International Outreach
連繫全球

Expanding horizons by reaching out to the world

放眼世界　宏觀視野

Through strategic partnerships and exchange programmes with leading universities, PolyU offers students the opportunity to gain a broader perspective of global issues.

理大透過與世界頂尖大學建立策略性聯盟和交流計劃，擴闊學生對環球議題的視野。

Network expansion & major collaborations
網絡拓展與重點合作項目

University Social Responsibility Network

The 2018/19 year was an exciting one for the USR Network (USRN), whose member universities from around the world continued to collaborate on various projects and activities.

1 • **Project Uganda**
Project Uganda was the first student-initiated community engagement project by the USRN. Run by a group of students from member universities, the project consisted of workshops on basic literacy and healthcare at a children's learning community centre in Kibuli, an underdeveloped area in Uganda's capital city of Kampala. This initiative was undertaken in partnership with a local not-for-profit organisation, the 40 Days Over 40 Smiles Foundation.

2 • **USR month**
In October 2018, the USRN held the USR Month, which featured an exhibition showcasing USR student engagement projects, a series of fair-trade coffee workshops, a PolyU Blood Donation Challenge and A Taste of PolyU — an event in which underprivileged schoolchildren were invited to PolyU campus to experience life as a university student.

3 • **USR Summit**
On 2–4 December 2018, PolyU co-hosted the USR Summit with the University of Haifa and the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. The Summit comprised plenary and parallel sessions and study tours of both Haifa and Jerusalem.

大學社會責任網絡

2018/19 學年是大學社會責任網絡 (「網絡」) 豐盛的一年，理大與世界各地的「網絡」院校成員合辦了各種項目和活動。

• **烏干達項目**
烏干達項目是「網絡」首個由學生發起並推行的社區項目。學生聯同當地的非牟利組織「40天40個笑容基金會」，於基布里 (位於烏干達首都坎帕拉內的一個貧民區) 的兒童學習社區中心，舉辦基本識字和健康工作坊。

• **大學社會責任月**
「網絡」於2018年10月舉辦了「大學社會責任月」，重點活動包括：大學社會責任－學生項目展覽、多場公平貿易咖啡工作坊、捐血運動，以及「細嚐理大」活動，其中「細嚐理大」邀請了來自弱勢社群的中小學生到理大校園體驗大學生活。

• **大學社會責任高峰會**
理大與海法大學和耶路撒冷希伯來大學於2018年12月2至4日合辦了「大學社會責任高峰會」。會上進行了多場主題會議和小組討論，並安排與會者到海法和耶路撒冷進行考察。

Agreement signed with Hebei Government

PolyU entered into an agreement with the Hebei provincial government on 11 April 2019, under which Hebei Province will help to fund PolyU's scientific research and encourage local enterprises to participate in PolyU projects. For its part, PolyU will offer high-end technologies and talent to advance Hebei's research capabilities.

Global network

As of June 2019, PolyU had established 416 academic collaboration agreements with 297 institutions in 45 countries and regions. During the year, 48 new agreements were signed and 18 new partnerships established. They included agreements with The University of Newcastle in Australia, McMaster University in Canada, The American University in Cairo in Egypt, National University of Sciences and Technology in Pakistan, KTH Royal Institute of Technology in Sweden, Royal College of Art in the UK and University of Wisconsin–Madison in the US.

與河北省政府簽訂協議

理大與河北省政府於2019年4月11日簽訂了合作協議。河北省將資助理大科研項目，並鼓勵當地企業參與其中；理大將憑藉其高端的技術和人才優勢，提升河北省的科研能力。

環球網絡

截至2019年6月，理大已與四十五個國家及地區的二百九十七所院校簽訂了四百一十六份學術合作協議。年內，大學共簽訂了四十八項新協議，當中十八家院校是首次與理大合作的新夥伴，包括澳洲紐卡素大學、加拿大麥馬斯特大學、埃及開羅美國大學、巴基斯坦國立科技大學、瑞典皇家理工學院、英國皇家藝術學院和美國威斯康辛大學–麥迪遜分校。

Academic collaboration agreements
學術合作協議

416

Institutions
院校

297

Countries and regions
國家及地區

45

Shanghai–Hong Kong University Alliance

PolyU joined 15 leading universities in Shanghai and Hong Kong to found the Shanghai–Hong Kong University Alliance. The aim of the Alliance is to cultivate new talent, cooperate on research projects, exchange knowledge and promote sustainable development.
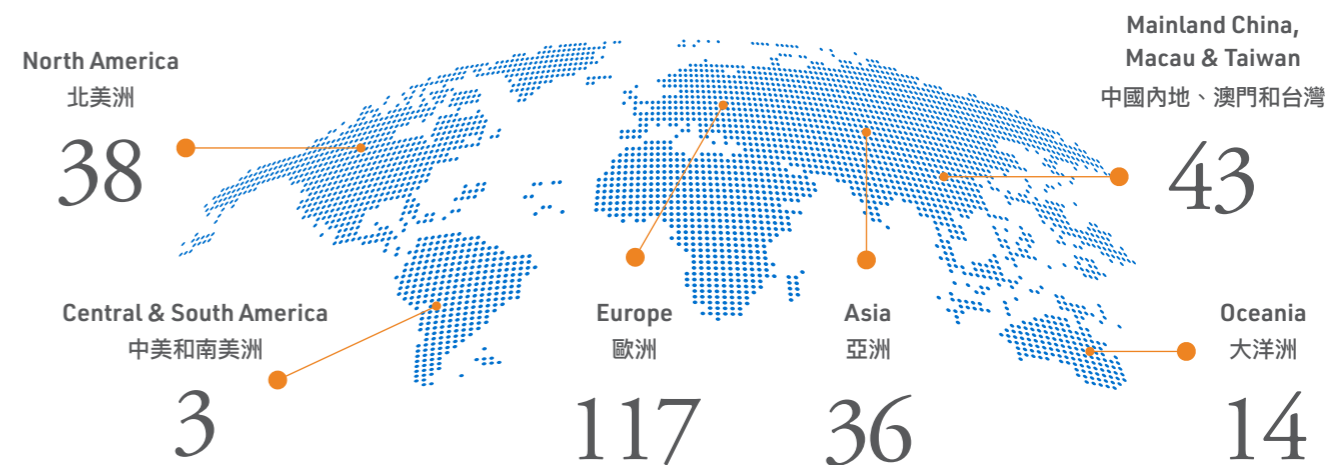
International learning experience

In 2018/19, 50.3% of PolyU undergraduate students have gained international learning experience. During the year, over 960 PolyU students studied at one of the University's 251 exchange partner institutions. The University also welcomed around 960 students from overseas countries and regions to study at PolyU.

滬港大學聯盟

理大與上海和香港十五所頂尖大學攜手成立滬港大學聯盟，旨在加強人才培育，拓展科研合作，促進知識交流和可持續發展。

國際學習經驗

在2018/19年度，百分之五十點三的理大本科生汲取了國際學習經驗。年內，逾九百六十名理大學生分別前往二百五十一所合作夥伴院校進行交換學習。同時，大學亦接待了約九百六十名海外交換生到理大學習。

North America
北美洲

38

Mainland China, Macau & Taiwan
中國內地、澳門和台灣

43

Central & South America
中美和南美洲

3

Europe
歐洲

117

Asia
亞洲

36

Oceania
大洋洲

14

Strategic developments
策略發展

Belt and Road 一帶一路

Belt and Road Cross-Professional Advancement Programme

PolyU launched the Belt and Road Cross-Professional Advancement Programme, the first-ever cross-professional platform for professionals and business leaders in Hong Kong and mainland China. It allows them to exchange experiences on Belt and Road infrastructure projects, strengthen ties, explore market opportunities and develop multilateral collaborations.

The programme, which commenced in January 2019, is funded by a grant of HK$2.32 million from the Professional Services Advancement Support Scheme of the Commerce and Economic Development Bureau of the HKSAR Government. With the support of 25 professional bodies, it has offered workshops and sharing sessions covering a wide variety of topics.

一帶一路跨專業發展計劃

理大啟動「『一帶一路』跨專業發展計劃」，為中港兩地的專業人士和商界領袖提供首個跨界別平台，就發展「一帶一路」的基礎建設分享經驗、加強聯繫、探索市場機遇，以及發展多邊合作關係。

此計劃於2019年1月啟動，獲香港特區政府商務及經濟發展局轄下的專業服務協進支援計劃撥款二百三十二萬港元資助，更得到二十五個專業團體鼎力支持，至今已舉辦多場不同主題的工作坊及分享會。

Belt and Road Advanced Professional Development Programme in Power and Energy

Established in 2017 by PolyU and Xi'an Jiaotong University, the Silk Road International School of Engineering held the Belt and Road Advanced Professional Development Programme in Power and Energy for a second year. In partnership with the State Grid Corporation of China and The Hongkong Electric Company Limited, the two universities hosted 25 professionals in the power and energy sector from 12 countries or regions on field-trip studies and exchanges in Xi'an, Jinan and Hong Kong.

一帶一路電力能源高管人才發展計劃

理大與西安交通大學於2017年共同成立的「絲綢之路國際工程學院」，連續第二年舉辦「『一帶一路』電力能源高管人才發展計劃」。兩所大學夥拍國家電網有限公司及香港電燈有限公司，為來自十二個國家或地區共二十五名專才，在西安、濟南和香港進行交流和實地考察。

Bilateral talent exchanges with Belt and Road countries

During the year, PolyU launched the Belt and Road Distinguished Visiting Scholars Scheme and K.C. Wong Belt and Road Visiting Fellowship Scheme to support bilateral talent mobility and the development of high-impact research and education collaborations with Belt and Road universities. Under these schemes, three distinguished Belt and Road scholars visited PolyU to share their research experiences and findings in Poland, Israel and Belt and Road regions. In addition, 10 PolyU academics were funded by the K.C. Wong Education Foundation to visit 10 countries along the Belt and Road.

與一帶一路國家進行雙邊人才交流

年內，理大先後推出「『一帶一路』傑出訪問學者計劃」和「『一帶一路』王寬誠訪問學人計劃」，與「一帶一路」沿線國家的大學進行雙邊人才交流，推動高影響力的科研和教育合作。在這兩項計劃下，三位來自「一帶一路」國家的傑出學者到訪理大，分享他們在波蘭、以色列和「一帶一路」地區的科研經驗和成果。另外，在王寬誠教育基金會的支持下，十位理大學者到訪了十個「一帶一路」沿線國家。

First cross-strait Service-Learning seminar

On 12 May 2019, PolyU and Xi'an Jiaotong University held the first cross-strait Service-Learning conference to promote the development of Service-Learning in higher education. Experts from more than 10 universities gathered in Xi'an to discuss their experiences and vision for Service-Learning.

第一屆海峽兩岸暨香港服務學習研討會

理大和西安交通大學於2019年5月12日舉辦了首屆海峽兩岸暨香港服務學習研討會，旨在促進高等教育界服務學習的發展。來自超過十所大學的專家匯聚西安，分享他們推動服務學習的經驗，以及探討未來發展的願景。

Greater Bay Area 大灣區

Continued development of Shenzhen Base

The PolyU Base on Commercialisation, Training and Research in Shenzhen established three new laboratories—the Life Sciences Research Laboratory, Centralised Animal Facility (Shenzhen) and Photonics Research Centre—in order to bid for large-scale research projects at the national level. During the year, Shenzhen Base secured two national projects, with a total funding of RMB36.9 million, in conjunction with partners such as Alibaba, Peking University, Tsinghua University and Sun Yat-sen University. As of June 2019, the total value of grants received from the Ministry of Science and Technology, National Natural Science Foundation of China and governments of Guangdong and Shenzhen exceeded RMB348 million.

深圳基地持續發展

理大深圳產學研基地成立了三所嶄新的實驗室 ——「生命科學研究實驗室」、「中央動物實驗設施」和「光子實驗室」，有助基地申請和承辦國家級大型研究項目。年內，基地夥拍阿里巴巴、北京大學、清華大學及中山大學等合作夥伴，成功獲得兩項國家項目，資助金額達三千六百九十萬元人民幣。截至2019年6月，來自中國科技部、國家自然科學基金，以及廣東和深圳政府的研究經費，已累積超過三億四千八百萬元人民幣。

Shenzhen–Hong Kong Start-up Internship • Immersion Programme

During the year, a total of 76 students from Hong Kong, mainland China and other overseas institutions took part in the 50-day Shenzhen–Hong Kong Start-up Internship • Immersion Programme organised by the Greater Bay Area International Institute for Innovations. This first-of-its-kind immersion programme comprised field trips, internships and exchanges at start-ups, incubators and multinational technology companies in Hong Kong and Shenzhen, enabling students to deepen their understanding of entrepreneurship and innovation in the Greater Bay Area.

深港初創實習 • 交流計劃

年內，七十六名來自香港、內地和海外院校的學生參加了由大灣區國際創新學院舉辦的「深港初創實習 • 交流計劃」。該項為期五十天的實習交流計劃是大灣區內首項同類型活動，參與學生獲安排到香港及深圳的初創、創意培育基地，以及跨國科技企業進行考察、實習和交流，加深他們對大灣區創新和初創企業的了解。

Annual events
年度活動

PolyU International Summer School

In the summer of 2018, more than 430 students from 38 countries and regions joined the five-week PolyU International Summer School. In addition to undertaking credit-bearing subjects, students also participated in heritage field trips and various cultural exchange activities in Kaosiung, Taichung, Guangzhou, Shenzhen and Xi'an to expand their horizons and enrich their learning experience.

Exploring China Programme

Exploring China is a series of programmes designed to enrich PolyU students' learning experiences and broaden their knowledge, particularly with regard to cultural and social issues in mainland China. In the summer and winter of 2018, more than 1,300 students participated in 56 programmes, including summer schools, Service-Learning activities, study tours, and various courses in mainland China and Taiwan.

理大國際暑期大學課程

2018年夏季，來自三十八個國家和地區超過四百三十名學生參加了為期五週的理大國際暑期大學課程。學生除修讀學分課程之外，亦參加了於高雄、台中、廣州、深圳和西安進行的古蹟考察和文化交流活動，藉此擴闊視野並豐富學習體驗。

向華夏出發

「向華夏出發」是專為理大學生而設的一系列學習項目，旨在讓他們增進知識，豐富學習經驗，尤其是中國內地的社會和文化議題。2018年夏冬兩季，超過一千三百名學生參加了五十六項於中國內地和台灣舉行的活動，包括暑期班、服務學習項目、考察之旅及各類課程等。

Silk Road International Summer School

PolyU and Xi'an Jiaotong University held the fifth annual Silk Road International Summer School, bringing students for inter-cultural learning experiences in Xi'an, Dunhuang and St. Petersburg, Russia.

In Xi'an and Dunhuang, around 140 students from PolyU, Xi'an Jiaotong University, Al-Farabi Kazakh National University and Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University joined the four-week programme. Also participating was a group of around 50 students from seven universities in Hong Kong and Beijing, who visited St. Petersburg, Russia for a seven-day study trip on infrastructure projects under the Belt and Road Initiative.

Innovation and Entrepreneurship Summer School

Co-organised by PolyU, Zhejiang University and National Chengchi University, the Innovation and Entrepreneurship Summer School—Mainland China, Taiwan and Hong Kong accepted its third intake at PolyU. Sustainability was the theme of this year's event, which drew about 40 students from the three universities. The programme also enabled students to gain insights into the different cultural backgrounds, learning styles and business innovation and entrepreneurship in mainland China, Taiwan and Hong Kong.

絲綢之路國際暑期班

理大與西安交通大學合辦第五屆「絲綢之路國際暑期班」，讓學生有機會到西安、敦煌和俄羅斯聖彼得堡體驗跨文化學習。

來自理大、西安交通大學、法拉比哈薩克國立大學和聖彼得堡國立技術大學約一百四十名學生參加了在西安和敦煌為期四週的暑期班。另外，約五十名來自香港和北京七所大學的學生參加了俄羅斯聖彼得堡的七天考察團，了解當地在「一帶一路」倡議下開展的建築工程。

創新創業暑期研習營

理大、浙江大學和國立政治大學合辦了第三屆「創新創業海峽兩岸暨香港地區研習營」，主題為可持續發展。研習營讓來自三所大學約四十名學生更深入了解兩岸三地的文化背景、學習方式，以及創新創業的理念。