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Lady Youde visited The Chinese University of Hong Kong yesterday (June 13) and officiated at the Opening Ceremony of the Science Centre East Block which was held in the Sir Run Run Shaw Hall at 4 p.m.

The newly completed six-storey building is an extension to the Science Centre situated in the University's central campus. The total construction cost of the new block is close to HK\$15 million, with 11 million coming from the Government and 3.7 million from private donors. The latter sum was donated for the construction of the Chinese Medicinal Material Research Centre (CMMRC) housed on the second and third floors of the new building.

Yesterday's ceremony featured a word of welcome by the Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Ma Lin, and an address by Dr. H.M. Chang, the Director of the CMMRC who spoke on the development and activities of CMMRC. Lady Youde unveiled the commemorative plaque in the presence of over 350 guests, including Government officials, community leaders, benefactors of the CMMRC as well as the 100 participants of the International Symposium on the Chinese Medicinal Material Research, which is organized by the CMMRC and held in Hong Kong from June 12 to 14. After the ceremony, guests were given a conducted tour of the new building with special attention to the laboratories and museum of the CMMRC located on the second and third floors.

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Attachment: Texts of Speech at the Opening Ceremony and  
Information Sheet on the Science Centre East Block

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