梁天琦 Edward Leung Tin-kei

Hong Kong student and activist. He was arrested in the 2016 Mong Kok civil unrest. He ran in the 2016 New Territories East by-election in the New Territories East and received more than 66,000 votes, around 15% of the votes. Five months later, he was barred from running in the 2016 Hong Kong Legislative Council election due to his pro-Hong Kong independence stance. The slogan "Liberate Hong Kong, the revolution of our times" was first used by Edward while he was running for 2016 Hong Kong Legislative Council election. He is currently serving a 6-year sentence.



Dear Hong Kongers,

I hope this letter has not arrived too late.

This has been a muggy and long summer. Every night on the weekend, I would put on my headphones to listen to the news broadcast on the radio, worrying about the situation in Hong Kong. The next morning, I would watch the morning news on TV. By around noon, I would read the newspaper. Over and over, as I looked at the blood-stained scenes, my heart would be filled with sorrow and pain.