

Visit by Beijing-Hong Kong Academic Exchange Centre

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On 22 November 2017, the following delegates from the Beijing-Hong Kong Academic Exchange Centre (BHKAEC) paid a visit to the CNERC:

- Mr. KWOK Ming Wa, Director, Vice-President
- Dr. C. H. Zou, Head of Division of Academic and Training, BHKAEC
- Ms. LIN Li Juan, Head of Division of Science and Technology, BHKAEC, and Deputy General Manager, Beijing-Hong Kong International Training Centre

As originally suggested by Prof. YANG Chen Ning, the Centre was established and registered in Hong Kong in March 1985.

The Centre is a not-for-profit institution serving academic exchange. It aims to promote the initiation and development of activities involving academic, science and technology interflow, as well as cooperation between Hong Kong, Mainland and overseas institutes by providing enquiry services, liaison and financial assistance, etc.

The Centre is commissioned by Mainland education, science and technology units, and supported by the Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region. At present, participation in the Centre's Board of Directors includes such institutions as the Ministry of Science and Technology, the Ministry of Education, the Chinese Academy of Sciences, the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, the Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences, the China Association for Science and Technology, the National Natural Science Foundation of China, and the Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region.

During the meeting, Prof. K. F. Chung reported on the main vision, recent developments and major research projects of the CNERC, including:

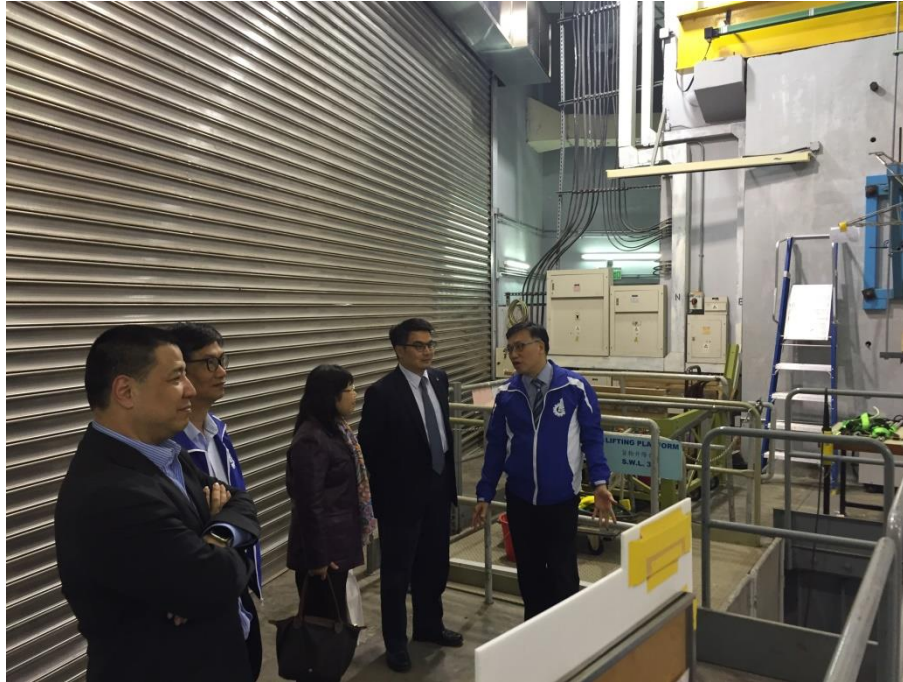
1. Effective use of high performance steel materials – Q690 ~ Q960,
2. Welding of high-strength steel and its structural characteristics of heat affected zone, and
3. Mechanical welding system with function of visual recognition of high-strength steel.

The BHKAEC is looking forward to the updated information on progress of these projects in the CNERC. At the same time, the BHKAEC appreciates the many technical publications published by the CNERC in contributing to the engineering application of modern steel structure technology as well as enhancing the competitiveness of Chinese steel industry and construction industry in the

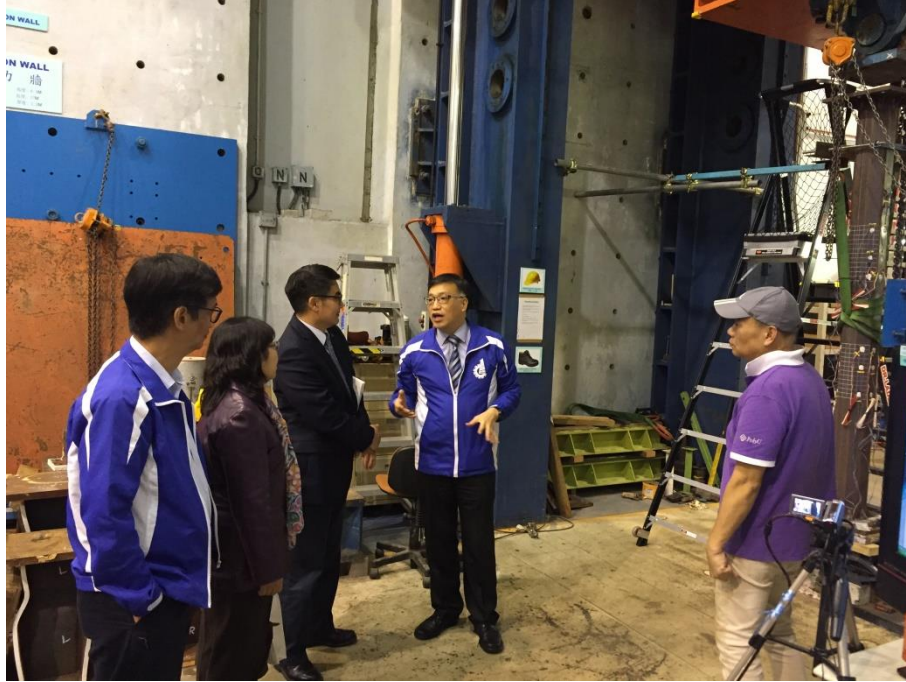
international market. Hence, making tremendous contributions to the "One Belt and One Road" strategic planning of the Mainland China. In addition, the BHKAEC will tender more support to the CNERC in promoting its work and experience of the CNERC to the government, universities and relevant research institutes and companies in the Mainland China.



Prof. K. F. Chung introduced the CNERC to delegates of the BHKAEC.



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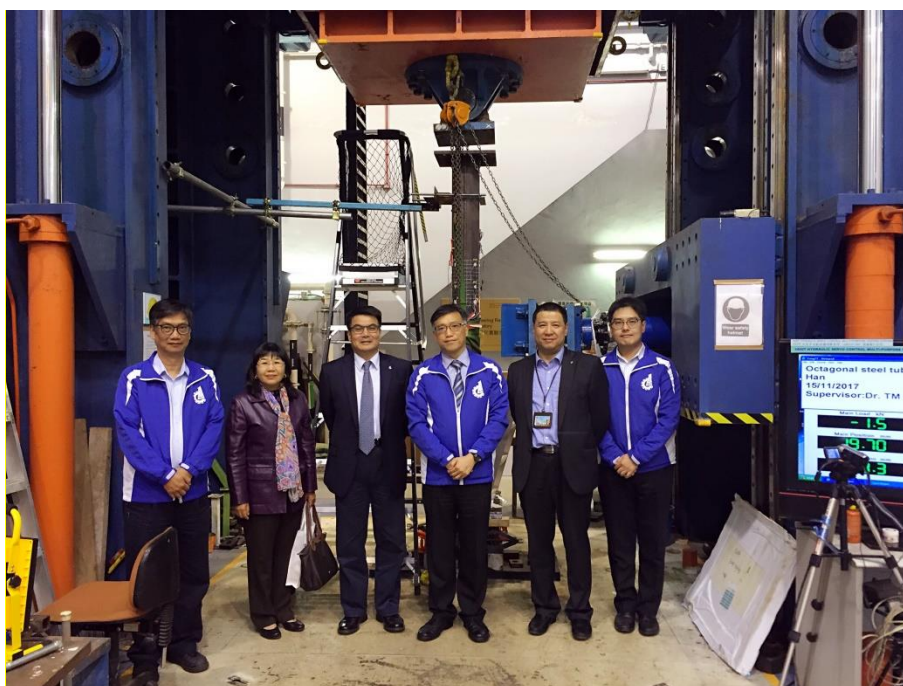
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From left: KWOK Ming Wa, K. F. Chung



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