Dr Wilson Lee installed as new president of alumni association

Dr Wilson Lee has been inducted as the 2006-2007 president of the HKU Dental Alumni Association (HKUDAA)—the alumni organisation of the HKU Faculty of Dentistry. The official ceremony handing over the presidency from Dr Franklin She to Dr Lee took place during the association’s Annual General Meeting held at the Hong Kong Medical Association on 30 April 2006.

“As the new president, I’d like to continue raising the sense of belonging of dental alumni—and also current dental students—to their alma mater, and to increase links between our members and other alumni associations in and beyond Hong Kong,” says Dr Lee, who was previously the Vice-President of the HKUDAA.

Established in 1985, the HKUDAA has an important role in representing and uniting alumni of Hong Kong’s sole institution responsible for dental education.

“We hold regular alumni CME lectures, as well as social functions such as sports events,” says Dr Lee, himself a keen soccer and golf player. “Immediate events to encourage camaraderie and participation in the association include the Hong Kong Dragon Boat Races on 31 May 2006, and we welcome alumni and friends to come cheer our team on, or to even join our team! Practices at Stanley Beach at 2:30 pm on Sundays in May 2006.” Potential dragon boaters should e-mail Dr Edwin TC Wong at <dentalum@www.hku.hk>.

“We also aim to help make next year’s HKU Faculty of Dentistry’s Silver Jubilee Anniversary a success, by holding some special alumni events,” adds Dr Lee, who graduated from the HKU Bachelor of Dental Surgery course in 2001 and is currently pursuing a Master in Orthodontics degree at the faculty. “Another important role of the HKUDAA is to encourage alumni donations to support the faculty, in recognition of the kickstart our careers have had. For the next few years, alumni donations get matched, dollar for dollar, by the Stanley Ho Alumni Challenge!” (See <www.facdenthk.org/Doubling_investments_in_the_HKU_Faculty_of_Dentistry1.pdf>).

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Other HKUDAA officers for 2006-2007 are Vice-President, Dr Ian HS Yip (BDS 2001); Hon Secretary, Dr Stanley ML Lai (BDS 2000); Hon Treasurer, Dr George CT Lok (BDS 1995); Publication Secretary, Dr Dominic KL Ho (BDS 2005); Social Secretary, Dr Edwin TC Wong (BDS 2001); and Immediate Past President, Dr Franklin TT She (BDS 1998). The HKUDAA website can be found at <www.hku.hk/dentalum>.

[Left to Right] Drs Dominic KL Ho, Andrew CC Chan, Ian HS Yip, Stanley ML Lai, Franklin TT She, Wilson Lee, George CT Lok, Kenny KK Lau, Siu-fai Leung, and Edwin TC Wong

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