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Academic Achievements of CUHK Alumni Gain Recognition

Two former chemistry majors of the Chinese University of Hong Kong recently won prestigious awards in Canada.

Dr. John Tse of the class of 1975, currently senior research scientist at the National Research Council of Canada, has been selected for the Noranda Award for outstanding contributions to physical chemistry. Recipients of the award are all Canadian scientists under the age of 40.

Prof. T.K. Sham of the class of 1971, now professor of chemistry at the University of Western Ontario (UWO), received from the UWO Faculty of Science the Florence Bucke Award in recognition of his outstanding research on solid state and surface chemistry and photoelectron spectroscopy. Prof. Sham was lecturer in the Department of Chemistry of Chinese University from 1985 to 1987.

Both Dr. Tse and Prof. Sham graduated with a B.Sc. in chemistry (first-class honours) from CUHK.

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