award of "Grand Bauhinia Medal (GBM)" by Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region



Professor YOUNG is a world-renowned educationist and researcher in medicine and one of the top authorities on endocrinology worldwide. She has received numerous honours for her exemplary work in the scientific and medical fields. Her research in diabetes mellitus, carbohydrate metabolism in liver disease, thyrotoxicosis and thyrotoxic periodic paralysis has led to improved treatments that help save lives and reduce the suffering of patients. Professor YOUNG joined the University of Hong Kong in 1954. Although having retired for nearly 20 years, she has continued to serve the University and young people in Hong Kong, and stays active in passing her knowledge and experience to the younger generation of medical professionals. Her tireless devotion and valuable contributions to public health and education has brought her utmost respect from the community. She is awarded GBM in recognition of her exemplary work in education and the medical field.

Congratulations to Our Honorary Fellow Mr. HUANG, Garson Lester, SBS, JP

Award of "Silver Bauhinia Star (SBS)" by Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region



Mr. HUANG is awarded SBS for his distinguished and dedicated public and community service. He has participated extensively in various boards and committees over the years. Mr. HUANG has made tremendous contributions to the Government's initiatives on language education and school-based management policy. He has also provided invaluable expert advice to the Hospital Authority on matters related to corporate governance, risk management and key legal issues. On financial services, Mr. HUANG has provided solid support to the work of the Securities and Futures Commission, and tendered constructive and sensible advice on the work of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority and the Hong Kong Mortgage Corporation Limited (HKMC), in particular the promotion of HKMC's Reverse Mortgage Programme.



Source : https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/20180 7/01/P2018063000485.htm

Fellow Recognition Award Vetting



The Panel Judges : Ms. Annie CHAN, Ms. Macy CHAU and Ms. Helena LI are putting their heads together to study the applications on 11 August 2018.

Our Fellows are committed to develop advanced nursing practice and strive for excellence in care to our clients. They are role models and should be recognized by fellow nursing colleagues. To celebrate their excellence, the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing has invited the Academy Colleges to nominate Fellows to receive the HKAN Recognition Award.

Recognition areas:

- 1. Community education service
- 2. Patient advisory /supporting group
- 3. Professional development
- 4. Clinical innovation
- 5. International or local awards related to health

Recognition period is counted from August 2016 to June 2018. The Academy will award "Certificate of Recognition", "Certificate of Merit Recognition" and "Certificate of Gold Merit" to the eligible awardees.

A total of 50 nominations received. Results will be announced in beginning of Sep 2018. The Award Celebration will be held together with our Annual Dinner on Saturday, 3 November 2018.

Please join us to celebrate their achievement!

College Membership Program Assessment

For those Academy Colleges which submitted Membership Programs in 2016 is due for reassessment in 2018. The Presidents have worked hard to review and update the programs for reassessment. The result of the reassessment would be announced shortly.

Meanwhile, eight Academy Colleges have scheduled Membership Examination and Fellow Exit Assessment in coming months. We wish all candidates all the best and pass with flying colour; we also look forward to the announcement of result.

Reaccreditation exercises

The application of the following Academy Colleges were processed and approved by the Council of HKAN: Hong Kong College of Gerontology Nursing Hong Kong College of Medical Nursing Hong Kong College of Nursing and Health Care Management Hong Kong College of Orthopaedic Nursing Hong Kong College of Perioperative Nursing

The Presidents of the above Academy Colleges are deeply appreciated for their support to the Hong Kong Academy of Nursing.

Due to the term of office, Ms. Alice SHAM has stepped down the office of Vice President (Education). Her contribution to the development of Membership Program and College Accreditation is significant and has paved the way for us to strive forward.

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Renewal of Fellow Membership for 2018-2019 as at 1 August 2018				
College	2018	College	2018	
HKCCN	124	HKCMHN	87	
HKCCPHN	248	НКСМ	168	
HKCCCN	186	HKCNHCM	110	
HKCERN	109	HKCON	132	
HKCEN	175	HKCPN	288	
HKCGN	66	HKCPON	235	
HKCMN	452	HKCSN	245	
		Total : 2625		

Registration & Membership

HKAN welcome the following batch of Fellow Members (18/19) from 8 Academy Colleges.

College	Name in English	College	Name in English
	LEE Chung Yan Margaret		CHAN Sze Man
HKCCCN	TSOI Shing Chi	НКСММ	CHEUNG Yin Shuen
	WONG Sai Wing		CHIU Pui Chi
	CHEUNG Mei Ki		CHU Chung Ho
HKCERN	CHOW Ka Ming		LAM Shuk Man
	Mak Ka Po		LAM Yuen Hung
	WONG Cho Lee		WONG Chi Ho Billy
	WONG Sze Wing Julia	НКСРМ	CHIK Yuen Man
	CHEUNG Kai Yeung		LEE Wing Ki
HKCEN	HA Pui Kwan		LAU Mo Ching
	YAU Tai Loi	HKCSN	LI Man Chun
HKCMW	LI Chui Yan		TANG Pui Yin
НКСИНСМ	LEUNG Chun Pong		WONG Kwok Ying



Upcoming Events and Activities

Events & Activities	Date and Time	Venue
Inaugural meeting of Young Fellow Chapter	6 October, 18 (Sat) 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Practical Room, LG2, School of Nursing, PMH
Putonghua for Professional Use	26 October 18, 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 November 18 (Fri)	Room AG101, PolyU
Fellow Recognition Award Ceremony cum Annual Dinner and CNE Talk	3 November 2018 (Sat)	Choi Fook Banquet Wedding 348, Nathan Road
Community Services (Health check and consultation)	4Q 2018	Central and Western District
Topic : About E-cigarettes	4Q 2018	TBC
Walkathon	Tentative (TBC)	Ma On Shan Gallery
"Collaboration Model in Community Services" by Ms. Daisy Wong	15 December 2018 (Sat)	Lecture Theatre, LG2, School of Nursing, PMH
Strategic Planning Workshop	19 January 2019 (Sat)	TBC
Chinese Opera by Rose Family - 帝女花	10 March 2019 (Sun)	新光戲院大劇場
Health Carnival Day 2019	6 April 2019 (Sat) 10:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.	Sham Shui Po
Fellowship Conferment 2019	11 May 2019 (Sat)	Jockey Club Auditorium PolyU
2019 International Nurses Day (IND) Celebration Dinner	11 May 2019 (Sat) 6:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	Rotunda 3, 6/F, at KITEC

Recruitment of Volunteers for HKAN

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