



Dear alumni, donors and friends,

恭賀新禧！萬事如意！

**Best wishes for a happy, healthy and prosperous Year of the Ox!**

Chinese New Year is a special time for family reunions and also to get ready for new challenges and opportunities lying ahead. Talking about reunions, we know you are busy and can't always make it back to the University, so we're now bringing the campus and updates to you!

Come and join our **Joint Alumni Function** in the fabulous Las Vegas. This event is open to all alumni, friends and families! We have tentatively set the dates - April 4 to 7 - so pencil it in your diaries. Details will be available very soon but you can be certain of a warm gathering, with time to reconnect with old friends and meet with new ones. Lunches, dinners and excursions will make for a lively few days!

Let's also get ready to embrace new challenges and contribute to our *alma mater's* Centenary Vision together! Convocation is now asking you about your thoughts on the University's Centenary Vision. Your valuable comments can help Convocation bring the University closer to its alumni and the community. Support the **Alumni Survey** and give your voice at: <http://www.hku.hk/alumni/survey09>.

**BE A PART OF HKU** with the University's first-ever "**Bricks Campaign**"! You can honor a teacher or friend, celebrate a special achievement, or create a lasting memory of your time in the Centenary Campus. New features including group participation and a choice of English or Chinese characters are introduced. Check out more in the enclosed Convocation Newsletter or <http://www.hku.hk/bricks>.

Last but not least, do stay connected with Friends of HKU at <http://usfriends.hku.hk/> for latest news of the University!

We look forward to seeing all of you in Las Vegas in April.

With warmest wishes,

Dr Lawrence Ng  
President