Dear colleagues,

We would like to draw your attention to an upcoming seminar being held jointly between the Geological Society of Hong Kong (GSHK) and the Department of Land Surveying and Geo-Informatics (LSGI) at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University:

Topic: An Introduction to Molluscs

Speaker: Prof. Vincent Wong, Adjunct Associate Professor at Department of Decision Sciences & Managerial Economics at The Chinese University of Hong Kong and Professor of Practice at HK PolyU

Venue: Classroom ZN604, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Date: Wednesday 29th October 2014

Time: 6:30pm to 9:30pm

Prior booking is not required. For further details please see the attached flyer.

Regards



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Summary

With over 115,000 named species, Molluscs are the second largest phylum in the Animal Kingdom after Arthropods and are also one of the oldest. The presentation attempts to explain the classification of molluscs, their shell making mechanism, habitat, feeding, locomotion, reproduction, self-defence and usage.

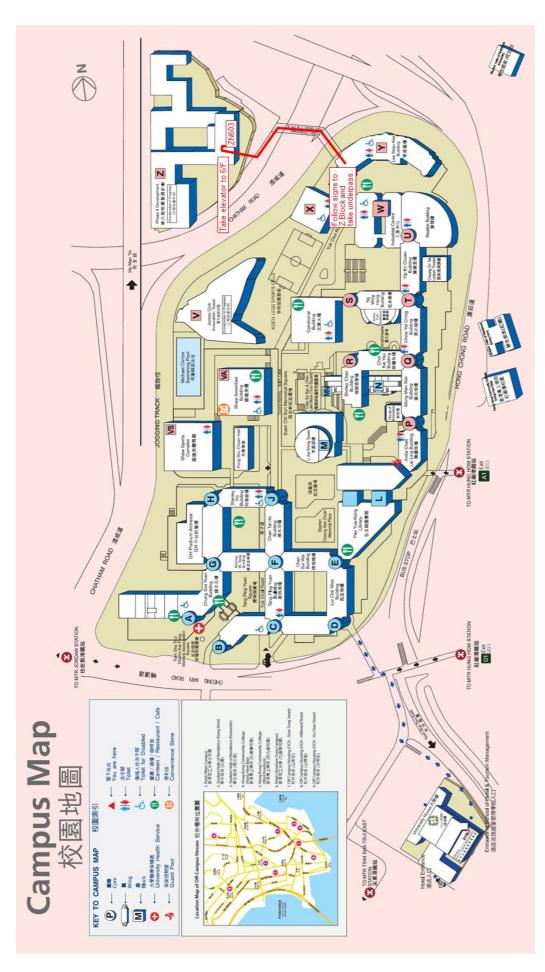
The presentation will conclude with a picture gallery of some famous sea shells plus real specimens from Professor Vincent Wongs' collection.

Prior booking is not required, however it is advised to arrive promptly to secure a seat. CPD certificates will be provided.

About the Speaker:

Prof. Vincent Wong is an Adjunct Associate Prof. in the Department of Decision Sciences & Managerial Economics at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, and is also a Professor of Practice (Logistics Management) at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University. He graduated in Physical Geography from the University of Hong Kong in 1971 and went on to work for the Transport Services Group of Jardine Matheson & Company between 1971 to 2001, leaving the company as a Managing Director to work for Kerry Logistics Group from 2001 to 2008.

As a result of his work Prof. Wong has had the opportunity to travel substantially and following his interests in geology; conchology; rock, mineral, and fossil collecting; he has ascertained a wealth of knowledge, photographs and samples within the subject.



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