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The Professor of Translation at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Professor David E Pollard, will deliver his Inaugural Lecture on Friday, March 1, 1991 at 5 pm in Lecture Theatre LT6 of the Lady Shaw Building at the University. Professor Pollard will speak on "Translation and Lu Xun: the discipline and the writer". Lu Xun's reputation as a 'literary giant' rests principally on his fiction and essays, but he was also an indefatigable translator; the lecture will deal with the distinctive notions that guided his work in this field. All are welcome.

Professor Pollard graduated from the University of Cambridge in Oriental Studies in 1961 and obtained his PhD from the University of London with a thesis on Chou Tso-jen in 1970. He has had extensive teaching experience at the University of London since 1962. He was Professor of Chinese and Head of Department of Far East until he took up the Chair appointment at The Chinese University in 1989.

An expert in Chinese Language and Literature, Professor Pollard has published numerous academic papers on Chinese grammar and contemporary Chinese Literature. He was President of the British Association of Chinese Studies from 1983 to 1985. Currently, he is co-editor of Renditions, an internationally renowned Chinese-English Translation Magazine published by the Research Centre for Translation of The Chinese University. He is also co-editing, with Dr Chan Sin-wai, an Encyclopaedic Dictionary of Translation, with special reference to translation between English and Chinese.

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Yours faithfully,

Clara Lee (Mrs)
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