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Conference on Gender Studies in Chinese Societies

The Gender Role Research Programme of the Centre for Hong Kong Studies at The Chinese University of Hong Kong will organize an international conference on Gender Studies in Chinese Societies at the Cho Yiu Conference Hall in the University Administration Building on November 9 and 10, 1989.

The conference is organized in view of the significant changes in the social status of women and the complementary changes in gender roles in contemporary Chinese societies. Scholars from Mainland China, Taiwan, the United States, as well as Hong Kong who have special interest and expertise in women and gender studies have been invited to participate in the conference. Topics to be covered include theoretical issues and methodologies of gender studies, Chinese women's status in historical perspective, gender stereotypes, and gender issues in the areas of health, education, and career development. It is hoped that the conference will provide a forum for intellectual exchange on gender studies and promote this line of research in Chinese societies.

Lady Akers-Jones, Chief Commissioner of the Hong Kong Girl Guides Association, will officiate at the opening ceremony.

For further enquiries, please contact Ms Olivia Wan at 0-6952022.

Attachment: programme of the conference

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Dear Editors,

The opening ceremony of the conference will take place on Thursday, November 9 at 9:00 am at the Cho Yiu Conference Hall in the University Administration Building. Members of the press are cordially invited to cover the occasion.

Amy Leung  
Information Officer