



Press Invitation

Hong Kong Affective Learning Conference and Workshops Key for Nurturing Future-Ready Learners in the New Normal – More than 20 experts, professionals and practitioners share rationale, practices and challenges

To foster collaborative effort for the continuous promotion of students’ effective affective learning during intermittent disruptive schooling in the New Normal, the Education Policy Unit (EPU) and the Academic Unit of Social Contexts and Policy of Education (SCAPE) at the Faculty of Education, The University of Hong Kong (HKU) will organise the **“Hong Kong Affective Learning Conference and Workshops – Key for Nurturing Future-Ready Learners in the New Normal”** via ZOOM from **9:00 am – 1:15 pm on January 22, 2022 (Saturday)**.

To set the scene for the **three themed panel discussions**, the **keynote** on “How Emotions are Made” would be presented by Professor Lisa Feldman Barrett, Northeastern University and moderated by Professor Cheng Kai Ming, Emeritus Professor and Honorary Director of EPU, Faculty of Education, HKU with reference to the latest situation and development of affective learning in Hong Kong.

More than 20 experts and practitioners* would discuss and share the transformational practices during the past two years that are interrelated in affective learning at teacher, school and community levels that are interrelated under the New Normal in the following themes:

Panel Discussions:

Theme 1 - Catering for Diversity in Affective Learning

Theme 2 - Teacher and Principal Collaboration and Leadership, Home-School Co-operation

Theme 3 - Community Organisations and Participation

Members of the media are invited to cover the event. Details are as follows:

Date: January 22, 2022 (Saturday)

Time: 9:00 am – 1:15 pm

Language: Cantonese / English

Mode: ZOOM

Meeting ID: 890 768 6099

Meeting link: <https://hku.zoom.us/j/8907686099>

For more details of the event, please visit: <https://scape.edu.hku.hk/hkal2022/>.

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January 19, 2022

*** List of Panel Speakers:**

- Mr CHUI Ka Cheung, Principal, Aldrich Bay Government Primary School
- Mr HO Ying Hon, Principal, and Mr Chan Lap Lai, Vice-Principal, Caritas Fanling Chan Chun Ha Secondary School
- Ms LAI Yuen Shan, Principal, Pat Heung Central Primary School
- Professor LAM Shui Fong, Director, Jockey Club, “Peace and Awareness” Mindfulness Culture in Schools Initiative
- Dr WONG Kam Yiu, Jimmy, Executive Director; Ms Livia TANG, Head, School & Student Services Division, The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education
- Mr Eugene FONG, Chairman, Committee on Home-School Co-operation
- Ms LAW Siu Tung, Curriculum Leader, Shanghai Alumni Primary School
- Mr LI Kin Man, Principal, Salesians of Don Bosco Ng Siu Mui Secondary School
- Ms SO Ping Fai, Principal, Tin Shui Wai Methodist Primary School
- Ms TO Yue Man, Teacher, Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui Bishop Hall Secondary School
- Ms YAN Kin Foon, Principal, Shau Kei Wan Govt Secondary School
- Mrs Amy CHAN, Chairman, Child Development Initiative Alliance
- Dr Elaine CHAN, School-based Educational Psychologist Supervisor, Po Leung Kuk
- Mr CHEUNG Leong, Executive Director, Charities and Community, The Hong Kong Jockey Club
- Dr KWOK Lai Yuk Ching, Sylvia, Associate Professor, City University of Hong Kong
- Mr Antony LI, Programme Director, Bei Shan Tang Foundation
- Ms Christine MA-LAU, Founder and Co-chairperson; Ms Yvette LEUNG, Executive Director, Character Education Foundation
- Mr Raymond YANG, Mr Matthew KWOK, Mr Anthony NGAI, Co-Founders, JUST FEEL

(The list is arranged in alphabetical order of speakers’ surnames in each panel discussion.)