



### **Mentorship**

Mr. Shody Chow, Dr. & Mrs. Kwan Ming Chan, Mr. Raphael Cheng, Ms. Mee Jin Chen and Mr. Thomas Chiu have been mentoring the exchange students, studying in UCLA, UCSD, UCI and UCSB. In October 2006, Dr. & Mrs. Kwan Ming Chan invited the students to the well known Cal Tech Institute in Pasadena for an academic presentation.



### **Christmas Party**

On December 9, 2006 Dr. and Mrs. Kwan Ming and Karen Chan invited the members of HKUAASC to their beautiful home for the annual boat parade held in Huntington Beach. The fascinating show of colorful lights decorated on the boats was spectacular. This was a special experience for the exchange students who attended the festival for the first time. Every one had a sumptuous dinner and desserts and enjoyed the wonderful boat parade.

### **Shanghai Convention**

Mr. Thomas Chiu, President and his wife Shirley Chiu, and Mee Jin Chen, Past President as delegates of HKUAASC on November 1, 2006 flew to Shanghai for the HKU Alumni Association global convention. This unprecedented event was well attended by over 600 people, coming from Vancouver and Toronto, Canada, Northern and Southern California USA, United Kingdom, Malaysia, Singapore, Japan, Australia, New Zealand. Prof Tsui Lap Chee, VC of HKU gave the vision of HKU to be an international top university and steps to achieve this goal of academic excellence. Several key note speakers in the panels discussed about the differences and similarities of Hong Kong and Shanghai, as collaborators and friendly competitors in socio-economic development. The bright outlook for these dynamic cities is evident from the HKU alumni working in key positions in these multinational corporations.

Details of the Convention with photos, video clip and press clippings can be found at [www.hku/alumni/global2006](http://www.hku/alumni/global2006).



Mee Jin Chen was standing among a group of student ambassadors from HKU, who flew to Shanghai to help out with reception and other Convention activities. These young students are the future leaders shaping the future of Hong Kong as they participated in this unprecedented convention for the first time in their academic pursuit.



Mee Jin Chen went with Thomas Chiu and his wife Shirley to China Executive Leadership Academy, a government funded national training for high level officials and business executives. The logo behind signifies three levels of human relationship, co-operation and achievement of leading executives of various levels of government and business.

### Annual General Meeting

The Annual General meeting was held on February 24, 2007 at the Hop Woo Restaurant in Alhambra. About 30 alumni members and their spouses including exchange students attended the sumptuous lunch. Invited guest Prof. James Tong of UCLA attended the AGM luncheon and introduced the exchange student program that he had been working with students from outside of USA.





Mrs. Patsy Yu flying from HK and her son Dr. Allen Yu attended the AGM. She shared her memorable and unique re-union experience in Hong Kong in November 2006 where Prof Tsui Lap Chee hosted a special event for Architecture graduates of 1950's. She showed us two photos showing her being the only lady architect in a photo taken in 1956 and the second photo taken in the exact position with the same fellow architects taken at the re-union in November 2006 in the same lecture room 50 years ago!

### **Board of Directors**

The Nomination Committee is pleased to present the following candidates for the Board of Directors of HKUAASC for the term 2007-2009.

President:	Victoria Jin, Esq.
Chairman:	Dr. Kwan Ming Chan
VP Program:	Sheila Chau
VP Membership:	Rapheal Cheng
Secretary:	Karen Chan
Treasurer:	Simon Keung
Immediate Past President:	Thomas Chiu
VP Legal Counsel:	Frankie Leung
VP Webmaster:	Phyllis Law
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Committee Member:	Philip Leung
Committee Member:	Philip Chan
Committee Member:	Shody Chow
Committee Member:	Mee Jin Chen
Committee Member:	Yoly Y. Y. Fong

### **Annual Convention**

The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention and Installation Dinner will be held on **May 11, 2007** at the Empress Harbor Village Restaurant in Monterey Park. Please save the date for this important event of HKUAASC.

### **Scholarship**

HKUAASC will be offering two scholarship awards of \$500 each for the year of 2007. Application forms and criteria are available from the [www.hkuaasc.org](http://www.hkuaasc.org). The deadline will be April 20, 2007. Enquiries should be directed to Dr. KM Chan [drkmchan@gmail.com](mailto:drkmchan@gmail.com)