

Welcome Remarks at the HSUHK Summer Academy 2025

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Good morning student participants, colleagues, student helpers and friends:

Welcome to the much-awaited Summer Academy 2025 of The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong – a vibrant platform where exploration meets education, and curiosity kindles the flame of knowledge. As we gather here today to inaugurate the HSUHK Summer Academy 2025, it fills me with immense pleasure to witness the spirit of learning and innovation that defines our institution.

This year, we are delighted to welcome about 100 highly selected secondary school students from Form 3 to Form 6. The HSUHK Summer Academy offers secondary school students a unique opportunity to explore their interests, creativity and talents across various disciplines through a carefully curated programme of academic activities, out-of-classroom experiences, and engaging competitions. Participants will gain first-hand experience of the dynamic university life here, and engage with current students to understand the uniqueness of HSUHK.

The year 2025 marks a special milestone for us as we celebrate the 45th anniversary of The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong. As we gaze back on our rich history and look forward to the promising future that lies ahead, let us use this opportunity to reflect on the transformative power of education and the boundless opportunities it offers.

Aspiring to be a leading private university in the region, HSUHK adopts a unique “Liberal + Professional” education model which aims to nurture in young talents the 5Cs qualities, which include Critical Thinking, Creativity, Communication /Collaboration, Caring Attitude, and Continuous Active Learning. These are transferrable core competencies that empower our graduates to tackle the complex challenges of their future life/work with confidence and fulfilment. The Summer Academy provides an opportunity for you to learn more about this educational philosophy. Through its engaging activities, you will get a taste of learning at HSUHK, where you can cultivate the 5Cs.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all the dedicated individuals – our faculty, administrative staff, and student helpers – whose steadfast support has made this event

possible. Your passion for education and unwavering dedication to our students inspire us all.

To the student participants, I encourage you to seize this opportunity to explore, learn, and grow. Embrace the challenges, cherish the moments of discovery, and form new friendships that will last a lifetime.

I wish you all a rewarding and enriching experience at the HSUHK Summer Academy 2025. Let us embark on this journey together, united in our pursuit of knowledge and excellence.

Thank you, and let the Summer Academy begin!