LEARNING
DISCOVERY
PATIENT CARE
ENGAGEMENT

OUR VISION
To be the leading dental faculty in Asia.

OUR MISSION
To serve the people of Hong Kong and the region by advancing their oral health and well-being through excellence in learning, discovery, patient care, and engagement.

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Knowledge Exchange at the HKU Faculty of Dentistry
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Our expertise at work for you

CONNECTION THE COMMUNITY TO OUR RESEARCH & TEACHING EXPERTISE

The Faculty of Dentistry at The University of Hong Kong has a strong tradition of public and professional education and community engagement. We are well positioned in partnering with stakeholders to deliver world-class dental education, research, and health care. Many of our staff come from abroad, have extensive international experience, and are globally renowned in their fields for being at the leading edge of science, technology, health care, and education. To find out more about our staff’s expertise, please log onto: http://facdent.hku.hk/index.php/about-us/staff-surname

Prof Thomas Flemming
HKU Dean of Dentistry

Partnering with the Community

KNOWLEDGE IN ACTION

Our Knowledge Exchange Hub, consisting of the Knowledge Exchange Unit, Education & Media Technology Unit, and Postgraduate Education & Continuing Dental Education section, was set up in 2009 to coordinate two-way contact between the Faculty and various sectors of society, and to administer or assist with tailored health, research, and knowledge exchange programmes, such as:

- Postgraduate & continuing dental education courses
- Newsletter, brochures & special publications
- Formulating research & partnership proposals; promoting training and consultations
- Embedding knowledge exchange into all Faculty activities; organising internships, mentorships, and service projects
- Media & public relations; marketing & branding
- Public engagement & outreach programmes; fund & friend-raising

DISCOVERY & INNOVATION

Our Faculty uses a matrix management model to ensure an integrated and multidisciplinary approach to achieve synergy, collaboration, and cross-fertilisation of ideas. In this way, we maximise a research idea’s potential academic, public health, and commercial impact at all stages, from proposal to publication and application.

EQUIPPED FOR SUCCESS

Our world-class facilities include a Problem-based Learning Suite, Virtual Reality (Haptics) Training Unit, Centre for Advanced Dental Care, Advanced Endodontics Centre, Cleft Lip and Palate Centre, AO Cranio-maxillofacial Surgical Training Centre, ITI Centre of Excellence in Implantology, and Centralised Research Laboratories. These use a wide array of state-of-the-art methods, such as artificial mouth system, confocal microscopy, operative microscopy, computer-assisted design and manufacture, 2-D and 3-D photo-imaging, spiral and cone-beam computed tomography, structural-testing, cell and tissue culture facilities, and micro-organism identification and antibiotic susceptibility testing—all available and ready for collaborative educational and basic, clinical, translational, and applied research projects.

For highlights of our knowledge exchange activities with various sectors of the community, including schools, public, NGOs, charities, industry, health care professionals, alumni, and prospective students, please log onto: http://facdent.hku.hk/index.php/engagement

Connecting Knowledge, Skills, Professionalism & Compassion

KNOWLEDGE CREATION, ACCESS & SHARING

Our researchers are among the top in the University for research publications in peer-reviewed academic journals. We support Open Access Publishing and have a thorough programme of knowledge exchange and dissemination of research and health care information to all sectors of society.

TRAINING, CONSULTANCY & SERVICE

We have a comprehensive range of disciplines and teaching and research areas. Our combined expertise, knowledge, and know-how are designed to meet the diversified needs of the academic, professional, commercial, government, and public communities. For more information, e-mail us at dentke@hku.hk