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The History Department E-newsletter was launched in the fall of 2014. In the past two academic years, a total of 20 issues have been published. This form of monthly communication during terms has brought members of the History family much closer than before, and has also generated some interest in the general public. While we are happily launching the third series of the E-newsletter for the current academic year, I would like to thank my colleagues Prof. Kai-wing Chow, Dr. Catherine Ladds, and Dr. David Schley for serving as the editors in the previous year. As Prof. Chow has just retired, I am very glad to welcome Prof. Stephanie

Po-yin Chung who will be taking over Prof. Chow's editorship this year, and I also thank Dr. Ladds and Dr. Schley for staying in their role in the current year. Moreover, I must thank Mr. Joseph Wing-chung Liu, the Executive Editor, for his excellent work in publishing all ten issues on time each year. Without Joseph's energetic participation, this newsletter could hardly be delivered so timely and so handsomely.

The History Department has completed another fruitful academic year. Our faculty team expanded a bit, bringing in expertise with wider geographical and temporal coverage, and leading to a bigger variety of course choices for students. Besides, the Department achieved great success in external research fund seeking over the past year. Apart from hosting regular activities such as the Annual Assembly, Information Session for Freshmen, Honors Project Briefing, Faculty-Student Consultative Meeting, and Advisory Committee Meeting, the Department also organized/co-organized 8 large-scale events including a database launch, several conferences and fora, and a total of 33 lectures/seminars. Many of our students participated in these activities.

One important development last year is the implementation of the Peer Mentoring Program. We understand that some students may need a little time to adjust to university life, while some may be struggling at different junctures, and others simply would like the support of their peers. Therefore, we appointed ten outstanding students as peer mentors and trained them to offer extra support to students who choose to join the program.

Another significant achievement is the establishment of three important scholarships in the past year. Thanks to the Class of 1985 alumni, a scholarship has been established to commemorate the 30th anniversary of their graduation. Thanks to our supportive alumnus Mr. Yip Sing-kit, a scholarship has also been created to celebrate the happy retirement of Prof. Kai-wing Chow. Another substantial donation of one million arrived in

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April 2016 from our long-term supporter Dr. Tan Siu-lin. The Tan scholarship will create 5 awards each year from the 2017-18 academic year onwards, basically serving as admission scholarship but also an effort to push overseas exchanges among scholarship holders.

Moving to the 2016-17 academic year, the biggest event is the Time Capsule Ceremony, in which a century-long time capsule prepared by the Department will be buried at the Baptist University Road Campus Entrance Plaza on October 5, 2016. This is a celebratory event in honor of HKBU's 60th anniversary and SOSC's 45th anniversary. All serving colleagues and current students, including the Class of 2016, as well as some of our alumni and supporters, will contribute messages, images, and objects to be stored in the time capsule, which is scheduled to be opened in 2116. To date, this will be the longest period of time for a time capsule among all tertiary institutions in Hong Kong. This is our gift for historians of the 22nd century, as they will use what we have deposited to study our time. As historians ourselves we are simply making history. Dear students, please do not miss this golden opportunity to communicate with people one hundred years later. Please hand in your contribution on time and don't forget to witness this historic occasion in person.

Wishing everybody a successful and fruitful academic year ahead! Don't forget to read the newsletter at the end of each month, and please show your support to the Department by contributing any kind of sharing!

Clara Wing-chung Ho

Head and Professor

History Department Annual Assembly 2016 (2016.9.3)





The History Department Annual Assembly 2016, the most important annual event of the Department, was held in AAB 201 (Tsang Chan Sik Yue Auditorium) on 3 September 2016 (Sat). This is the third time that faculty members, staff and History Majors in various undergraduate and post-graduate programmes participated in this grand gathering of the History Family.

The Assembly began with a video clip, which provided a general overview of the Department's recent development, members' achievements in the 2015 – 2016 academic year and the forthcoming Time Capsule Project was also highlighted. The History Department Anthem composed by members of the Department, including

faculty members, staff and alumni, was then sung by the History Family members. After the Anthem, a family picture, which will be posted in the main entrance of the Department and will appear on the homepage of the Department's Website for one year, was taken to preserve the treasure moment.

Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho, Head of Department, conveyed her warm greetings to all History Majors and offered a special welcome to students who newly joined the History Family. Prof. Ho expressed her appreciation to colleagues and students for their concerted efforts to make the Department a better place during the previous academic year. She also mentioned various scholarship opportunities and encouraged students to participate in overseas exchange programs, the Peer Mentoring Program, and the forthcoming Time Capsule Ceremony, to be held on 5 October 2016 as a celebratory event of the University's 60th anniversary.



Members of the Department sang the History Department Anthem together.





Faculty members of History Department met students on stage.

Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho, Head of Department, delivered a welcoming address.

In addition, the team of academic and teaching staff also took this opportunity to meet all students and delivered addresses on stage.

In order to recognize students' outstanding academic performance in the 2015 – 2016 academic year, nearly one hundred History Majors were presented certificates for different awards, including Certificate of Excellence (CGPA at or over 3.40), Certificate of Merit (CGPA 3.30 – 3.39), GPA Winner by Year, GPA Winner by Programme, Most Improved Award, Good Progress Award and Overall GPA Winner. Significantly, winners of various scholarships were also recognized for their exceptional accomplishments. Furthermore, Leadership Awards and Certificates of Appreciation were presented to students with outstanding leadership within and/or outside the University as well as students who participated in the Peer Mentoring Program in the previous academic year.





Dr. Kin-sum (Sammy) Li (left) and Dr. David Schley (right) delivered announcements of the Time Capsule Project and the Peer Mentoring Program on stage.

The award presentation was followed by two important announcements. Dr. Kin-sum (Sammy) Li and Dr. David Schley were invited on stage to introduce the Time Capsule Project and the Peer Mentoring Program respectively.



Students shared their experience on stage. (From Left to right: Ho-yin Pong, Chunmei Tan, Fei Wu, and Tsz-ching Hong)

At the end of the Assembly, 4 History Majors, including Ho-yin Pong (BA [Hons] in History, Year 4), Overall GPA Winner among three programmes, Chunmei Tan (BA [Hons] in History, Year 4) and Fei Wu (BA [Hons] in History, Year 4), who have just returned from an exchange programme in Taiwan, as well as Tsz-ching Hong (BSSc [Hons] in China Studies – History Concentration, Year 3) who participated in an internship programme this summer, were invited on stage to share their study, exchange, and internship experience.

The Department thanks all the participants and extends warm wishes for a successful and productive 2016-2017 academic year.



A group photo of all participants, award recipients and faculty members.





鄺智文博士獲國際期刊頒發最佳創新研究論文獎

Dr. Chi-man Kwong Received Best Paper Award of International Journal



Dr. Chi-man Kwong, Assistant Professor of the History Department, has been awarded the Early-Career Prize for the best original research article from the *International Bibliography of Military History (IBMH)*.

Dr. Kwong's article, entitled "They Are a Little Afraid of the British Admiral': The China Station of the Royal Navy during the First Sino-Japanese War, 1894-1895," published in *IBMH*, vol. 35/2, discussed the role of the British Royal Navy during the Sino-Japanese War of 1894-5.

The prize is given by Brill and the Bibliographical Committee of the International Commission of Military History.

For details of Dr Kwong's article, please refer to http://booksandjournals.brillonline.com/content/journals/10.1163/22115757-03502002.

The History Department offers its appreciation and congratulations to Dr. Kwong for his enthusiasm for scholarly research in his fields of expertise as well as his accomplishments on receiving the international and well-deserved award.



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Editorial

Along with a new cover design and website for the Journal (www.brill.com/ijmh), the new title IJMH reflects the transformation of the IBMH over the last five years. That transformation aimed to create a comprehensive and academically competitive publication in the field of military history. For that purpose, Brill Publishers, together with the Board of the Bibliographical Committee of ICMH agreed, in early 2015, to sponsor an "Early-career prize" for the best original research article of each annual volume. I am glad to announce that we have decided to award the 2015 prize to Dr. Kwong Chi Man, Assistant Professor at Hong Kong Baptist University, for his article "They Are a Little Afraid of the British Admiral': The China Station of the Royal Navy during the First Sino-Japanese War, 1894–1895", published in IBMH, vol. 35/2.

浸大歷史系助理教授鄺智文博士獲國際期刊International Bibliography of Military History (IBMH) 頒發青年學者最佳創新研究論文獎。

鄺博士獲獎論文題為〈他們對英國海軍將領頗為畏懼:第一次中日戰爭中的英國皇家海軍中國艦隊〉,發表於IBMH第35卷第2期,闡釋英國皇家海軍於第一次中日戰爭(1894-95)的角色。

此獎項經由 "Brill and the Bibliographical Committee of the International Commission of Military History" 評審後頒發。

關於鄺博士的獲獎論文詳情,可參閱: http://booksandjournals.brillonline.com/content/journals/10.1163/22115757-03502002.

本系對鄺博士是次獲獎表示祝賀, 亦欣賞其學術研究取得國際認同。

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"They Are a Little Afraid of the British Admiral"
The China Station of the Royal Navy during the First Sino-Japanese War,
1804-1805

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Abstract

This article looks at the role of the British Royal Navy during the First Sino-Japanese War of 1894—1895. Although the British government decided to stay neutral and work with Russia to mediate between Japan and China, the presence of the China Station of the Royal Navy played a subtle role in influencing the strategies adopted by China and Japan. However, as the British government underestimated its own naval power and possibly overestimated that of its potential opponents, the China Station played only a limited role to protect British interest. As a result, Russia used a much weaker fleet to achieve its territorial and political goals, while Britain was forced to increase its military and naval investment in East Asia. The result of the war was the opposite of the intention of the British government, namely to maintain stability in the area and check the spread of Russian influence.

Keywords

China Station – Edmund Fremantle – Imperial Japanese Navy – Li Hongzhang – Naval Warfare – Pre-dreadnought – Royal Navy – Sino-Japanese War, 1894–1895

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Faculty Introduction Session of the New Student Orientation for Senior Year Students (2016.8.11)





The "Faculty Introduction Session of the New Student Orientation for Senior Year Students" was held by the Faculty of the Social Science on 11 August 2016 (Thu) to greet and welcome the freshmen who gained direct entry to senior year. Nearly 20 senior year students of the Department participated in the Department/Programme Briefing and met some of the faculty members in the Meeting Room (AAB 1153), including Dr. Ka-chai Tam, Dr. Wing-chung Fan, Dr. Jie Ding, Dr. Raymond Kwun-sun Lau, and Dr. Yuen-han Law. A general introduction of the Department was given by the faculty members and important information and advice were provided to help the senior year students get settled quickly at HKBU. Moreover, Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho dropped in and extended a warm welcome to all the senior year students for joining the History Family.









研究生講論會: 儒道與世變——以簡朝亮及其門人為討論中心

Postgraduate Students' Seminar:

Dao and Social Changes: A Study of Jian Chaoliang and the Disciples (2016.8.16)







Mr. Chi-fai Lau, a PhD student of the Department, delivered a candidate seminar on his research on "Dao and Social Changes: A Study of Jian Chaoliang and the Disciples 儒道與世變——以簡朝亮及其門人為討論中心," which was organized by the Department and held in the Meeting Room (AAB 1153) on 16 August 2016 (Tue).

Mr. Lau's presentation attempted to examine the interrelationship and inter-influence between the *dao* (Chinese: "way," "road," "path," "course," "speech," or "method") of Confucianism and traditional Chinese intellectuals during the late Qing and early Republic period. He also focused on the practical use and applica-

tion of dao in daily life by studying Jian Chaoliang's thought. Moreover, he discussed the development of the *daotong* 道統 (ethical authority), the resistance of *zhengtong* 政統 (political authority), and the dissemination of Confucius jing 經 in his presentation.





Peer Mentoring Program: Training & Information Session (2016.9.21)





The Program is designed to provide support for students who may be new to the department, uncertain how to balance the challenges of academic life, or facing some sort of academic trouble. History Majors who become peer mentors meet with mentees twice a month in order to help them set benchmarks for progress, develop effective study habits, and guide them through the History Department. Mentors are paid for their time and receive pedagogical training as well as certificates at the annual assembly.

This year, the Department received a considerable number of applications. Four applicants have been selected to become new mentors. Below is a full list of current mentors, which includes five mentors already recruited last year:

STUDENT NAME	PROGRAMME	YEAR
Kevin Chun-hei CHAN	BSSc/CS - HIST	4
Tianpei CHEN	BA/HIST	4
Ka-yan CHIU	BA/HIST	4
Sze-ping FUNG	BA/HIST	4
Sin-ming KWOK	BSSc/CS - HIST	4

STUDENT NAME	PROGRAMME	YEAR
Leo Chun-hei LEUNG	BA/HIST	4
Ho-yin PONG	BA/HIST	4
Anthony Ka-ki SUNG	BA/HIST	4
Philip Tin-lap WONG	BSSc/CS - HIST	4

A training and information session (mainly for new mentors) was held in the Meeting Room (AAB 1153) on 21 September 2016 (Wed). In the session, Dr. Schley explained about the general direction and goals of the program and shared his experience and strategies for working with mentees. Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho also dropped in on and extended warm greeting to the mentors.













Guest Visits



Prof. Shuanghuai Wang 王雙懷 (Professor, School of History and Civilization, Shaanxi Normal University; Visiting Scholar of the History Department in AY1998-99) visited the Department on 21 September 2016 (Wed).





Three government officers from Education Bureau, including Mr. Chun-kit Woo (Senior Curriculum Development Officer [PSHE]), Mr. Chi-hung Lee (Chief Curriculum Development Officer [PSHE]), and Ms. Shuk-yin Lee (Senior Curriculum Development Officer [PSHE]), shared their recent curriculum development with some faculty members of the Department on 26 September 2016 (Mon).

Composition of the Department 2016-17

Academic Staff

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Adjunct Professor
Adjunct Professor

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PhD. Programme	Miss Zhihui LIN	林稚暉小姐
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PhD. Programme	Mr. Chin-chung YUEN	袁展聰先生
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MPhil. Programme	Mr. Wai-li CHU	朱維理先生
MPhil. Programme	Mr. Shing-yin HON	韓承延先生
MPhil. Programme	Mr. Hin-wai LEE	李顯偉先生
MPhil. Programme	Mr. Kenneth Ka-kin WONG	黄家健先生

Retirement

◆Prof. Kai-wing CHOW, Professor Effective from 1 September 2016

Appointments

- ◆Dr. Oiyan LIU, Assistant Professor Effective from 1 September 2016
- ◆ Prof. Kai-wing CHOW, Adjunct Professor Effective from 1 September 2016
- ◆Miss Nga-yin TSE, Research Assistant Effective from 8 August 2016

Members' Publications 本系成員著作

History Department Newsletter

Prof. Kai-wing CHOW (Adjunct Professor)



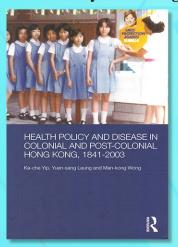
◆《潮流兩岸:近代香港的人和事》(香港:香港中和出版有限公司, 2016年)。268頁。ISBN: 978-988-8369-67-6。

簡介:

從十九世紀中葉起, 香港就在中外文化交流史上佔重要席位, 是亞洲現代 化的先進城市之一,影響及於中國內地和其他亞洲國家如日本等。

本書從香港在中外交通和海洋事業的地位談起, 縷述近代名人訪港見聞和 從事文教活動的情況,論證香港在書刊、翻譯、語文、新聞、政治活動等 領域, 開近代亞洲風氣之先, 連接區域網絡, 介紹香港史地研究文化考察 全書分三輯,從「人和事」的角度,闡明香港在近代中國和亞洲所擔當的獨特角色。

Dr. Timothy Man-kong WONG (Associate Professor)



◆(With Ka-che Yip and Yuen-sang Leung) Health Policy and Disease in Colonial and Post-Colonial Hong Kong, 1841-2003. (New York: Routledge, 2016). 150 pages.

Description:

Besides looking at major outbreaks of diseases and how they were coped with, diseases such as malaria, smallpox, tuberculosis, plague, venereal disease, avian flu and SARS, this book also examines how the successive government regimes in Hong Kong took action to prevent diseases and control potential threats to health. It shows how policies impacted the various Chinese and non-Chinese groups, and

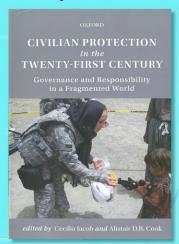
how policies were often formulated as a result of negotiations between these different groups. By considering developments over a long historical period, the book contrasts the different approaches in the periods of colonial rule, Japanese occupation, post-war reconstruction, transition to decolonization, and Hong Kong as Special Administrative Region within the People's Republic of China.

Dr. Guangxin FAN (Research Assistant Professor)



"門戶之見" 與理學家的經世觀念〉, 《學術月刊》, 第48 卷, 第8期(2016年8月), 頁141-151。

Dr. Raymond Kwun-sun LAU (Lecturer II)



Protection First, Justice Later?

Stopping Mass Atrocities in Northern Uganda
RAYMOND KWUN SUN LAU

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Mr. Yu-hin HO (PhD student)





◆"A Discussion of Regimen as Seen in Qing Women's Works 清代女性著作中有關養生議題的探討," *Xinbeida shixue* 《新北大史學》, vol. 19 (June 2016), pp. 25-43.





◆Review of Bret Hinsch's Masculinities in Chinese History, *Hanxue yanjiu tongxun* 漢學研究通訊 (Newsletter for Research in Chinese Studies), vol. 35, no. 2 (July 2016), pp. 25-27.

Mr. Kai-yiu LAU (PhD student)



◆ (與郭嘉輝) 〈民國尚武精神的剪影: 孫中山尚武精神及精武體育會的 發展〉, 《中國史研究》, 第103輯(2016年8月), 頁245-261。

Mr. Wai-li CHU (MPhil student)



中共在雙十暴動中的介入及對英國治港政策的威脅

◆ "More than a Potential Threat: The PRC's Intervention During the Double Tenth Incident," Journal of the Royal Asiatic Society Hong Kong Branch, 56 (September 2016), pp. 9-39.

香港的「中國」 歷史音識・

◆〈香港的「中國」歷史意識: 1960年代以來初中中國歷史教科書與社 會論述的轉變〉, 《思想》, 第31期(2016年9月), 頁97-131.

Dr. Oi-yan LIU 廖藹欣博士

Dear Members of HKBU's Community,

I take this occasion as an opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Oiyan Liu, and I am a new member of the Department of History. Having spent my formative years in Asia, Europe, and the United States, I have developed an interest in the lives of migrants and other itinerants. I am particularly interested in issues concerning race and ethnicity and have come to conclude that such markers are not only invented but also fluid. The ways in which people identify themselves, or are perceived by others, are subject to local, historical, and geopolitical circumstances. Although this conclusion is based on my personal life experiences as an itinerant, my educational background in Southeast Asian history and Chinese history have greatly facilitated this process of realization. In my research and course offerings I touch upon issues of race, ethnicity, nationality, and cross-cultural encoun



ters within the larger framework of colonialism, nationalism, and globalization. Moreover, although my interests center on the histories of people, I am also interested in unraveling other aspects of the connected histories between Southeast Asia and China, such as material culture and knowledge production. I am looking forward to getting to know you too.

Sharing by Students 學生的分享

Ho-yin PONG 龐浩賢

BA (Hons) in History, Year 4



不經不覺來到浸大歷史系已經超過—年了! 在過去—年, 我經歷了很多事情, 不論在學業上或是人事生活上, 都得到不少寶貴的經驗。我非常感謝曾經教導過我的諸位老師, 謝謝您們的教導和照顧, 讓我可無拘束地追求學問。

當中,最意想不到及令我感恩的事,是認識到一群同樣從 Non-JUPAS升上大學,加入歷史系的好友們!我們同樣經歷了在 修讀副學士課程時的「艱辛拼搏」,故可謂「惺惺相惜」,很快 便熟絡起來。這一年來,我們互相扶持,除了討論學術、交流心





得外,還經常結伴吃飯聚會、談天說地,不亦樂乎。原本我以為只有兩年的時間,很難認識一些能交心的朋友。可是,他們的親切熱情令我窩心不已,亦帶給我愉快的校園生活!因此,我在這裡向他們衷心說聲:「謝謝!」

Tianpei CHEN 陳天沛

BA (Hons) in History, Year 4

Participated in the Undergraduate Summer Research Programme at the Department of History as a Student Research Assistant

I have always been curious about how a historian works and starts her or his research because I hope I can become a historian in the future, but I have never previously had a chance to discover this. Thus, working as a UGSRP (Undergraduate Summer Research Programme) student research assistant this summer was a great opportunity.

My task was to compile a bibliography of secondary sources on the history of New York City and the history of urban traffic, transit, and mobility. Not only did I improve my research skills, but also this experience encouraged me to continue to pursue academic research after I have completed my undergraduate degree.

Dr. Schley, my research supervisor, gave me considerable and kind advice. He prepared a very lucid instruction of my research tasks. Besides, he always encouraged me to ask questions about issues I encountered, and is enthusiastically answered these questions.

My research skills were enhanced through the program. To compile the bibliography, I needed to collect and select scholarly works from several relevant databases. Instead of merely entering the keywords and starting the research, I learnt that it is a better to approach the research in different stages. For instance, the first stage of the literature research should focus on post-2001 publications; the second stage should be limited to books

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and journal articles published from 1980 to 2000. I found this is a more effective and efficient method to do a literature review. To be honest, the process of the selecting the sources seemed tedious, but it was quite satisfactory when I found the sources I wanted.

The summer research program is a wonderful opportunity for me to get to know how a historian works and starts a new project. It inspired me to steel myself for pursuing the goal of becoming a historian in the future.



Tianpei and Dr. David Schley

Finally, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to Prof. Ho for the opportunity to participate in the programme, to Dr. Schley for his helpful guidance, and to Renee, Joseph, Ben and Amina for your generous help. Thank you for your kind support this summer!

Hoi-ching LEUNG 梁凱晴

BA (Hons) in History, Year 4

Participated in the Undergraduate Summer Research Programme at the Department of History as a Student Research Assistant

This is my second year as a member of the History Department. Like other students, I continue to learn from our teachers through lectures and by developing my interest in History. However, this summer I had an incredible chance to be a Student Research Assistant in our department.

Let me begin with the basic information of the program. I was appointed as a Student Research Assistant to help with the project on Dr. Sun Yat-sen Memorial Parks around the world, funded by the Dr. Sun Yat-sen Research Endowment Fund, which was donated to the History Department by the Luen Thai International Group,



the Tan Siu Lin Foundation and the Sun Yat-sen Education and Charity Foundation. My duties were to examine the existing "Sun Yat-sen Parks in the world" database and provide extra support for the Photo Exhibition of Dr. Sun Yat-sen Memorial Parks around the world which will open in November.

In order to prepare for these tasks, I worked with the current RA, Vincent, to locate more potential historic photos and reports for the exhibition. With his assistance, I examined a great variety of sources throughout the internship. For instance, I made use of archives from different countries, databases and resources form our school and from other universities. Reading the magazines, pictorials and newspapers from the Republican era was the most exciting part. These sources reveal the social life in that era, which is very new to me. Without

doubt, this experience broadened my understanding of research methods and enhanced my research techniques because I exposure to different kinds of historical sources that I was previously unfamiliar with. This is definitely helpful for my study of history in the future.

Instead of just sitting in front of the computer to do research, I went on several field trips to broaden my insight and knowledge. I visited the Hong Kong Museum of History and Hong Kong Heritage Discovery Centre in order to get some inspiration for the design of the Photo Exhibition. Furthermore, I had a valuable chance to visit the Dr. Sun Yat-sen Historical Trail for the first time with Prof. Lee. With his wonderful and detailed explanation I learnt much more about Dr. Sun Yat-sen's revolutionary journey and the significant role of Hong Kong during the 1911 Revolution in a lively way.

All in all, this opportunity was definitely beneficial for my study of history as well as my development in the future. Besides helping me to gain valuable work experience, more importantly this internship allowed me to apply the knowledge and methods I learned during the previous year. Moreover, this experience increases my interest in pursuing a career related to History research.

Last but not least, I would like to express my greatest gratitude to Prof. Ho for inviting me to join this project and also to other colleagues in the department, especially Vincent, Mr. Thomas Ho and Ms. Jessie Kong. Without their generous assistance



and guidance, I would not have experienced such a fruitful internship. Thomas Ho and Ms. Jessie Kong. Without their generous assistance and guidance, I would not earn such a fruitful internship experience.

Mr. Wai-shing LEE 李威成先生 & Ms. Yee-lam WONG 黃以琳女士

BA (Hons), HKBU, 2008 & 2007



Congratulations to the newly wedded couple from the Class of 2007 & 2008!

May Heaven and Earth bless the couple!

Mr. Wing-chung LIU 廖穎聰先生

BA (Hons), HKBU, 2013



也許都市的霓虹燈過於色彩繽紛, 現實生活中的聲色繁華總容易讓人不自覺地模糊了內在原有的、純粹的和清澈的風景。

有人說人世間溷濁不清;有人說人局限於空間、時間、文化處境和世局之中,往往不由自主地俗化、隨形化或物化。我們無法自當下逃遁,卻又有著欲超脫一切的衝動,太矛盾了。我想,這種矛盾的心情大概也可被稱為致死之病——絕望的一種。然而,我又矛盾地認為這種絕望並非完全致命,因為我們至少還有理解這種絕望的自覺。

世界與「我」貫通一線。若外界的種種和內界的我僅是各自獨立存在,那麼,「我」的存在豈不是一種虛無?我認為外物不可能自行模糊了內界的清晰視野,因為模糊了我們的,是「我」對外物的判斷。其實,外界和內界的關係密不可分,主、客體永遠交融並存,而外在的一切景色,往往是心境對外在不斷的繪形繪色的過程中所投射出來的鏡像。「花在笑,鳥在啼,風在歌嘯,雨在悲泣」,我的感覺往往投射於森羅萬象之中,外界永遠是心境的倒影。





色彩繽紛的霓虹燈與生活中的聲色繁華,並非模糊了自我的主因。風景是清晰還是模糊,乃源於「我」,而外界亦往往能透視出當下的心靈狀態。我在想,假若人被判定為自由的,我便能選擇看怎樣的風景。所以,人有選擇,亦可以選擇,別總在回頭看時,才將事情看得明白。

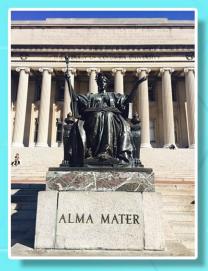
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不要來女神校的「三大理由」

在留學申請圈裡,「女神校」哥大一直是一個神奇的存在,明明是藤校(編者按:常春藤盟校或常春藤聯盟[Ivy League]),卻處處被「嫌棄」。在百度搜索「哥大女神」,出來的都是「奶茶妹妹」(編者按:2010年的網路紅人),而不是屹立於校園中央的女神雕塑。就連哥大中國留學生的元老級人物胡適大師,在留學期間也只懂得每天搓麻將,然後在夜晚寫日記的時候提醒自己:明天不要打麻將,要好好學習了。所以,面對槽點滿滿的哥大,你究竟是選擇來還是不來呢?此文就來為大家總結一下不要來女神校的三大理由!

如果你想要輕輕鬆拿個文憑,那麼你千萬不要來哥大。聽說哥大統計很遜,其實遜的只有人數。作為見證過統計系室友日夜「趕deadline」的我深知他們的痛,那是一種「明明我很苦,但全世界都不懂」的痛。他們的日常大概是:趕deadline — 趕完deadline — 趕下周的deadline — 考試 — 繼續趕deadline。而作為「資深」文科生的我,身為哥大東亞系的一員,我的學習生活是:閱讀



篇章—上課—讀下周的篇章—啊……寫期末論文的時間不夠了。所以說,如果你嚮往輕鬆遨遊任你飛的瀟灑生活,那你千萬不要來哥大,女神並不是隨便挑戰的。

如果你期待的是單一的White American Culture, 那麼你千萬不要來哥大。聽說女神校已經被中國人佔領了。工學院和理學院裡美國小夥伴變成了 "minority", 東亞系裡本來就只有十二個人的課堂, 通常有十個人都是中國人。畢竟想要瞭解東亞文化的美國人還是佔少數, 就像沒有幾個中國人能背下來所有美國總統的名字一樣。但即使是亞洲地區, 也有不同國家不同身份的人交流著對同一件事的不同觀點, 大家以平和的心態去分析所謂的「文化衝突」, 慢慢習慣去接受「不

同」,我想這正是大學強調Diversity的意義所在。而且,當你發現同學們同時用漢語、英語、藏語或日語等語言激烈討論的時候,頓時感覺自己「層次」還是很高的,雖然我也不懂藏文,但在別人說藏語的時候裝作聽懂的樣子還是不難的。





如果你嚮往現代化的校園,那麼你千萬不要來哥大。聽說哥大的教學樓、圖書館都是古董建築,這是千真萬確。東亞系圖書館的裝潢讓你瞬間穿越到上個世紀,Butler主圖書館裡的各種油畫讓你產生一種誤入藝術館的錯覺。當你一不小心踢掉一塊石頭,你最先心疼的一定不是自己的腳。當然,古老建築有的時候也蠻多地方值得吐槽的,比如在東亞系的大樓裡只有兩層有衛生間,對於此點我的同學是這樣分析的:「如果有錢,東亞系寧願多養幾個PhD也不會修樓的。」如此強大的理由讓我熱淚盈眶,畢竟人之「三急」都已經排在學術之後了。

其實,滿滿的吐槽通常都是因為愛的深沉,如果以上三大理由都沒有阻擋你來哥大的熱情,那麼哥大女神,歡迎你!

1. Time Capsule Ceremony













ME CAPSULE CEREMONY

QUALIFIED CONTRIBUTORS

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Size requirements of the items and further information are provided at the following link; http://histweb.hkbu.edu.hk/pdf/news/time_capsule.pdf. Contact Person: Joseph Wing-chung Liu (Tel: 3411 7174)

CAPSULE PREPARATION

October 4, 2016 (Tuesday)

9:00 am - 5:00 pm

AAB 1153, Academic and Administration Building

Baptist University Road Campus, Kowloon Tong

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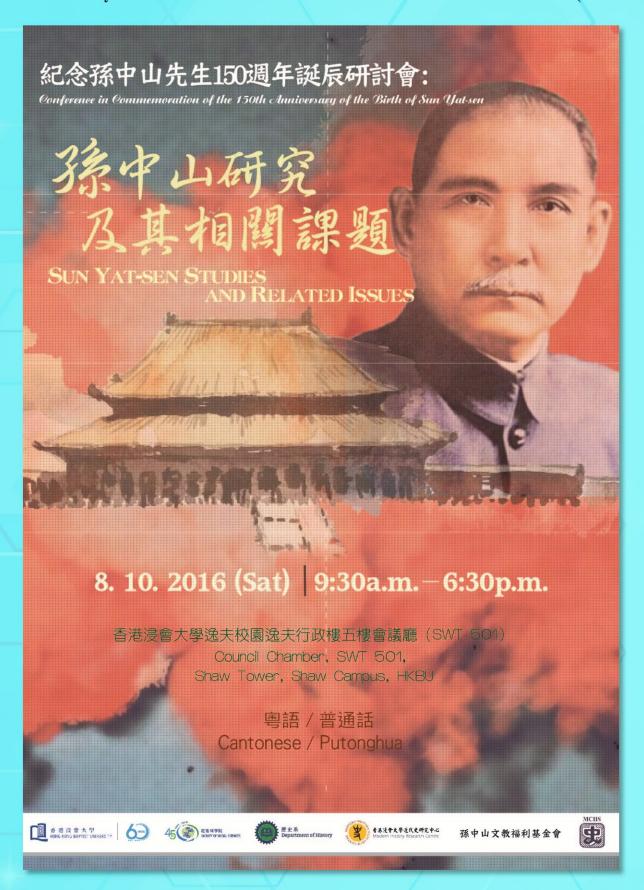




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3. 紀念孫中山先生150週年誕辰研討會: 孫中山研究及其相關課題 Conference in Commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of the Birth of Sun Yat-sen: Sun Yat-sen Studies and Related Issues (2016.10.8)



4. The opening hours of the Special Collections & Learning Centre (AAB 1132)



The History Department Special Collections and Learning Centre (AAB 1132) will be open from 9:00 to 17:00 on all weekdays (except public holidays).

History Majors can enjoy the facilities of the Centre, including computers, lots of seats, and an array of reference tools in the Centre, but most significantly it features two special collections: 1. Honours Project/ Thesis Collection; 2. The Chang Collection.

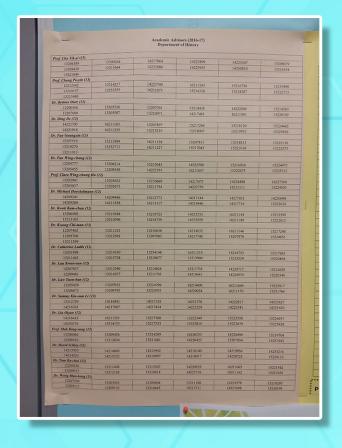
Moreover, learning support will be provided at the Centre as Research Postgraduate Students and Teaching Assistant of the Department will serve as Supervisors and will take turns to be in attendance. On-duty Supervisors will give mentoring and research guidance to students if requested.







5. Academic Advisor List (Placed outside the General Office)



6. Scholarship Opportunities (Opposite to AAB 1152)



7. Duty Roster 2016-17

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Department of History 2016-17 Duty Roster

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- 1. BA (hons) in History Programme Director: Prof. Clara Wing-chung HO
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- 3. BSSc in China Studies Programme Director: Dr. Timothy Man-kong WONG
- 4. BSSc in China Studies History Concentration Advisor (for majors in all years): Prof. Cindy Yik-yi CHU, Dr. Yuen-han LAW, Dr. Kam-chau KWOK, Dr. Jie DING
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- 8. 2+3 Programme Advisors: Dr. Wing-chung FAN, Dr. DING Jie, Dr. Yuen-han LAW
- 9. History Minor Programme Advisors: Dr. Oiyan LIU, Dr. W<mark>ing-</mark>chung FAN, Dr. Daniel Kam-chau KWO<mark>K,</mark>
 Dr. Raymond Kwun-sun I AU
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- 12. MA in Global Society PMC Member: Dr. David SCHLEY

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- 17. Information Day/ JU<mark>PAS Orientation: Dr. Wing-chung FAN, Dr. DING Jie, Dr. Daniel Kam-chau KWOK, Dr. Raymond Kwun-sun LAU, Dr. Yuen-han LAW</mark>
- 18. HIST rep on SOSC Task Force on HKBU's 60th Anniversary Celebrations: Dr. Wing-Chung FAN

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