

Outstanding alumni sets up new school



From left: Prof. Poon, Prof. Li, Mr Lam, Dr Tang and Mr Fok.

PolyU outstanding alumni Mr Lam Tai-fai, a leading figure in the textile industry, extends his career to the education arena by starting a new school under the name of Lam Tai Fai Charitable Foundation.

Named as Lam Tai Fai Charitable Foundation Secondary School, the school celebrated its foundation stone laying ceremony on 7 April. The big day was graced by the presence of local authorities, including Prof. Arthur Li Kwok-cheung, Secretary for Education and Manpower of the HKSAR; Dr Henry Tang Ying-yen, Secretary for Commerce, Industry and Technology of the HKSAR; Mr Timothy Fok Tsun-ting, President of Sports Federation & Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China, and Member of Legislative Council, HKSAR; Prof. Poon Chung-kwong, President of PolyU and Mr Yue Chi-hang, Director of Architectural Services, HKSAR.

With an aim of integrating fashion design and physical education into the conventional curriculum, the new school will start recruitment this December. The first batch of students is scheduled to start school in September 2004. ❖

Snapshots of alumni activities

Overseas activities



PolyU (Eastern Canada) Association: A full-filled spring dinner featuring line dancing, games and karaoke singing.



PolyU (Western Canada) Association: Games, lucky draw and good food makes the night for the spring dinner.

PolyU Applied Biology and Chemical Technology Alumni Association: A joyful dinner was held in mid-January to strengthen member relations.



Local activities

PolyU Department of English Alumni Association: An inauguration ceremony for the new Executive Committee was held earlier.



Alumni Association of Biomedical Science of the PolyU: The 1st AABMS Football Match was successfully held on 20 March.



Accountancy Graduates Association of PolyU: Senior accountancy alumni meet and congratulate the latest batch of graduates.