



The Second Annual Meeting of the HK Sociological Association

“Crossing Boundaries in Social Research”

November 25, 2000 (Saturday)



Multi-Purpose Hall, Seminar Room & Music Lounge
University Center – Tower C
The Hong Kong University of Science & Technology
Clear Water Bay

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9:00-9:30 Tea Reception

9:30-9:50 Welcoming Session

Otto Lin, Vice-President for Research and Development of HKUST

Ambrose King (CUHK), President of the Hong Kong Sociological Association

Lee Ming-kwan (Polytechnic U), President-Elect of the Hong Kong Sociological Association

10:00-11:40 Panel 1: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Social Networks (Multi-Purpose Hall)

President: Wong Siu-lun (HKU)

Lui Tai-lok (CUHK): "Rethinking Guanxi: A Sociological View."

Katherine R Xin, Larry Jiing-Lih Farh, Anne S Tsui (HKUST) and Cheng Bor-Shiuan (National Taiwan U): "Guanxi, LMX, and Work Outcomes in Chinese Vertical Dyads."

Ruan Danching (Baptist U): "The Subjective Basis of Friendship Ties."

Panel 2. Issues in Social Science Research (Seminar Room)

President: Chan Kin-man (CUHK)

Catherine Chiu (City U): "Talking Back to Feminist Methodology: Reflections on Qualitative Interviewing"

Chan Ching-shing (HKUST): "Pollsters, prophets and Post-97 Polling Politics"

Cheung Tak-sing and Lu Hui-lin (CUHK): "A Structural Perspective on the Intellectual History of Modern China."

Annie H N Chan (Lingnan U) and Cheung Sin-yi (Oxford Brookes U): "Degree of Success: the Occupational Success of Highly Qualified Women - a Hong Kong and British Comparison."

11:50-12:00 Photo session (Multi-Purpose Hall)

12:00-2:00 Luncheon and Keynote Speech (UC Bistro)

President: Ambrose King (CUHK)

Keynote Speaker: Lin Nan (Duke U):
"Social Capital: Social Networks, Civil Engagement, or Trust?"
[Paper will be distributed at the Luncheon]

Best Student Thesis Awards

2:10-3:50 Panel 3: Friendship Networks in Chinese Society
(Multi-Purpose Hall)

President: Rance Lee (CUHK)

Zang Xiaowei (City U): "Social Resources, Class Habitus, and Social Interaction: Friendship Ties in Urban China."

Gina Lai and Odalia Wong (Baptist U): "Interpersonal Communication Networks in Hong Kong."

Wang Shaoguang (CUHK): "The Determinants of Social Trust: A Political-Sociological Explanation."

Panel 4: Cultural Representation and the Mass Media
(Seminar Room)

President: Benjamin Leung (HKU)

Alex W S Chan (HKU): "From Propaganda to Hegemony, Jiadianfangtan and China's Media Policy in the 1990s"

Marketa Mezlikova-Moore (HKU): "The Case of the People versus Media Stereotypes and Statistics: A Study of Chinese in Central Europe."

Ho Wai-yip (HKUST): "Stranger Between Narrative and Apologetics: The Hermeneutics of Testimony in the Cross-Cultural Interpretation."

Panel 5: The Use of IT in Teaching Sociology
(Music Lounge)

President: Lee Ming-kwan (Polytechnic U)

Panelists: Leung Yee-kwong (CUHK), Stephen Chiu (CUHK), Annie H N Chan (Lingnan U) and Beatrice Chau (Baptist U)

3:50-4:10 Tea Break

4:10-5:50 Panel 6: Social Network and Economic Processes (In Mandarin)
(Multi-Purpose Hall)

President: Bian Yanjie (HKUST)

Wang Cangbai (HKU): "A Myth or a New Perspective: A Redefinition of Chinese Business Networks"

Bian Yanjie (HKUST) and Zhang Wenhong (CUHK): "Economic Reform, Social Networks, and Occupational Mobility: Findings from a 1999 Tianjin Survey."

Qiu Haixiong (Zhongshan U): "The Role of Social Capital in the Development of Business: Two Cases in Perspective."

Peng Yu-sheng (CUHK): "Local State Corporatism in Chinese Cities."

Panel 7: Politics, the State, and Citizenship
(Seminar Room)

President: Lau Siu-kai (CUHK)

Agnes Ku (HKUST): "The Paradoxical Project of Colonialism - Politics of Local Belonging in HK."

Pun Shuk-han (CUHK): "Creation of Citizenship: A Learning Agenda for Multi-cultural Society."

Janet Lee Scott (Baptist U): "The Campaign Imperative: Candidate Strategies and Voter Expectations in Hong Kong's Elections."

Panel 8: Crime and Change in the New Century
(Music Lounge)

President: Roderic Broadhurst (HKU)

Harold Traver (HKU): "Developments in the Control of Organised Crime in Southern China"

Karen Joe-laidler (HKU): "Policing Domestic Violence in HK /or The "New" Drug Scene: Club Drugs and Kids"

Roderic Broadhurst (HKU): "Crime Trends in Hong Kong: Another Look at the "Safe City""

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"Foreword" Ambrose King

"Social-Cultural Factors in Medical Pluralism: Hong Kong's Chinese and Western Medicines as an Example." Rance P L Lee

"Social Capital and Recovery from Drug Addiction: Findings of a Study of Treated Drug Addicts in Hong Kong." Cheung Yuet-wah and Nicole W T Cheung

"The Decline of Status in China's Transition from Socialism" Lee Ming-kwan

"Implications of Loss Avoidance for the Analysis of Political Movements" Andrew G Walder

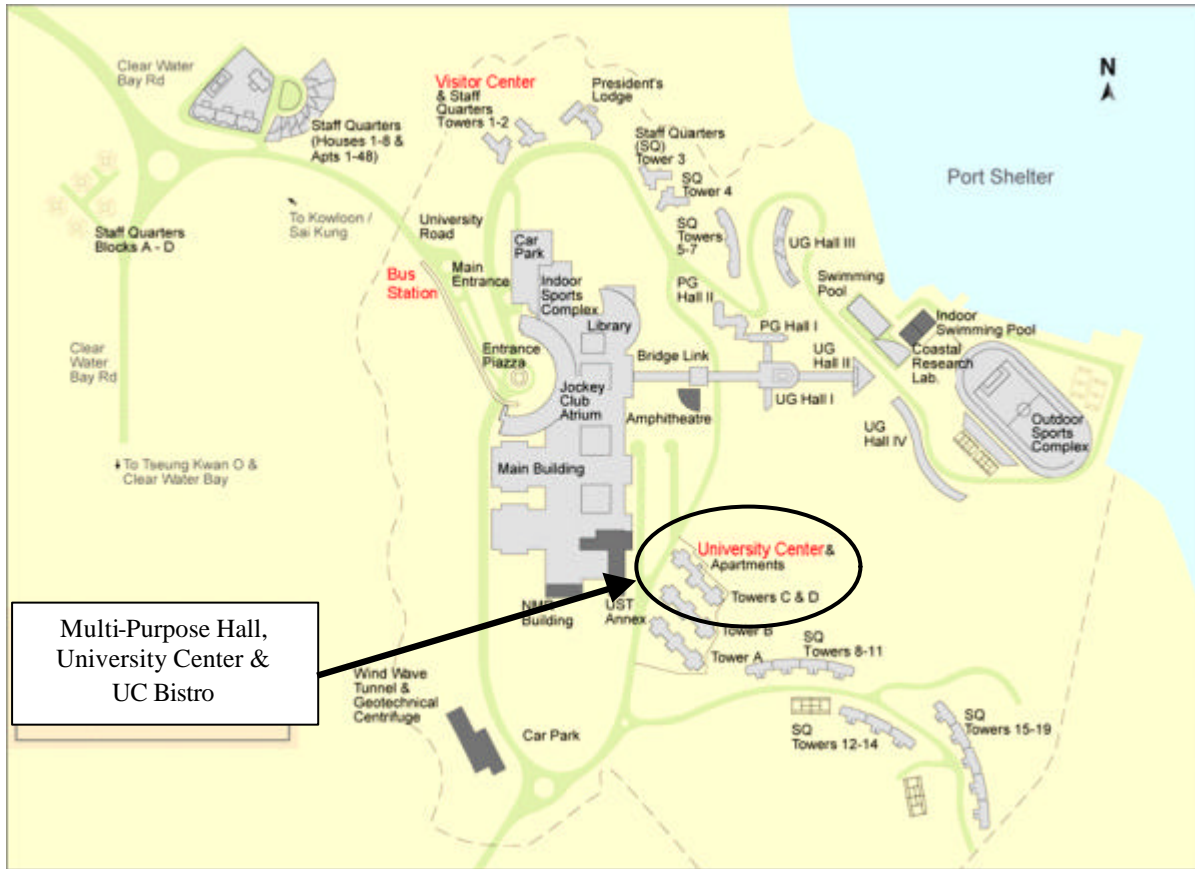
"The Transformation and Development of Contemporary State-Church Relationship: A Case Study of Catholic Church" Chan Hing-shun and Anthony S K Lam

"The First Annual Conference of the Hong Kong Sociological Association: A Brief Report" Benjamin K P Leung

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