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HSUHK becomes first Climate-U Network member in Greater China Region

The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong (HSUHK) becomes the first institution in the Greater China Region to join the prestigious global initiative, the Climate-U Network. The Network, initiated by University College London in the UK, unites universities globally to address the pressing climate crisis. Other members include institutions from Brazil, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Rwanda, Kenya, Tanzania, Morocco, South Africa, Uganda, and the UK.

Professor Simon Ho, President of HSUHK, stated, “HSUHK is truly honoured to join the Climate-U Network. This partnership extends our recent success in hosting the Alliance of Asian Liberal Arts Universities Annual Presidents’ Forum, which focused on leadership in sustainability. It also reaffirms our commitment to the United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network, as evidenced by our recent signing of a joint statement together with over 180 universities worldwide. We are dedicated to enhancing climate action, promoting sustainability, and empowering our students to become proactive leaders in addressing the challenges of our time.”

Professor Joshua Mok, Provost and Vice-President (Academic and Research) said that as part of the Climate-U Network, HSUHK will engage in collaborative research, share best practices, and participate in joint initiatives aimed at mitigating climate change. He added “This membership not only enhances our institution’s environmental initiatives but also positions HSUHK as a vital player in the global sustainability movement.”

More details for the Climate-U Network: <https://www.climate-uni.com/>

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About The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong

The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong (HSUHK) is a non-profit private liberal-arts oriented university with five Schools (Business, Communication, Decision Sciences, Humanities and Social Science, and Translation and Foreign Languages) and over 6,000 full-time students. Adopting the unique “Liberal + Professional” education model, HSUHK aims to nurture young talent with critical thinking, innovative minds, caring attitudes, moral values and social responsibility.

Aspiring to be a leading private university in the region, HSUHK features a primary focus on undergraduate education, top-quality faculty members, award-winning green campus facilities, innovative degree programmes, unique residential college system combining living and learning, interactive small class teaching, very close student-teacher relationship, RGC-funded impactful research, and excellent student development/support services. HSUHK is listed the 7th (overall) in the ASEAN+ region, the 1st in the Greater China region, and the 1st in Employability as per the 2023 AppliedHE ASEAN+ private university assessment by the Singapore-based AppliedHE. It is also listed among the top 200 worldwide on “Quality Education” and “Decent Work and Economic Growth” in the Times Higher Education University Impact Rankings 2021.