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Dean of Faculty of Medicine

Professor Arthur K C Li has been elected Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of The Chinese University of Hong Kong for a term of three years with effect from today (July 1).

Prof Li yesterday noted that the faculty would go through an exciting period of further development in the next few years, adding that their slogan is "quality doctors for tomorrow's world."

The Chinese University's Faculty of Medicine is aiming at admitting up to 160 undergraduates a year in the next three years, should additional resources be forthcoming.

The faculty, he said, would have its first student intake for the new Pharmacy Department after the summer recess in September.

"With the establishment of the Colleges of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine, the faculty also expects to be actively involved in the provision of training to clinicians who aspire to become specialists in their respective areas of interests," he noted.

Prof Li said the construction of a cancer institute premises in the Prince of Wales Hospital would offer another focal point of future research at the University's teaching hospital.

"The project," he explained, "is planned to be completed within three years. The faculty's cancer research activities will then be better co-ordinated and promoted."

In addition to the Cancer Institute, an Institute of Occupational and Environmental Health for Hong Kong is also in the faculty's development scheme.

Meanwhile, the faculty will also be hosting a series of major international medical conferences in Hong Kong.

The Department of Physiology will be organizing a Symposium on Epididymis & Male Fertility at the end of this year.

The Department of Anatomical and Cellular Pathology of the faculty, for instance, has been selected to organise the 1994 world congress of the prestigious International Academy of Pathology.

Also in the pipeline are the Wilson T S Wang International Surgical Symposium by the Department of Surgery, the International Workshop on Therapeutic Endoscopy by the Departments of Surgery and Medicine, and the International Imaging Course by the Department of Diagnostic Radiology and Organ Imaging.

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Attachment: Photo of Professor Arthur K C Li