



# ***Experience of a New Undergraduate Top-Up Degree in Health Care***

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# ***BSc (Hons) in Applied Sciences (Health Studies) Programme***



# Aims

To equip students with the necessary knowledge and competencies for entry to a relevant career.

# Programme Learning Outcomes

Graduates will be able to:

1. Communicate effectively and efficiently in diverse sectors of health related industries.
2. Identify key legal, compliance and ethical issues in health care industries.
3. Apply the essential practical and analytical skills needed to work in the areas of health education, health promotion and primary care.
4. Develop the ability to translate research into practice through skills in programme planning and evaluation, management, information dissemination and continuous learning for personal and professional development.
5. Demonstrate ability to contribute to the improvement of health care delivery systems and adapt to ever-changing industry trends.



# Compulsory Subjects

**Epidemiology**

**Essentials of Infection Control**

**Nutrition and Diseases**

**Practices in Health Promotion**

**Operations Management for Health Care**

**Health Information Sciences**

**Legal and Ethical Considerations in Healthcare**

**Health Care Systems and Resource Management**



# Prospects for Health-related Professions

- **Career opportunities:** *health care organizations for elderly care, outpatient clients, health promotion, community health educator, wellness coordinators, research*
  - **Public Health Care Organizations**
    - E.g. Hospital Authority, NGOs, Universities
  - **Private Health-related Service/Product Providers**
    - Health care service providers (e.g. private hospitals, clinics, centres)
    - Health care/medical product and solutions providers (e.g. pharmaceutical firms, health-related products)

# Further Study – local and overseas

## *Master's programmes in Health Care:*

- Public Health, Health Administration, Nutrition, Allied Health, Health Informatics, Infection Control

## *Programmes in specific professions:*

- Nursing, Allied Health, Nutrition, Pharmacy, Medicine, Chinese Medicine, Dentistry



## *Master of Health Economics -*

The University of Queensland (UQ) has officially confirmed that SPEED graduates from the BSc (Honours) Scheme in Applied Sciences will be eligible to apply for this 2 year Master's programme.

The application fees will be waived for our students,





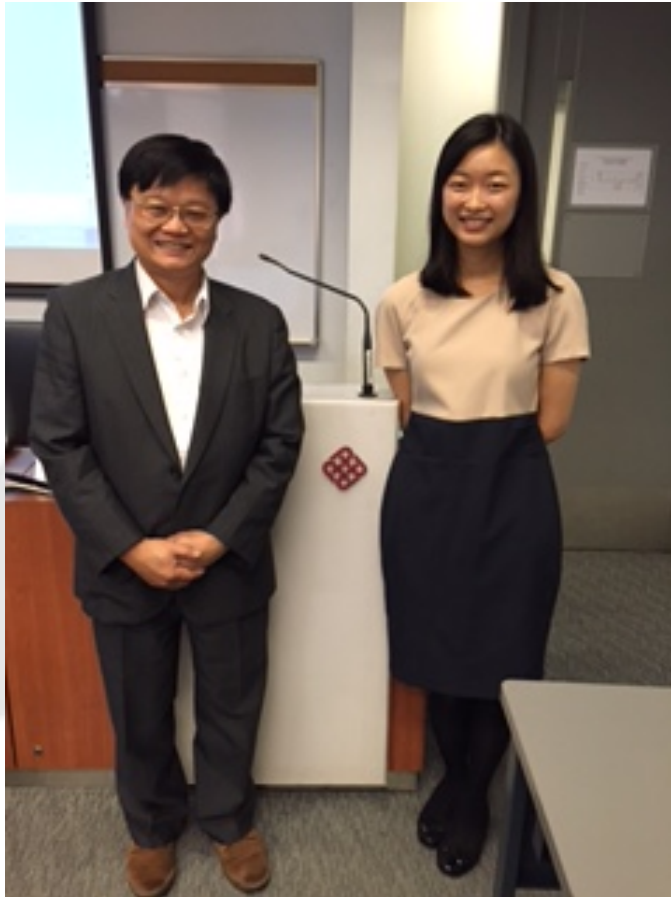
# Professional Recognition

- Hong Kong College of Health Service Executives (HKCHSE) as Associate Members
- Hong Kong Community Care Society (HKCCS) as Student Members
- Society for Health Systems (SHS) as Student Members
- Hong Kong Institute of Occupational and Environmental Hygiene (HKIOEH) as Affiliated Members
- Hong Kong Occupational Safety and Health Association (HKOSHA) as Student Members

# Guest Lecturers



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# Work Integrated Education (WIE) Experience

- opportunities in the work-integrated education during the two years of studies
- 300 hours

# WIE Experience





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Medication Safety Awareness Programme for the Elderly



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THE HONG KONG  
POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY  
香港理工大學

School of Professional Education  
and Executive Development  
專業進修學院

SPEED 

*Department of Family Medicine and  
Primary Care of Hong Kong University*



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## Summer Internship 2016

- 5 students joined the *Department of Family Medicine and Primary Care of Hong Kong University* in an ongoing community research project.



香港大學家庭醫學及基層醫療學系

Department of Family Medicine and Primary Care

The University of Hong Kong



- 1 student was awarded the *MedSim Health Education* scholarship.



## Internship 2016

- 5 students have been involved in the 2017 Employee Insurance Benefits (EIB) Research conducted by Gain Miles: telemarketing and data input.

# Auxiliary Medical Service



Passing out on 6 March 2016





Annual Scientific Meeting of the Hong Kong College of Community Medicine





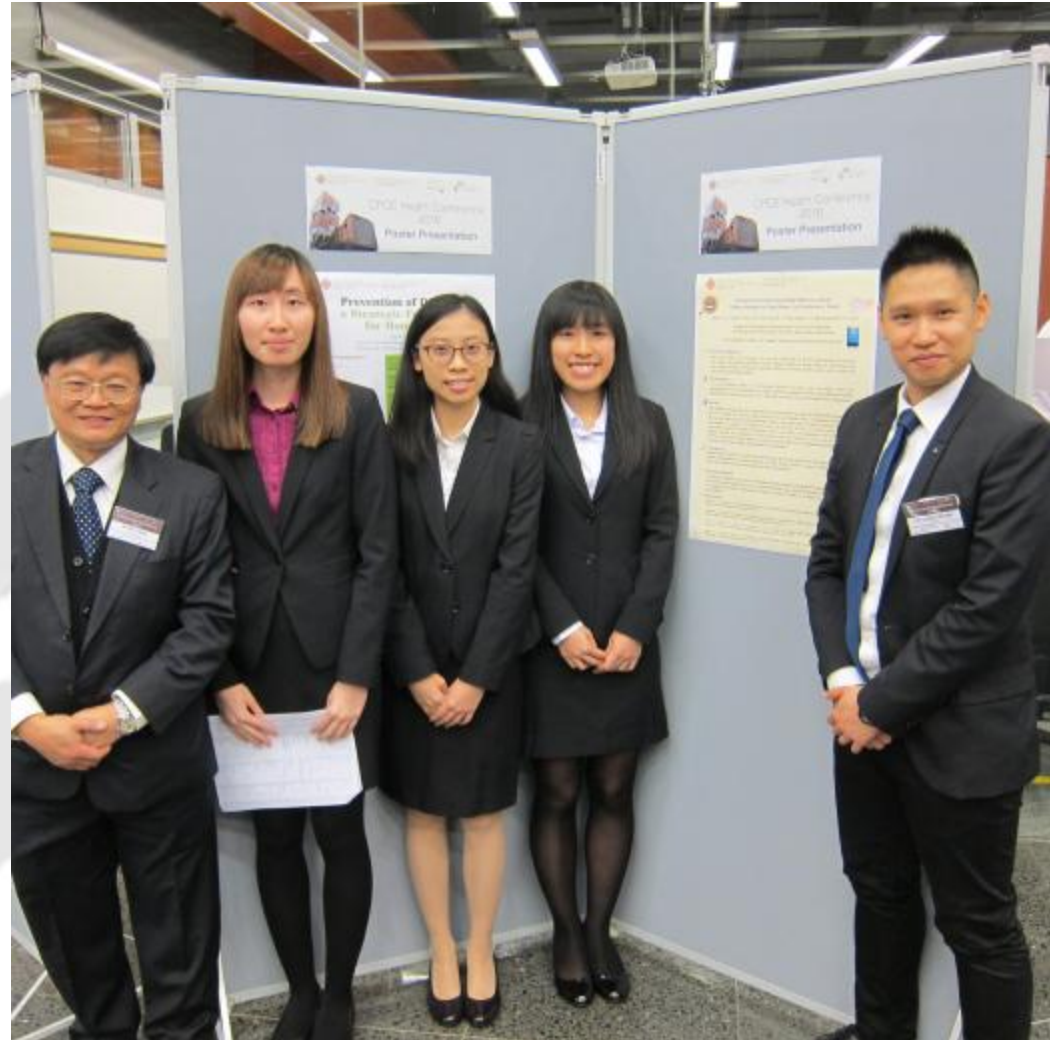
Annual Conference on Disaster Preparedness and Response, October 2016

## CPCE HEALTH CONFERENCE 2016

AGING, HEALTH AND LONG TERM CARE -  
Integrity, Innovation and Sustainability  
老齡化、醫療服務及長期護理：操守、創新及持續發展



# Poster Presentations by Students





# Scholarly Activities

- Individual papers are submitted to and accepted by the Working Paper Series, with a view of publication in professional journals and presentation at conferences.
- Poster presentations were accepted by the Annual Conferences organized by the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine and the Hong Kong College of Community Medicine.



# Scholarly Activities

- Papers have been accepted by international journals.
- Two graduates and one final stage students are contributors to a new book on long-term care and aging population, expected to be released next year.

# CPCE Health Conference 2017

HEALTHCARE DELIVERY AND FINANCING REFORM  
Implications for Business, Healthcare Providers and Patients  
醫護服務及融資改革：對商界、醫護人員及病人的影響

Co-Organisers:



Sponsors:



Associate Organisations:



## International Summer School programmes





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SPEED





# Programme Page

- Scheme and Programme Pages established in Moodle in November 2014 and a joint page with HKCC for all Health Studies students of the Associate and top-up BSc(AppSc) programmes was available since 2015-16.
- To enhance the communication with students and among teachers of the Scheme
- Contents - programme activities, circulars, WIE announcements, useful links and eResources, health information and publications.



NAVIGATION

Home

- My home
- My profile
- My mail (1)
- My courses

CPCE LIBRARIES

All contents will be linked to CPCE Libraries Update

- Past Examination Papers
- Resources by Programme
- Self-learning Language Center (SLLC)
- View myRecord

Search Library Catalogue

Keywords

Search

My courses in current semester

- Go to previous semesters (Academic year 2009/10 to 2011/12)
- Go to previous semesters (Academic year 2012/13 and onward)

Manage my course list

Expand all

HKCC & SPEED Activities

Academic Year 2015

Student Information Page for Health Studies Students

SPEED Scheme / Programme Page

Academic Year 2015

84048 BSC (HONS) IN APPLIED SCIENCES (Scheme Page) [2015 1]

84048-HS BSC (HONS) IN APPLIED SCIENCES (HEALTH STUDIES) (Programme Page) [2015 1]

Academic Year 2014

84048-IW BSC (HONS) IN APPLIED SCIENCES (INFORMATION SYSTEMS & WEB TECHNOLOGIES)

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ADMINISTRATION

My profile settings

CALENDAR

July 2016

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**ACTIVITIES**

- Feedback
- Forums
- Resources

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News and announcements

Student Activities for Health Studies Students (HKCC&SPEED) | Assignments, Research and Academic Writing

Seminars and Conferences | Publications and Presentations by our Staff and Students

Useful Links & Resource References | Health information & papers | Professional Recognition

### Student Activities for Health Studies Students (HKCC&SPEED)

- CPCE CONNECT VOL 8, July 2016
- CPCE Connect, Vol 7, Dec 2015
- Application - 「理解長者 安心護全港」, 2015 (漢基慈善基金會) (Posted on 1 Sept 2015) (Closed)
- Application - 樂善堂 - 「樂善堂中心」兒童發展支援中心招募義工 (Posted on 2 Oct 2015) (Closed)
- CSAC- Complementary Studies Programme and Physical Education Programme (2)
- CSAC- Complementary Studies Programme and Physical Education Programme (3)

**ADMINISTRATION**

- Course administration
  - Turn editing on
  - Edit settings
  - Users
  - Reports
  - Grades
  - Outcomes
  - Backup
  - Restore
  - Import
  - Question bank
- Switch role to...
- My profile settings

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**EVENTS KEY**

- Hide global events
- Hide course events
- Hide group events

# Facebook Page



香港理工大學  
 The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

**Health Studies 2014-2016**  
 不公開的社團  
 MTR Hung Hom

討論區 成員 活動 相片 檔案

搜尋這個社團

新增貼文 新增相片/影片 建立及參加活動 新增檔案

留個言吧...

**Ben Fong**  
 1月26日 6:07


**港大深圳醫院手術推「壹聲」 - 東方日報**  
 【記者鄭慧儀報導】香港大學深圳醫院專科護理師黃國輝、醫務管理專員陳煥輝日前加入，與院多部門本月廿七日聯手，將十種手術及服務推行「打老收...  
 ORIENTALDAILY.ON.CC

讚 留言 分享

Li Leon Wei 讚 · 10人已看過

新增成員  
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成員 30位成員  

 傳送訊息 - 以電子郵件連結

說明  
 Aim & Objective:  
 查看更多

群聊  
 Health Studies 2014-2016  
 最後訊息發送時間 1月23日 13:31  
 開啟聊天室

Li Leon Wei · Jason Cheung 和其他 30人  
 最後訊息發送時間 2015年5月27日 12:06  
 開啟聊天室

+ 建立新的聊天室

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**Body Spirit**  
**HEALTH STUDIES**

PolyU-SPEED-HS(2015-2017)  
私密社團

已加入 通知

討論區 成員 活動 相片 檔案

搜尋這個社團

撰寫貼文 新增相片 / 影片 建立活動 新增檔案

留個言吧...

閱讀貼文

Fung HT J 為「PolyU-SPEED-HS(2015-2017)」社團建立了一個活動。  
1月23日 23:48

**2...** 精評  
週六 13:30 待定  
2月 Fung HT J 和另外 8 位朋友將出席

1個讚 1個留言

讚 留言

最新貼文

Kwok Yuk Ng  
1月26日 12:10 · 香港  
中國經濟其實件慘過香港...  
http://sina.cn/news/2016-01-26/detail-afxurxp0000221.d.html

讚 留言

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成員 63 位成員

以電子郵件連結

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說明  
Health Studies includes medical and heal...  
查看更多

成立新社團  
和好友、家人、隊友或同伴一起分學，社團功能讓這一切變得更容易。  
建立社團

近期社團活動 查看全部

# Facebook Page



The screenshot shows a Facebook page for 'Health Studies'. The cover photo features the text 'Health Studies' and 'Health Studies 2016-2018' with a logo of two stylized figures. The page is set to 'Private' (不公開的社團). Navigation tabs include '討論區', '成員', and '相片'. The main content area shows a post by Ben Fong from December 12, 2014, sharing a photo of a person and a link to a Facebook photo album. Below the link is a graphic titled '對中學生的8個忠告' (8 pieces of advice for secondary school students), which contains eight numbered points with illustrations. The right sidebar includes a '新增成員' (Add members) section with a search bar and a list of members: Riz Chen, Lee Hoi Che, and Anthony Lam, each with a '新增成員' button. Below this is a '群聊' (Groups) section with a '+ 建立新的聊天室' button. At the bottom of the sidebar is a '成立新社團' (Create a new group) section with a '建立社團' button.



## Our First 43 Graduates (2014-16)

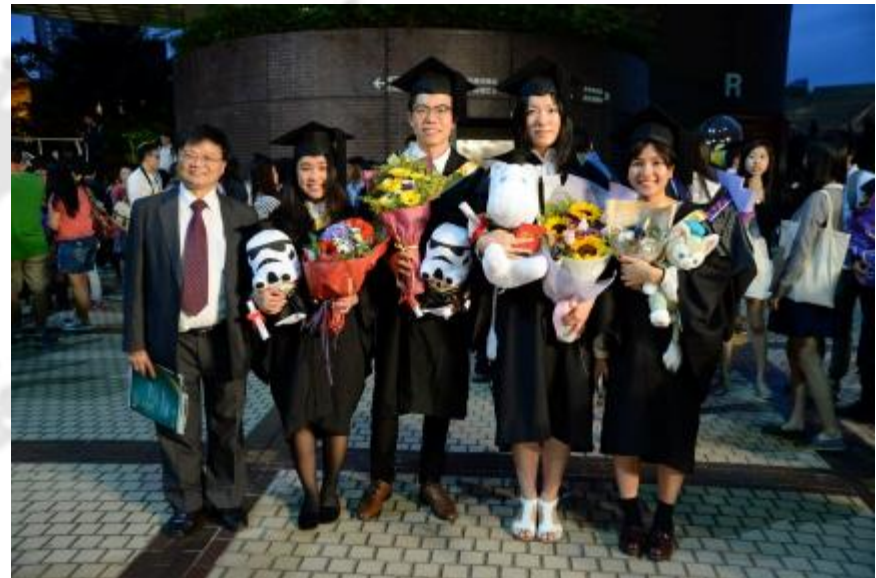


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Nine graduates continued their Master's studies:

- i. Three were admitted to the Master of Science in Infection Control, and Master of Health Informatics at PolyU
- ii. Five were admitted to the Master of Public Health programme at the Chinese University of Hong Kong.
- iii. One was admitted to the Master of Science in Sports Medicine & Health Science programme at the Chinese University of Hong Kong.

## Our First 43 Graduates (2014-16)

- Several have got administrative positions at hospitals of the Hospital Authority and private hospitals.
- Some have joined a pharmaceutical company in quality assurance and sales representative posts.
- One graduate is working in the continuing professional education field.
- One continues his previous part-time job with a hearing aid supplier in a full-time capacity.
- One graduate is a Programme Assistant in a NGO.
- One graduate has joined the ambulance service ...

**WHERE DO WE  
GO FROM  
HERE?**

The graduates are committed to the health care industry and have accomplished the objectives and expectations of the new programme, which are not designated for training the conventional health care professionals.

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This new programme has demonstrated great potentials in shaping the work force in the health sector by filling the “unattended” gap of middle-level non-professional grade staff with undergraduates educated in health studies subjects.



Areas of development include community health programmes, health policy, project planning and management, health insurance, chronic disease management, long-term care services, etc.