

# Junior Research Mentoring Programme

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| <b>Code:</b>                                      | JRMP2021_08   |
| <b>School / Department:</b>                       | Department of Chinese and Bilingual Studies   |
| <b>Name of Research Leader:</b>                   | Prof. Wang Shiyuan William, Chair Professor   |
| <b>Name of Team Member:</b>                       | Ms Suki Tse   |
| <b>Research Topic:</b>                            | Language & Dementia in Ageing   |
| <b>Short Description of the Research Project:</b> | Many changes occur when people get old. Changes in the brain cause decline in the ability to use language, in part due to problems with memory. This project will be directed to gathering data on elders in Hong Kong – their difficulties with language, including errors in speech and difficulties in remembering specific items or events. |
| <b>No. of Places Offered:</b>                     | 2   |

\* The information presented above is subject to change.