



**Croucher Summer Course 2014**  
**Advances in Immunology in Health and Disease**  
**23–28 July 2014**

*Organized by Department of Medicine, the University of Hong Kong*  
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The Croucher Summer Course in 2014 focuses on the theme of ***Advances in Immunology in Health and Disease***. This 6-day residential course aims for talented postgraduate students, postdoctoral fellows and early career researchers to deepen the fundamental knowledge in immunology and to understand the immunological aspects of major diseases. This course is limited to a maximum of 35 participants who will have the opportunities to learn and interact with world-renowned international scientists and local scientists through seminars and interactive discussion sessions.

**Course Director:** Professor Chak Sing Lau, HKU

**Course Co-Director:** Professor Tak Wah Mak, University of Toronto

**Organizing Committee:**

Chairperson Professor Chak Sing Lau, HKU  
Members Dr Vera SF Chan, HKU  
Dr Zhiwei Chen, HKU  
Professor Liwei Lu, HKU  
Professor Chun Kwok Wong, CUHK

**Language:** All events are conducted in English. Simultaneous translation will not be provided.

**Application Deadline :** 30 April 2014

**Enquiry:**

Croucher Summer Course 2014 Secretariat:

Department of Medicine

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Online information will be available soon from the official website of the Croucher Foundation

[\(http://www.croucher.org.hk/\)](http://www.croucher.org.hk/)

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**International Speakers**

**Professor James Allison**

MD Anderson Cancer Center, University of Texas, Houston, USA

**Professor Christophe Benoist**

Division of Immunology, Department of Microbiology and Immunobiology,  
Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA

**Professor Dong Chen**

Immunology, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China

**Professor Mikael Karlsson**

Karolinska Institutet, Department of Microbiology Tumor and Cell Biology,  
Stockholm, Sweden

**Professor Paul Kincade**

Immunobiology and Cancer Research Program, Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation,  
Oklahoma, USA

**Professor Yong-Jun Liu**

Director of Baylor Institute for Immunology Research, Texas, USA

**Professor Tak W. Mak**

Campbell Family Institute for Breast Cancer Research,  
University of Toronto, Canada

**Professor Diane Mathis**

Division of Immunology, Department of Microbiology and Immunobiology,  
Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA

**Professor Padmanee Sharma**

MD Anderson Cancer Center, University of Texas, Houston, USA

**Local Speakers**

**Dr Vera SF Chan**

Department of Medicine, LKS Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong

**Dr Zhiwei Chen**

AIDS Institute, LKS Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong

**Professor Chak Sing Lau**

Department of Medicine, LKS Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong

**Professor Liwei Lu**

Department of Pathology, LKS Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong

**Professor JS Malik Peiris**

School of Public Health, LKS Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong

**Professor Chun Kwok Wong**

Department of Chemical Pathology, Institute of Chinese Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

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### Registration Form

Please complete the form in English using BLOCK letters and check all the appropriate boxes. Insufficient information and illegible handwriting may delay your registration. One form per registrant.

Title:  Dr     Mr     Miss     Ms            Gender:  Male     Female  
*(for room arrangement)*

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Name in Chinese if applicable)*

HKIK No: \_\_\_\_\_ Passport No: \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Department/Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

If postgraduate, state year of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Research Area: \_\_\_\_\_

Correspondence Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*All information collected is for Croucher Summer Course use only.*

#### **Communication**

All communications are by email. Please check your email from time to time for the latest news or announcements.

#### **Number of Enrolment**

This course offers a maximum of 35 places.

#### **Submission of Abstract and One-page CV**

Each applicant is required to submit an abstract of research subject with no more than **400 words**, a **1-page CV** and this completed registration form to the Course Secretariat by email before **30 April 2014 (Wednesday)**.

Selection Committee will select 12 best abstracts for a 20-minute oral presentation and the remaining will be allocated for poster presentation. Selected applicants will be notified by **16 May 2014 (Friday)** with detailed arrangements on the course.

#### **Registration fee for Local and Overseas Registrants (5 or 6 nights)**

- Registration for a shared two-bed room (check in on 23 July 2014)    HK\$3,000
- Registration for a shared two-bed room (check in on 22 July 2014)    HK\$3,500

*Note: Limited single rooms with higher registration fee are available upon special request and subject to approval.*

Registration fee is inclusive of up to 6-night accommodation, course materials and all related activities during the Course. The same fee applies to all local and overseas registrants even if they opt for not staying in the accommodation arranged.

Registration on 23 July 2014 (Wednesday), 2:00 pm – 3:50 pm  
3:50 pm Welcome speech by Course Director and Co-Director

### **Payment**

Selected applicants will be notified to pay the registration fee by **31 May 2014 (Saturday)** to the Course Secretariat in 2 weeks upon receipt of email notification. A crossed cheque or bank draft made payable in Hong Kong dollars to “The University of Hong Kong” be sent together with the email notification to Course Secretariat, Department of Medicine, Room 807 Administration Block, Queen Mary Hospital, 102 Pokfulam Road, Hong Kong. **Cash is NOT accepted.**

### **Cancellation**

Cancellation must be sent by email to Course Secretariat by **21 June 2014 (Saturday)**, failing that, a 50% of the registration fee will be deducted as administrative fee, **no refunds** will be made after this date, and refunds will be made by 30 September 2014 (Tuesday).