

Highlights

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**SIRF
2020**



Tackling Double Ageing by Double Smart
以雙智慧應對雙老化

— Main Forum 主論壇
11 Dec 2020 (FRI)
14:30 - 17:40

Social Innovation Regional Forum 2020 | Tackling Double Ageing with Double Smart is on

Social Innovation Regional Forum (SIRF) 2020 examines the unique, complex challenges of “Double Ageing”, bringing together experts to advocate “Double Smart” strategies that enhance the sustainability of cities. 2 thematic sessions were held in October, each attended by around 350 participants. 2 more sessions will take place in November.

In the subsequent Main Forum taking place on 11th December, speakers from the UK and across Asia will share with us their insights on tackling “Double Ageing”. The SIRF 2020 Digital Exhibition will also be launching on the same day. Register now to attend SIRF 2020 events, and explore the promising solutions with us!

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Intergenerational Play Space Design Competition – Prosperous Garden | Public Voting and Stage 2 Jury Assessment Completed

A public voting session for the professional and university category design was held from 19th to 26th October via the competition website and onsite at Prosperous Garden. Thanks to the enormous support from the residents and the general public, the voting period ended with over 10,000 votes.

The most popular design from each category will be awarded the “Most Voted” certificate alongside the top 3 designs from each category chosen in the jury assessment session held on 28th October by our Stage 2 jurors, including:

- **Dr Lawrence Li Kwok-chang, JP** | Deputy Council Chairman of PolyU; Chair of the Competition Stage Two Jurors
- **Mr James CHAN Yum-min** | Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director of Hong Kong Housing Society
- **Dr the Hon. Lam Ching-choi, SBS, JP** | Chairman of the Elderly Commission; Chair of JCDIS's Advisory Committee
- **Ms Iris Hoi** | President of Hong Kong Institute of Landscape Architects
- **Mr Lawrence Chau Yat-cheung** | President of Hong Kong Institute of Planners

The winners will be announced in the award ceremony on 14th November, stay tuned!

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Silver Age Startups | The online social entrepreneurship seminars completed successfully

4 sessions of online social entrepreneurship seminars of Season 8 "Silver Age Startups" programme under "PolyU Jockey Club 'Operation SOINNO'" were successfully held. We are delighted to have 7 guest speakers in total to share social entrepreneurial knowledge and experience with our participants. Knowledge on laws and regulations, social enterprise operation and resource solicitation are incorporated in the seminars to help boost the confidence of participants who are preparing to start up a social business.

On completion of the online seminars, a total of 32 participants were selected to enter the second stage "Co-creation Workshop" of Silver Age Startups. In the first two workshops, they successfully formed seven teams and began to build a common ground to embark on the journey of entrepreneurship. 3 of the 4 sessions of the online seminar are now available for review. Feel free to share with your friends for watching!

The 7 teams will present their startup ideas on the Season 8 "One from Hundred Thousands" Symposium on 28th November, join us now!

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JCDISI works on Sustainable Built Environment featured in the “Hong Kong Report on the State of Sustainable Built Environment 2020”

JCDISI is honoured to have three projects featured in the “Hong Kong Report on the State of Sustainable Built Environment 2020” (the Report) published by Construction Industry Council and the Hong Kong Green Building Council. Published every three years, the renowned Report provides a comprehensive overview of Hong Kong’s latest green and sustainable development initiatives. The Report is launched on 2nd November in parallel with the opening of the renowned World Sustainable Built Environment Online Conference 2020. Find out the works of JCDISI in promoting sustainable built environment:

- Community Engagement: Public Education | One from Hundred Thousand Symposia Series Season 4: Intergenerational Play Space Co-creation Workshop and Symposium (P.79)
- Public and Industry Projects: Institution and Community | JCDISI “Operation Solnno” Action Project: Transitional Social Housing (P.160–161)
- Research and Planning: Academia | Relocatable Housing Using Modular Integrated Construction (P.202)

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Season 7: Intergenerational Community in a Vertical City | Social Innovation Symposium

On 7th October Season 7 "One from Hundred Thousand" Symposium, four co-creation teams presented their re-imagined designs for "Hong Kong Young Women's Christian Association Yau Yat Chuen Centre" and "Aberdeen Kai-fong Welfare Association Social Service Centre" to enable an intergenerational and an interactive mode of co-living among different age groups.

We are also honoured to have the below cross-disciplinary expert panellists joined us in the symposium for their sharing and discussion on the view and vision of community engagement and intergenerational community:

- Dr the Hon. Lam Ching-choi, SBS, JP | Chairman of the Elderly Commission
- Mr LAM Ka-tai, JP | Deputy Director of Social Welfare (Services), Social Welfare Department
- Ms Alice Wan | Director, Aberdeen Kai-fong Welfare Association Social Service
- Dr. BAI Xue | Associate Professor, Department of Applied Social Sciences and Director of Institute of Active Ageing, PolyU
- Ms Yvonne Yeung | Chief Executive, Hong Kong Young Women's Christian Association

It is hoped that the intergenerational design elements could be realised in the coming future. Let's view the video and know more the vision of this season!

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Solnno Design Education | Redefining Students' Learning Experiences

Since 2018, JCDISI has been working hard in broadening teachers' and students' imagination of tackling the 21st-century challenges. We have now produced a video to explain the curriculum and learning tools developed by Solnno Design Education's team with a student-centred approach. Enjoy the video to learn more about the programme!

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What's New



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Season 9
Children's Well-being in Subdivided Units
第九季：劏房戶兒童的身心健康

Season 9: Children's Well-being in Subdivided Units | Social Innovation Symposium

The crowded, squalid living environment has a profound and long-term effect on the well-being of children. The social innovation symposium of Season 9 "Children's Well-being in Subdivided Units" programme aims to improve the health and well-being of children living in the sub-divided unit through developing non-invasive home modification solution and corresponding strategies.

If you are passionate about issues related to sub-divided unit, don't hesitate to join our symposium on 23rd January!

[Details](#)



SolInno Design Education | Launching the Second Year Workshop with 12 schools

In September this year, JCDISI has launched the Second Year of SolInno Design Education Workshop. Together with the 12 partnering schools, we hope to encourage students to explore and learn autonomously by leading them to solve real-world problems.

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Over 300 applications for Good Seed 2020 Cohort 2

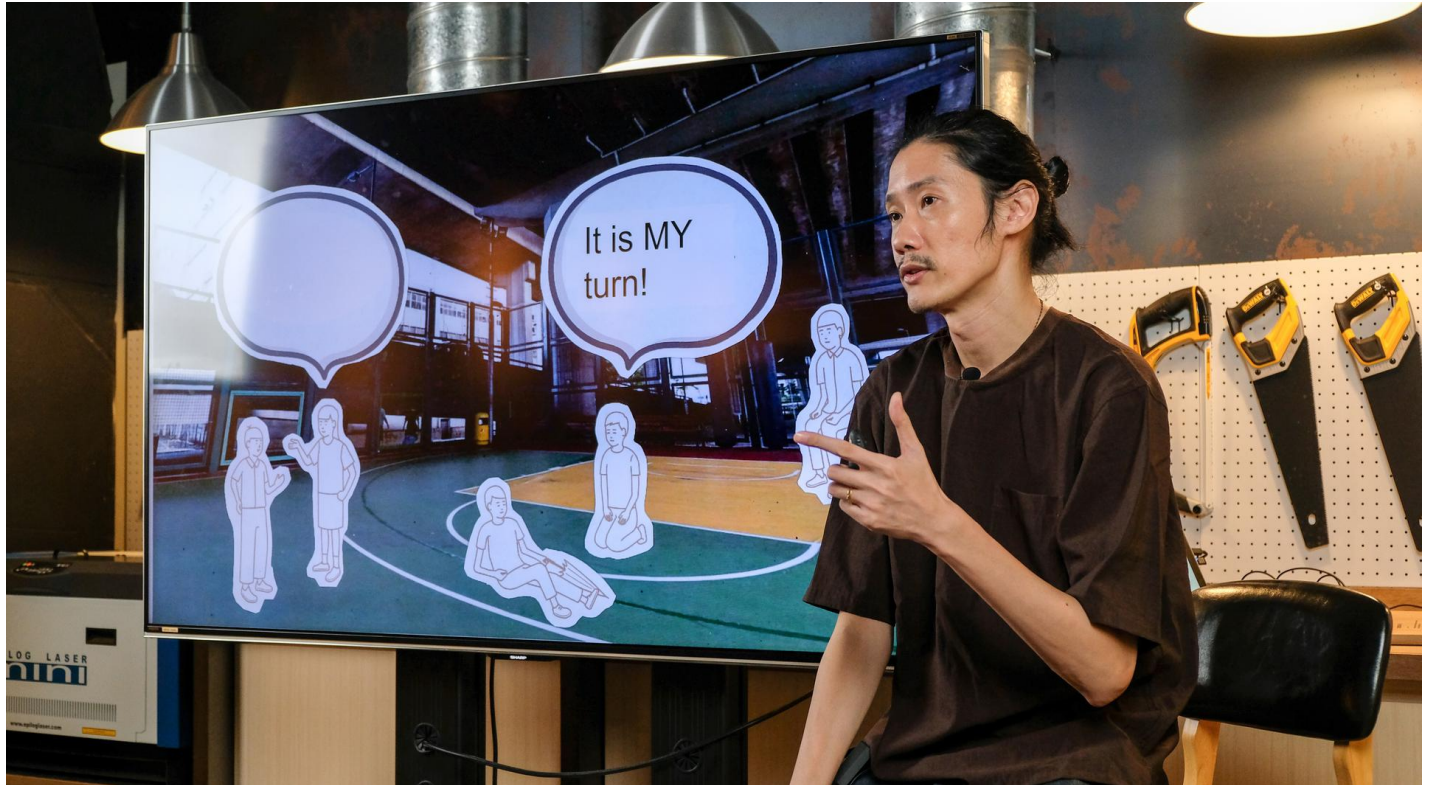
Good Seed has received a total of 367 applications in 2020 Cohort 2. Amidst COVID-19 development, Good Seed has transformed the programme into digital format. Participants are required to complete different mission tasks with a mobile application to enter the next stage. The final presentation will be held in January 2021, stay tuned!

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Co-creating a Happy Space for the Elderly

Invited by the Tung Wah Group of Hospitals, JCDISI organised 2 practical workshops for their staff in August and September on "Co-creating a Happy Space for the Elderly". The workshops focus on how the elements of interior design can enhance the elderly's experience in the service centre. Together, we tried to re-imagine an ideal service space with no restrictions. The knowledge and experience gained will hint the future development and design of its social service to further suit the needs of the elderly.



Solnno Design Education | Reimagining English Education

Entrusted by the Education Bureau, JCDISI held 2 professional development workshops for English teachers in August and September this year. Teachers tried to re-envision students' needs with design. By exerting the power of metaphor, teachers associated different scenarios in daily life with the classroom setting, and generated innovative ways of learning and teaching.



Solnno Design Education in No Kidding! TV Programme Review

JCDISI is honoured to be the Supporting Partners of the No Kidding! HKDA Kids Design Thinking Awards. KK Ling, Director of JCDISI, joined the panel of judges to select the Awardees from the finalists' work in October and Gwen Chan, Programme Leader of Solnno Design Education joined the Opening to share how Social Innovation and Design Thinking to change the kids' way of learning. Highlights of the Opening Seminar is featured in the programme of ViuTV (Channel 99) for public viewing. Review it online now to know more about the topic!

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SolInno Design Education | Learning Mathematics by Playing

Invited by the Shun Tak Fraternal Association Yung Yau College, JCDISI organised a gaming design workshop in August for their Mathematics teachers as their professional development.

This experience inspired them to think of turning the learning process into a game-able learning experience and motivate students to learn.



Award Winning in Green PolyU Awards – Green Office Programme

JCDISI is delighted to receive the Bronze Award under Green PolyU Awards – Green Office Programme Phase 4 Assessment steered by the Campus Sustainability Committee and Campus Sustainability Office. It is a recognition to JCDISI serving as a Green Office in PolyU, which is adopting innovative green ideas in achieving the green initiatives and enhancing sustainability performance.