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CHINESE UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES NEW APPOINTMENTS

The Council of the Chinese University of Hong Kong announced two senior appointments:

prominent banker, Dr James Z.M. Kung, has been elected at a recent Council meeting as Vice-Chairman of the University's Council for a period of two years from January 19, 1994;

eminent academic, Prof. Yeung Yue-man, will become the new Head of the Shaw College from February 11, 1994. His tenure will be for four years.

Dr James Z. M. Kung, Chairman and Chief Manager of Chekiang First Bank, is active in a wide range of public and community services. He is the Honorary Consul of Luxembourg; member of the Industry & Technology Development Council; member of the Community Chest of Hong Kong Executive Committee and Hon. President of the Chinese Y.M.C.A.

Dr Kung has been member of the Chinese University's Chung Chi College Board of Trustees since 1976, and had chaired the board from 1986 to 1993. Since joining the University's Council in 1981, Dr Kung has made invaluable contribution to the University's developments.

Prof. Yeung Yue-man, joined the University as Professor of Geography in 1984. As the University's Registrar from 1986 to 1990, he played a pivotal role in the development of the University's curricula and new programmes.

Prof. Yeung is also well-known for his expertise in Asian Cities and for his numerous publications in this field. He is a member of many committees -- including the Hong Kong Housing Authority, the Hong Kong Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation, the Managing Board of the Kowloon-Canton Railway Corporation, the Hong Kong Town Planning Board and the Consultative Committee in the New Airport and Related Projects. The Guangzhou municipal government has also appointed Prof. Yeung as a member of its group of advisers for policy decisions.

Since the establishment of Shaw College in 1986, Prof. Yeung has been closely involved in many aspects of the College's development through his membership in the College Board of Trustees and various College committees.

Prof. C.N. Chen will complete in next month two consecutive terms as the Head of Shaw College. Under Prof. Chen's leadership in the past seven years, the new College has developed an excellent campus with facilities for students and educational services. Prof. Chen will continue to serve as Professor of Psychiatry in the Faculty of Medicine.

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Note to Editors:

Photos of Dr. Kung and Prof. Yeung will be sent via GIS press boxes.