



Annual Report 2006-07

1. Officers of the HKERA 2006-2007

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2. Membership

Currently, the HKERA has 77 Full Members, including 46 Professional Members, 2 Associate Members, 27 Life Members (7 of which are Fellows), and 2 School Members. Members can now have the option of paying fees for either 1 year (\$300), 2 years (\$400), 3 years (\$600), or life (\$2,000). Also, the paying fees for school membership can be either 1 year (\$200), 5 years (\$600), or life (\$1,000).

3. Conference on “New Developments in Assessment for the 21st Century”

A one-day Conference on “New developments in Assessment for the 21st Century” (21世紀評估新發展研討會) was held on 10 March, 2007 at the Chinese University of Hong Kong. The conference was co-organized by the HKERA, together with the Faculty of Education, Chinese University of Hong Kong, and the Research Centre, the Hong Kong Institute of Education. The conference was inaugurated by Dr. Evelyn Yee-fun Man, the Acting Chairperson of HKERA, with two Keynote Addresses by Dr. Peter W. Hill, the Secretary of the Hong Kong Examinations and Assessments Authority, and Prof. Magdalena Mok of the Hong Kong Institute of Education. The conference was also comprised of eight sharing sessions conducted by teachers from local primary, secondary and special schools.

4. International Symposium on “The Search for New University Governance in Asia”

A one-day international symposium on “The Search for New University Governance in Asia: Incorporation, Corporatization & New Restructuring Strategies” was held on 1 June, 2007 at

the City University of Hong Kong, which was jointly organized by the Comparative Education Policy Research Unit of City University of Hong Kong, Centre for East Asian Studies of the University of Bristol, Research Institute of Higher Education at Hiroshima University, and co-sponsored by both the Lee Hysan Foundation and HKERA. As the focus of this international symposium was extended to the whole of Asia, both local and international scholars coming from Australia, UK, USA, South Korea, Japan, Taiwan, and Hong Kong have presented their academic papers in this event. Other participants coming from the various local institutions in Hong Kong, including the University of Hong Kong, the Hong Kong Baptist University, the City University of Hong Kong, the Hong Kong Federation of Education Workers have also attended the symposium, and were actively engaged in the various discussions.

5. Seminar on “The Development of Gifted Education in Hong Kong”

The Executive Committee was involved in organizing a half-day seminar on “The Development of Gifted Education in Hong Kong”, co-sponsored by HKERA and the Comparative Education Policy Research Unit of City University of Hong Kong, which will be held on 1 December, 2007 at the City University of Hong Kong. Speakers will include Mr. Chan Pui Tin, the Chief Curriculum Development Officer (Gifted Education) of the Education Bureau, Dr. Yu-Ku S.Y. of the Hong Kong Polytechnic University and Dr. Zhang Li Fang of the University of Hong Kong. Topics on the recent trend in the policy of gifted education in HK schools, as well research findings on gifted children in Hong Kong will be explored during the seminar.

6. Newsletter

One issue of the HKERA Newsletter was published in June of 2007. About 2000 copies were made and distributed to the HKERA members and schools in Hong Kong.

7. Officers of the HKERA 2007-08

Results of the nomination for the Executive Committee of the Year 2007-08 were endorsed by members of the Election Committee, and to be further endorsed in the upcoming AGM. The new members of the Executive Committee for 2007-08 are Prof. Ka-ho MOK and Dr. Paul SZE. The list of officers is shown as below:

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Chairperson (2007)
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