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52nd Congregation of CUHK

The Chinese University of Hong Kong will hold its 52nd Congregation at 3:00 pm on 12 December, 1996 (Thursday) in the University Mall. The Right Honourable Christopher Patten, Chancellor of the University and Governor of Hong Kong, will preside at the Congregation.

At the Congregation, the University will honour three distinguished personalities who have attained remarkable success in their own field. Sir Michael Atiyah, OM, FRS, a famous mathematician and Fields Medallist, will be conferred the degree of Doctor of Science, *honoris causa*. Dr Lee Hon-chiu, JP, leading entrepreneur and Chairman and Managing Director of Hysan Development Company Limited and the Honourable Rosanna Wong Yick-ming, CBE, JP, eminent social welfare administrator and Convenor of the Executive Council, will receive the degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*.

The total number of graduates is 3,655, of which 3,123 will receive their Bachelor degrees. 68 will be awarded degrees of Doctor of Philosophy, the greatest in number since the inception of the University. Among them are the first PhD in Music.

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