



理大生赴奧運村 實習交流

透過這個暑期約四星期在北京奧運村的實習計劃，來自醫療及社會科學院的應用社會科學系、康復治療科學系、護理學院及眼科視光學院的十二位同學進行「非一般」的實習，為國家運動員提供心理質素研究、物理治療及視覺檢查，包括進行心理問卷調查、音樂治療、視力檢測等等。同學服務的國家隊包括：體操隊、藝術體操隊及蹦床隊。

透過這次難能可貴的實習機會，同學除了藉著實際的工作經驗提升專業之外，更深深感受到運動員的堅毅意志及他們對國家無私奉獻的精神，並切身領略到北京為迎接零八年奧運的積極部署。而練習場館內「以超人的代價換取超人的成績」等激勵運動員的標語，亦同樣鼓舞著每一位參與計劃的同學。



電子計算學系學生向內地中學生 傳授資訊科技知識

理大電子計算學系二十多名學生於七月遠赴湖北偏遠地區，為當地三百位中學生，舉辦IT夏令營。理大學生教授內地中學生掌握電腦知識的技能及多媒體技術，並啟發他們的創意，亦體現服務社群的精神。

在湖北服務的十天，同學在氣溫高達四十度的炎熱天氣下，日間教授資訊科技課程，晚上開會檢討和預備下一天的工作。參與的同學均表示，他們付出的努力和心血，當地學生以「好學」和「珍惜」的態度一一回報。活動亦曾於當地黃石電視台報導。在這些互動交流的活動中，電子計算學系的學生真正體會到助人為快樂之本。 ❖



Meeting of minds at the Summer Institute

Seminar on social development issues.



This July, the PolyU's Department of Applied Social Sciences (APSS) jointly organized the Summer Institute 2007 with George Warren Brown School of Social Work of Washington University and the Department of Sociology of Peking University. The event provided an excellent opportunity for APSS postgraduate students and year-three students to fully immerse themselves in high-quality learning and exchange in relation to social issues.

The event included a two-week intensive course in Hong Kong and Yunnan in China. Activities varied from workshops, conferences, seminars to visioning trips and field visits, which provided a platform for students to exchange views and gain cultural experiences.

The focus of this year's Summer Institute was on international social development issues including poverty and inequality, social justice, and development approaches in China, the United States, as well as other countries in Asia, Africa and Latin America. ❖



Participants of the Summer Institute 2007 at the opening ceremony of the event.