

The First Outstanding BRE Alumni Award 2010 – Awardee

Brief Biography

Dr. NG Wing Hong

Diploma in Building (Year of Award : 1940)



Dr. NG Wing Hong, one of the first graduates of PolyU's oldest predecessor, the Government Trade School, has been giving unwavering support to his alma mater over the past 70 years. Dr. Ng's connection with PolyU dates back to the turbulent years before the outbreak of World War II. When he started out in the construction industry at the tender age of 15, the daunting experience taught him the importance of a professional education. Therefore, he began his construction studies by enrolling in the Department of Building of the then Government Trade School in 1937. After finishing his studies in 1939, Mr. Ng devoted the next 50 years to developing his business in construction. He carved out a distinguished professional career and gained wide experience through involvement in a variety of construction projects before his retirement.

A keen supporter of the industry, Dr. Ng served as President of the Hong Kong Building Contractors Association, President of the Students' Society of Hong Kong Technical College and Vice Chairman of Po Leung Kuk in the past. Also, Dr. Ng shared his professional knowledge by teaching evening courses in building subjects at the Trade School.

Currently, Dr. Ng's continued support to the Department and PolyU has set an excellent model for the younger generations. He is now the Honorary Life Chairman of PolyU Development Foundation. As a tribute to Dr. Ng's commitment to the University, PolyU conferred on him the title of University Fellow in 2005, and named a teaching block on campus after him in 2008. Dr. Ng's remarkable achievements also earned him the honour of Outstanding PolyU Alumni Award in 2009.

