



Newsletter

➤ Best Paper Award

Venus Lun, K.H. Lai, Christina Wong, and Edwin Cheng have received the ICMEG Best Paper Award. The paper title was “Green Shipping Practices and Firm Performance”.



The award was conferred by the International Conference on Marine Environmental Governance (ICMEG) 2012. The conference was held at National Kaohsiung Marine University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, on 26-28 September 2012. Organizers of this conference were National Kaohsiung Marine University and Cardiff University.

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➤ **CILT Council Member**

Dr Venus Lun, Director of Shipping Research Centre, was elected to the Council of The Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport in Hong Kong (CILTHK) at the CILTHK Annual General Meeting 2012. She will serve on the CILTHK Council for two years from 2012 to 2014. CILTHK is the professional body for those engaged in various sectors of transport and logistics, including air, sea, and land transportation.



The Chartered Institute of Transport was formed in the United Kingdom in 1919 as the Institute of Transport and became a Chartered Institute in 1926. The Institute first set up the Hong Kong Branch in 1968 and it was upgraded to the Hong Kong Section in 1972. On 1 October 1991, the Hong Kong Section was upgraded to National Council status and renamed as the Chartered Institute of Transport in Hong Kong. The Institute was renamed as the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport in Hong Kong (CILTHK) in July 2001.

➤ **Delivery of a Talk at NKMU**

SRC members Dr Venus Lun and Dr Christina Wong were invited by National Kaohsiung Marine University (NKMU) to deliver a talk on 27 September 2012. The theme of this talk was “Academic Publishing”. In this talk, research topics in shipping and transport logistics were explored. Publishing requirements in the *International Journal of Shipping and Transport Logistics* were also discussed.



Speakers with Department Head of Department of Shipping and Transportation Management, faculty members and graduate students of NKMU

➤ Risk Management and Safety Seminar

The SRC has co-organized a seminar on reinforcing work safety in the province of Guangdong. The seminar was held on 22 September 2012 at Lecture Theatre TU107 of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. Other co-organizers of this seminar included The Chartered Institute of Logistics & Transport Hong Kong, Hong Kong Association of Risk Management and Safety, Institution of Occupational Safety and Health (Hong Kong), and Community & Construction Professionals' Development Centre.



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Speaking at the event was Mr Yu Shuxi, President of the Guangzhou Association of Work Safety Administration and Honorary Vice President of the Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (UK). The topics covered in this seminars included: (1) requirements and objectives of work safety, (2) implications and measures in relation to same person taking charge of production operations and work safety, (3) entities' responsibility for the administration of work safety, (4) guaranteeing work safety, and (5) strengthening the supervision of safe production.



Speaker and organizers of the seminar

➤ **Meet the Editors**

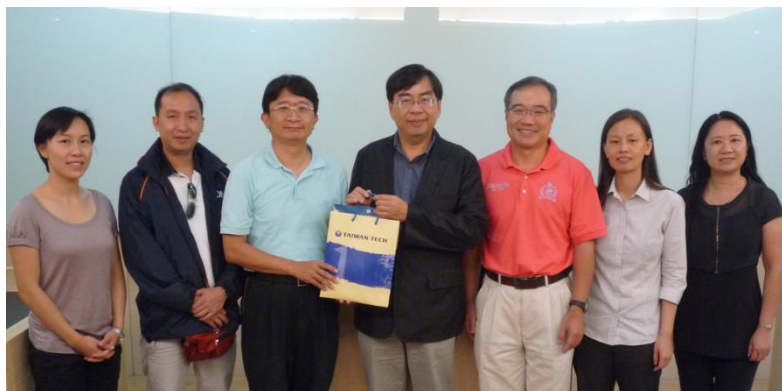
The 2012 International Association of Maritime Economists (IAME) Conference was held on 5-8 September 2012 in Taipei. A “Meet the Editors” Session was arranged on 8 September 2012. SRC members were invited to participate in the session to represent such scholarly journals as the *International Journal of Shipping and Transport Logistics*, *International Journal of Production Economics*, and *OMEGA*.



Editors of scholarly journals join the IAME “Meet the Editors” session

➤ **Visit Taiwan Tech**

SRC members Edwin Cheng, Mike Lai, Venus Lun, and Christina Wong have visited National Taiwan University of Science and Technology (Taiwan Tech) recently. SRC members and faculty members of Taiwan Tech explored research topics for collaboration.



SRC members with faculty members of Taiwan Tech