Panel 1: Class and resistance – understanding workers in Foxconn

1.1 Student or labour? – Expansion of vocational schools and the growing number of student workers in Chinese factories
Dr. Anita KOO  The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Shuheng JIN  Peking University, China
Junyan DONG  Peking University, China

1.2 Limited social space of peasant workers: their continuous struggles in everyday lives
Yi XU  The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Chengliang BAO  Peking University, China

1.3 Full of rules and regulations: factory is managed as a “concentration camp”
Dr. Pingyuan CHENG  Nanjing Normal University, China
Changjiang LI  Peking University Shenzhen Graduate School, China

1.4 Fighting for workers' rights and the role of labour union in Foxconn
Prof. Dunfu ZHANG  Shanghai University, China
Zicun LIANG  The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Yuchen HAN  The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Discussant: Dr. Jack QIU, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Panel 2: Social Network and Social Capital

2.1 Categorical Sources of Varieties of Network Inequalities
Dr. Vincent CHUA  National University of Singapore, Singapore

2.2 Social Capital Formation and Extracurricular Activities in Two Different Social Contexts: Foreign Language High Schools and General High Schools in South Korea
Ji-hye KIM and Dr. Doo-hwan KIM  The Chinese University of Hong Kong

2.3 Living Arrangements and Health in Contemporary China: A Prospective Approach
Prof. Lei JIN  The Chinese University of Hong Kong

2.4 Social capital and delinquency of left-behind children in rural areas
Celia Xi CHEN  The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Panel 3: Family and Work

Time : 9:50-11:05
Venue : Room WLB 202
Chairperson : Dr. Annie CHAN, Lingnan University

3.1 Market Transition in China: Rural Households and Nonagricultural Employment
Jing SONG Brown University, U.S.A.

3.2 Virtual Motherhood: How Filipino Domestic Workers in Hong Kong Construct Their Motherhood via Mobile Phone Usage
Dr. Yinni PENG Hong Kong Shue Yan University
Dr. Odalia H.M. WONG Hong Kong Baptist University

3.3 The Effect of Adult Children’s Employment on Elderly Care: A Tentative Study in Mainland China
Luoman BAO The Chinese University of Hong Kong

3.4 Worklessness and Social Re-Stratification in Post-Socialist Urban China
Dr. Chen-hee TAM Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Panel 4: New Social Movements in East Asia

Time : 9:50-11:05
Venue : Room WLB 203
Chairperson : Dr. Siu-keung CHEUNG, Hong Kong Shue Yan University

4.1 Reconsidering W.Morris’s Ecotopia and Its Implementation in the Age of Environmental Conflict
Prof. So-young LEE Korea University

4.2 An Exploratory Study on the Development of Green Commercial Building Movement in Hong Kong
Hiu-wa CHAN, Brian Lap-ning YEUNG, Patricia Wan-jun SZETO, Nicole MAK
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

4.3 Struggling for the freedom in the airwaves: A case study of Citizens’ Radio in Hong Kong
Dorothy Wai-yin WONG The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Panel 5: Queering Sociology

Time : 9:50-11:05
Venue : Room WLB 204
Chairperson : Dr. Day WONG, Hong Kong Baptist University

5.1 The Queering of Family Sociology in Japan: Still a goal to be reached?
Prof. Diana KHOR Hossei University, Japan
Prof. Saori KAMANO National Institute of Population and Social Security Research, Japan

5.2 Politics of LG (lala and gay) Cooperative Marriage in Urban China
Dr. Lucetta Yip-lo KAM Shantou University, China

5.3 Querying Queer Asian Futures
Dr. Denise Tse-shang TANG Shih Hsin University, Taiwan

5.4 Doing Gender, Doing Class, Doing Family: Domestic Division of Labor of Hong Kong Middle-Class Lesbian Couples
Dr. Day WONG Hong Kong Baptist University
Panel 6: Face to Face with Editors

Time: 11:25-12:40  
Venue: Room NAB 109  
Chairperson: Chair Prof. Alvin Y. SO, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Dr. Steven K. LUK  
General Manager & Managing Director, The Commercial Press (H.K.), Ltd.

Mr. Christopher MUNN  
Acquisitions Editor, Hong Kong University Press

Dr. Ying LIN  
Managing Editor, The Chinese University Press

Prof. Tai-lok LUI  
Chief Editor, Social Transformations in Chinese Societies

Panel 7: Social Development and Citizenship Rights

Time: 11:25-12:40  
Venue: Room WLB 201  
Chairperson: Dr. Hairong YAN, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

7.1 Project Evaluation And Allocation Of Resources For A More Equitable Society  
Dr. Chow-fah YEE, University Technology MARA, Malaysia  
Prof. Eu-chye TAN, University of Malaya, Malaysia

7.2 Reproductive Decisions and the Limits of a Neo-Liberal Approach to Citizenship  
Dr. Shirley Hsiao-li SUN, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

7.3 The Institutionalization of Social Work Profession in China  
Dr. Wai-keung CHUNG, Singapore Management University, Singapore

Panel 8: Work and Organization

Time: 11:25-12:40  
Venue: Room WLB 202  
Chairperson: Dr. Hon-chu LEUNG, Hong Kong Baptist University

8.1 Instrumental Tool or Self Fulfillment: Antecedents of Job Satisfaction for China’s Urban Residents  
Xun ZHANG, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

8.2 Beyond Economic Rationality: Demoralization of Rural Teachers in China  
Dr. Dan WANG, The University of Hong Kong

8.3 Humanity at Work is Not a Dream: A Study of Worker Cooperatives in Hong Kong  
Cindy Shuet-ying WONG, Hong Kong Baptist University

8.4 How Routines Change in an Organization? Evidence from a Chinese State-Owned Bank’s Transformational Effort  
Ningxi ZHANG, Cornell University, U.S.A.
Panel 9: Gender and Sexuality
Time: 11:25-12:40
Venue: Room WLB 203
Chairperson: Dr. Wan-chaw SHAE, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

9.1 Female clubbing experiences in Hong Kong
Rachel Sze-man WONG Hong Kong Baptist University

9.2 Risking Your Life in a Fantasy: An Ethnographic Study in a Gay Sauna in Hong Kong
Brian Lap-ming YEUNG The Chinese University of Hong Kong

9.3 Online dating as a strategic game: exploring from social exchange perspective and sociology of emotions
Maurice Kwok-to CHOI Hong Kong Baptist University

Panel 10: Migration
Time: 11:25-12:40
Venue: Room WLB 204
Chairperson: Dr. Yat-ming SIU, Hong Kong Baptist University

10.1 Skill, Health and Selectivity Disparity across Migration Types and Life Course: The Case of Internal Migration in China
Dr. Yuying TONG The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Dr. Martin PIOTROWSKI University of Oklahoma, U.S.A.

10.2 Satisfaction, Attachment, and Migrants’ Intention to Stay: The Case of Guangzhou, China
Helen Huimin DU and Prof. Si-ming LI Hong Kong Baptist University

10.3 Immigration and Identity Negotiation of Local Singaporeans
Sangeetha D/O PANEARSELVAN

10.4 Problems of Multicultural Minority Groups and Coexistence in Korean Society
Prof. In-jin YOON and Prof. Daeun SONG Korea University
Panel 11: Family Dynamics and Well Being

Time: 15:00-16:20
Venue: Room NAB 109
Chairpersons: Prof. Kwok-fai TING & Dr. Susanne Yuk-ping CHOI, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

11.1 How does parental education contribute to the quality of the relationship with offspring? The role of liberal child-rearing attitudes
Dr. Qian WANG and Dr. William CHAN, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

11.2 The role of parent-in-laws: Contextualizing gender inequalities in domestic division of labor in non Western societies
Dr. Susanne Yuk-ping CHOI, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Lake C W LUI, University of Washington, U.S.A.

11.3 Immigration, wealth attainment and life satisfaction of Hong Kong Married Adults
Dr. Yuying TONG, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

11.4 Domestic division of labor and its consequences on spousal intimacy and family life satisfaction
Prof. Kwok-fai TING, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Panel 12: Globalization and Development

Time: 15:00-16:20
Venue: Room WLB 201
Chairperson: Dr. Yin-wah CHU, Hong Kong Baptist University

12.1 Implementation of the WTO Agreement on Trade-related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS) in China: An Innovation Track or a Dependency Trap?
Raymond Chun-fai YIU, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

12.2 Ameliorating Worker Abuse through Global Private Regulation: The Case of Vietnam's Fashion and Footwear Industries
Dr. Jee-young KIM, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

12.3 The Structural Changes under Privatization: The Case Study of The Link REIT in Hong Kong
Sophia Lok-yee SO, The University of Hong Kong

12.4 Bringing the Agency Back in: Towards a Better Historical Sociology of Post-colonial Statecraft in Southeast Asia
Dr. Pak-nung WONG, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Panel 13: Education and Work

Time: 15:00-16:20
Venue: Room WLB 202
Chairperson: Dr. Suk-ying WONG, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

13.1 “I don’t think too much now, just do it first!” - an ethnographical reflection of the school life of the other youth from the paradoxical psychology and pragmatic practice of students in a post-secondary vocational training institution in Hong Kong
Jason Ka-ho YAN, Hang Seng Management College

13.2 Individualization and School to Work Transition: A Study of University Graduates
Jeff Chi-kit KWAN, Hong Kong Baptist University

13.3 Career Planning among Low-educated Youths in Hong Kong: Structure and Agency in Transition to the Labour Market
Dr. Luke Yat-chung FUNG, Dr. Joanne Chung-yam IP, Dr. Chi-yuen LEUNG and Dr. May Yeuk-mui TAM, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Panel 14: Deviance and Social Control

Time: 15:00-16:20
Venue: Room WLB 203
Chairperson: Dr. Travis KONG, The University of Hong Kong

14.1 “Young Night Drifters” and the Missing Dimension of Time in Hong Kong Sociology
Prof. Julian M. GROVES, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
Dr. Wai-yip HO, City University of Hong Kong
Kaxton SIU, Australian National University, Australia

14.2 Moving towards an inclusive society: Ways on inclusion of sexual minorities
Dr. Joseph WU and Diana KWOK, City University of Hong Kong

14.3 Community Policing in Hong Kong: A Social Capital Perspective
Wayne Wing-lun CHAN, The University of Hong Kong

14.4 Rehabilitate and Punish: Discursive braiding within debates for lowering the minimum age of criminal responsibility in Canada
Dr. Michael C. ADORJAN, The University of Hong Kong
Panel 15: The Information Society

Time: 15:00-16:20
Venue: Room WLB 204
Chairperson: Dr. Yinni PENG, Hong Kong Shue Yan University

15.1 From “Normal” to “Addictive”: Internet Use among Adolescents in Mainland China
Rita Hong MENG and Dr. Sara Hua ZHONG
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

15.2 Personal Privacy and Social Structure: A Risk Perspective
Hua GUO
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

15.3 Media Convergence And Social Conflict
Sang-il JEON
Korea University

15.4 Understanding the significance and role of critics in cultural production
Dr. Matthew M. CHEW
Hong Kong Baptist University

Panel 16: Reflexivity in Research: Strategies and Challenges

Time: 16:40-18:00
Venue: Room NAB 109
Chairpersons: Dr. Yuk-wah CHAN, City University of Hong Kong
Dr. Catherine C.H. CHIU, City University of Hong Kong
Dr. Clara Wai-chun TO, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

16.1 Reflexivity as Methodological Power?
Dr. Catherine C.H. CHIU
City University of Hong Kong

16.2 Reflecting on Reflexive Research in Transnational Contexts
Dr. Yuk-wah CHAN
City University of Hong Kong

16.3 Reflecting on Bridging China Study and Western Scholarship in Gendered Caring Labor
Dr. Clara Wai-chun TO
The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Panel 17: China: state, society, and social conflicts

Time: 16:40-18:00
Venue: Room WLB 201
Chairperson: Dr. Yongshun CAI, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

17.1 Does Social Norm Reduce Civil Conflict? An Empirical Analysis of Confucianism on Banditry in Late Imperial China
Chicheng MA
The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

17.2 State-led Social Pluralism and Group Conflict Resolution
Dr. Jieren HU
Hong Kong Baptist University

17.3 “Iron fist in a velvet glove” vs. “people-biting rabbits”: exploring state-society relations in the making of the motorcycle ban policy in the Pearl River Delta
Dr. Jianhua XU
The University of Hong Kong

17.4 Changing Church-State Relations in Contemporary China: the Case of Fengxiang Diocese
Dr. Shun-hing CHAN
Hong Kong Baptist University
Panel 18: Urban Studies
Time: 16:40-18:00
Venue: Room WLB 202
Chairperson: Dr. Iam-chong IP, Lingnan University

18.1 “The king has no new clothes”: an ethnographical reflection of the fragile nature of state power and the discursive weapon of ordinary people from a state-society cultural politics of urban redevelopment project in an indigenous Chinese walled village in South China
Jason Ka-ho YAN
Hang Seng Management College

18.2 Temporariness of the Social Relationship Leading to an “Open Network Community” – Urban Redevelopment in and Influx of Transient Residents to Yue Man Square
Ray Chon-Fai YEUNG
Hong Kong Baptist University

18.3 Politics of the governing coalition: the secret negotiation in the transformation of Kwun Tong District
Victor Chi-yan YUEN
The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Panel 19: Social Inequalities and their Alleviation in China
Time: 16:40-18:00
Venue: Room WLB 203
Chairperson: Dr. Danching RUAN, Hong Kong Baptist University

19.1 Earnings Inequality in a Segmented Labor Market during Gradual Market Transition: A Game Theory Model with Evidence from China
Dr. Wubiao ZHOU
Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

19.2 Segmentation and Inequality between Locals and Migrants in China's Post Rural-Urban Divide Time
Prof. Zhanxin ZHANG
Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, China

19.3 The Corporate Social Responsibility of Multi-National Corporations in “Project Hope”
Claire Seung-eun LEE
National University of Singapore, Singapore

Panel 20: Gender and Power
Time: 16:40-18:00
Venue: Room WLB 204
Chairperson: Dr. Selina CHAN, Hong Kong Shue Yan University

20.1 Rethinking Gender and Property Rights in Chinese Lineages
Dr. Kwok-shing CHAN
Hong Kong Baptist University

20.2 Responding to Domestic Violence: How Does Gender Matter?
Dr. Hong XIAO
Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
Jeanne BLACKBURN
Governor’s office, Arizona State

20.3 Accounts of Chinese Female Sex Workers: Power, Gender and Self
Dr. Susanne Yuk-ping CHOI
The Chinese University of Hong Kong