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Dear Sir/ Madam,

PolyU researchers develop revolutionary robotic mannequin “i.Dummy”

Apparel researchers of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU) have successfully developed a revolutionary robotic mannequin named “i.Dummy” which can change its body shape and size at the point of a fingertip on computer or mobile phone. In this connection, you and your representatives are cordially invited to attend a press briefing on “i.Dummy”, with details as follows:

Date : 20 March 2013 (Wednesday)
Time : 11:00 a.m.
Venue : Fashion and Textiles Resource Centre
         Room MN109, 1/F, Li Ka Shing Tower, PolyU campus
Principal : Dr Allan Chan Chee-kooi, Associate Professor
           Institute of Textiles and Clothing, PolyU

Traditional mannequins are costly and occupy a lot of storage space as they cannot change their shapes. “i.Dummy”, with its “multi-able” (adjustable, expandable, contractible and variable) features, provides a perfect solution to the problem. It can flexibly change to any shapes and dimensions as required by designers, and is suitable for different types of garment.

If you have any queries, please contact Miss Maggie Chan of my office on 3400 3853. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

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