



### *HKAC Online Teaching, Sharing, and Learning Workshops (May 26, 2020)*

On Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>, Hong Kong Adventist College (HKAC) hosted back-to-back, hybrid (virtual and in-person) workshops about the best practices and faculty sharing of recent online teaching experiences using the Zoom online meetings platform and Moodle course management software. HKAC faculty quickly learned the Zoom meetings platform as a necessary live and recorded teaching tool, because of the rapid developments related to the COVID-19 pandemic. After four weeks of January 2020 in-person classes, HKAC had to cancel in-person classes (except for a brief week in mid-March) for the rest of the semester. That did not stop teaching and learning from moving forward through to final exams in May 2020!

The first workshop from 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm (HK) was led by Dr. Calvin Luk (Faculty-Chemistry) and facilitated by Dave Wan (IT Manager) and Tommy Wong (IT Consultant). During Spring 2020 semester, Dr. Luk taught three college academic courses including Intro to Organic and Biological Chemistry Lab, College Algebra, and Elementary Statistics. He introduced the online tool Padlets, which enables online notes posting, as a way to elicit faculty feedback, regarding the following questions:

1. What worked for course preparation in relation to online teaching?
2. What worked for teaching?
3. What worked for communication for students?
4. What worked for assignments and grading?
5. Any technical support suggestions?
6. What else worked?
7. What didn't work?

After the session, Dr. Luk sent all participating faculty and staff a summary of the Padlets commentary and recommended the EdPuzzle video creation/educational monitoring tool and the Zoom breakout rooms feature.

In the second workshop from 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm (HK), Jacky Yeung, who spent time in the IT Department at Andrews University (HKAC partner university), gave an online teaching/course tune-up presentation. Jacky presented the Learning Hub used at Andrews University and showed how an educational video lecture can be monitored for student viewing, online discussions, and number of comments within their cohort group.

**Upper Right Photo:** President Dan Cheung, Henry Ya'ang, Dr. Corjena Cheung, Dr. Barbara Choi, Dave Wan, and Tommy Wong



It was a lively hybrid afternoon of workshops from which faculty participating on campus and at a distance could collaborate on their recent Zoom live lecture teaching and Moodle course content management experiences. Online tools and best practices were shared by faculty and staff. These workshops help tremendously in teachers' preparations.



**Above Photo:** Jacky Yeung and Dr. Corjena Cheung at one of the online teaching/sharing/learning workshops

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***Dr. Daniel Chuah's Surprise Retirement Party (June 29, 2020)***

*Article by Jenifer Shiu  
Photos by Winnie Siu, Leo Wong*

A surprise retirement party was planned by the HKAC Social Committee in honor of Dr. Daniel Chuah, the current chairman of the Department of Religion, who has been serving diligently at Hong Kong Adventist College for 48 years. He decided to move on to become the full-time pastor of Bayview Church, after this school year. During his career, he has held myriad roles on campus, including President of HKAC. Dr. Chuah was under the impression that it was a regular faculty/staff monthly meeting, so that we were certain he would attend!

Masters of Ceremony were Jeriel Chuah (Boys' Dormitory Dean who is also Dr. Daniel Chuah's son) and Pastor Ben Seo (Dean of Students, Spring/Summer 2020).

The HKAC Social Committee planned a truly enjoyable program running from 3pm to 4:30pm with commemorative videos of Dr. Chuah's time on campus, speeches, awards presented to Dr. Chuah and to Student Ambassadors, group mobile quiz games with prizes, live music performances by Student Ambassador Mighty Jan De La Bel (pianist) and Jahzeel Andres Celis Galleguillos, and a delicious afternoon tea (catering from Green Box). HKAC Social Committee members include: Alice Wong (Human Resources Manager), Pastor Ben Seo (Dean of Students, Spring/Summer 2020), Jeriel Chuah (Boys' Dormitory Dean and Dr. Chuah's son), and Freddie Ma (Marketing Director).

Food Service Director Joseph Tong and his staff prepared a delicious feast, including desserts and fruit for the party. Dave Wan was on hand to assist with multimedia presentations.



President Dan Cheung presents statue award to Dr. Chuah



HKAC Faculty and Staff who attended Dr. Chuah's retirement party



Academic Dean Dr. Barbara Choi and Student Ambassador Mighty Jan De La Bel proudly showcase his award



President Dan presents a service loyalty gift to Assistant Librarian Joy Swee Yee Wong



President Dan presents a service loyalty gift to Accountant Cherry Kam Fa Fan

*Dr. Daniel Chuah's Surprise Retirement Party*

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President Dan Cheung addresses the audience



Dr. Daniel Chuah speaks about his life at HKAC



MC's Pastor Ben Seo and Jeriel Chuah, Mighty De La Bel, and HKAC Registrar Henry Ya'ang



Student Ambassadors Jahzeel and Mighty received awards from President Dan Cheung



Dr. Daniel Chuah makes a video souvenir of Jahzeel's singing accompanied by Mighty on the grand piano



Delicious desserts served at the delightful party



Blessed image and lyrics during Student Ambassador Jahzeel A. Celis Galleguillos' song



Pastor Ben Seo and his daughter Lucy perform a musical duet at Page 3 the surprise party



Mr. and Mrs. Leong (Man Lin Tam) and Student Ambassadors Mighty and Jahzeel after the party

**Clear Water Bay Campus July 2020 Administration Building Renovation Project** *Photos by Jenifer Shiu*



HKAC Administration building and red flowers

During July 2020, workmen installed bamboo scaffolding and a mesh green net all around the HKAC Administration Building. It is an 81 years old, grade 2 historic building that was originally designed by Elder Chu Yue-Tat for the Clear Water Bay Campus. Roof level water leaks will be repaired. We look forward to years of use and enjoyment of this beautiful structure!



Front façade of the HKAC Administration building with bamboo scaffolding being erected by workmen in yellow construction hats.



One side of the HKAC building



The rooftop spire of the HKAC Administration Building is all covered in a green mesh construction netting.



Workmen assembling the bamboo scaffold on the side of the Marketing team office

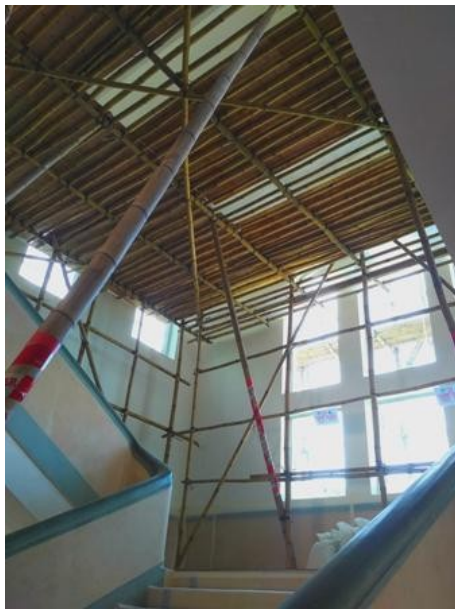


A sunny summer day in July 2020 with the scaffold about to be erected on the HKAC Administration building



Kelly green mesh netting covers the bamboo scaffolding on the reverse façade of the HKAC Admin. building

*Clear Water Bay Campus July 2020 Administration Building Renovation Project* Photos by Jenifer Shiu



Interior Stairwell views of bamboo scaffold

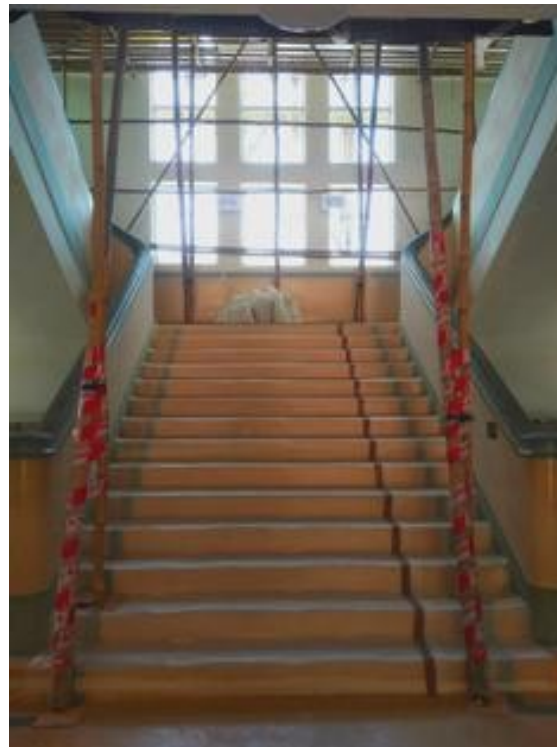
On this page are additional exterior images, as well as interior images, of the Summer 2020 HKAC Administration Building renovation project. This is architectural designer Elder Chu Yue-Tat's 81 year old creation, which is a Hong Kong listed, grade 2 building of historical significance.



Peering down the interior stairwell



Second floor renovation view



Looking upward from the interior stairwell



Back facade view towards the bell tower



HKAC Administration Building clad in bamboo / netting Page 5



Stairwell heading down to the ground floor

***Sam Yuk Alumnus Mr. Ka Kan Wong Visits CWB Campus (June 4, 2020) Article & Photos by Jenifer Shiu***



The happy couple pose in the HKAC Administration building entrance archway

On Thursday, June 4, 2020, alumnus Mr. Ka Kan Wong and his lovely fiancée Miss Karen Tsang, who works in banking, enjoyed a professional photography portraits day on the Clear Water Bay campus. It was a blue skies, white fluffy clouds afternoon, when I met them. Mr. Wong was a Sam Yuk Middle School student on campus from 2000-2006.



Mr. Ka Kan Wong by the campus bell tower

Currently, Mr. Wong works in the hotel industry as a manager of the award winning L’hotel Nina et Convention Centre in Tseun Wan, Hong Kong. It is part of the L’hotel Group which has six lodgings establishments in Hong Kong. The L’hotel Nina et Convention Centre in Tseun Wan district is considered the largest hotel in Hong Kong; it features: 1608 spacious guest rooms, two well regarded restaurants, three swimming pools, a fitness center and ten meeting and catering venues, including a ballroom.



The beaming couple and the Sam Yuk Middle School grade 2, historic building, green lawn

Ms. Siu Kan Li and I presented Mr. Wong with our Clear Water Bay 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary collectible tote bag with its accompanying 80th anniversary historical, commemoration album and other gifts inside. We hope that he will have the opportunity to visit his alma mater again in the near future!

***Sam Yuk Alumnus Pastor Timothy Ho Visits King Huy Hall (June 30, 2020) Article & Photos by Jenifer Shiu***



Alumnus Pastor Timothy Ho and his family

The sun shone brilliantly the afternoon of Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> June that Clear Water Bay Sam Yuk Middle School alumnus Pastor Timothy Ho visited with his lovely wife (also a pastor) and family members. He was a day student in the 1977-1978 academic school year and currently resides in the Sai Kung district. Currently, Pastor Ho is affiliated with the Sam Mun Tsai Pentecostal Holiness Church in Tai Po. I was able to show them the renovated King Huy Hall stage with its baptismal pool / baptistery and present Pastor Ho with a few alumni gifts. We hope he and his family can revisit the Clear Water Bay campus soon!



The Ho family on King Huy Hall’s new stage

*HKAC Summer 2020 Campus Vistas*

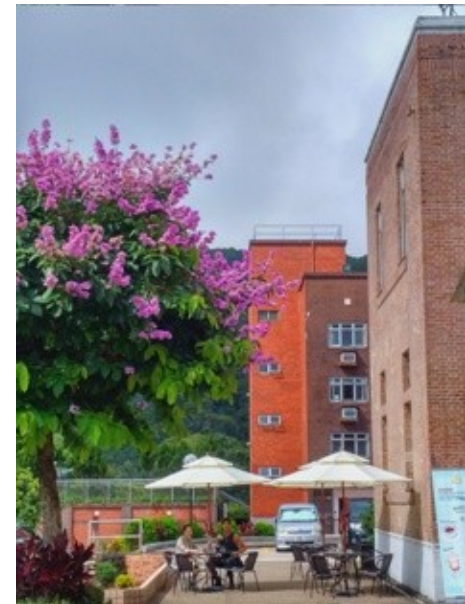
*Photos by Jenifer Shiu*



President Dan Cheung, Leo Wong, (Marketing ), HenryYa'ang (Registrar) on the football pitch



HKAC Chinese Seal Stamp Logo



Pop-Up film set outdoor café (a fun idea!)



Students stroll and enjoy High Junk Peak views



Flowering fuchsia pink blooms on a summer day



Time for lunch after attending summer classes



Sam Yuk Middle School historic building and its lawn



President Dan is **Page 7** about to score a major goal



Leafy pedestrian walkway behind the dormitories