Conference Venue:

<u>CPD-3.28, Central Podium Levels – Three (CPD-3, The Jockey Club Tower), Centennial Campus, HKU (google map)</u>.

Recommended Hotels:

There are a number of accommodation options close to the HKU campus, including international chains and local brands. The following two hotels are within walking distance to HKU campus.

- Courtyard by Marriott Hong Kong (google map)
- Hotel Jen Hong Kong (google map)

How to get to HKU workshop venue from hotel:

- Courtyard by Marriott Hong Kong: The most efficient walking path is to get into the HKU MTR station (from exit B1 to A2), walk underground, and take the elevator up to the campus. The walk from the hotel to HKU MTR station takes about 5 minutes, and the walk from HKU station to the Jockey Club Tower takes another 8-10 minutes. OR a taxi ride for about 5 mins at a cost of approximately HKD40.
- Hotel Jen Hong Kong: The most efficient walking path is to get into the HKU MTR station (from exit B2 to A2), walk underground, and take the elevator up to the campus. The walk from the hotel to HKU MTR station takes about 1 minute, and the walk from HKU station to the Jockey Club Tower takes another 8-10 minutes.

How to get to HKU From the Hong Kong International Airport

By Taxi

A direct taxi ride to the HKU main campus would take about 40 mins at a cost of approximately HKD400 (Via Western Harbour Tunnel). Note that taxis in HK have different colors with different operating islands, and in order to come to HKU campus, one should pick the line for "Hong Kong island" and take a RED taxi. Moreover, taxis in HK only take HKD cash. One can take Uber if cash is not available.

By Airport Express

Take the Airport Express from the Airport to Hong Kong Station (one-way fare HKD115). On exiting the train, on the same floor, there are multiple taxi stands. A taxi ride to the HKU main campus would take about 20 mins at a cost of approximately HKD80.

Participants and guests may also walk to Central Station (about 10 mins) from Hong Kong Station, and take the MTR Island Line to HKU station.

Please refer to the following links for details.

Airport Express:

https://www.hongkongairport.com/en/transport/to-from-airport/airport-express.page

MTR:

http://www.mtr.com.hk/

MTR route map:

http://www.mtr.com.hk/archive/en/services/routemap.pdf

How to get to HKU From the Hong Kong West Kowloon Station

By Taxi

Take taxi at taxi stand on B2 level. A direct taxi ride to the HKU main campus would take about 20 mins at a cost of approximately HKD200 (Via Western Harbour Tunnel). Note that taxis in HK have different colors with different operating islands, and in order to come to HKU campus, one should pick the line for "Hong Kong island" and take a RED taxi. Moreover, taxis in HK only take HKD cash. One can take Uber if cash is not available.

By MTR

Transit to MTR Kowloon Station via the overhead bridge on Exit M and take the Tung Chung Line to Hong Kong Station. On exiting the train, take the escalator to L2 Floor, there are multiple taxi stands. A taxi ride to the HKU main campus would take about 20 mins at a cost of approximately HKD60.

Participants and guests may also walk to Central Station (about 10 mins) from Hong Kong Station, and take the MTR Island Line to HKU station.

Please refer to the following links for details.

High Speed Rail:

https://www.highspeed.mtr.com.hk/en/guide/local-guides.html

MTR:

http://www.mtr.com.hk/

MTR route map:

http://www.mtr.com.hk/archive/en/services/routemap.pdf

How to get to the hotel From the airport or train station

The two hotels (Marriott and Jen) are located near HKU. The information above to get to HKU campus still applies to the situation to get to the hotel.

By Taxi

A direct taxi journey to the Courtyard Marriott will take approximately 40 minutes and cost around HKD400, utilizing the Western Harbour Tunnel route. It is important to note that taxis in Hong Kong are color-coded based on their operating areas. To reach the hotel, situated on "Hong Kong Island,"

please ensure you select the "Hong Kong Island" taxi line and board a red taxi. Additionally, please be aware that taxis in Hong Kong accept only HKD cash. If cash is not readily available, you may consider using Uber as an alternative option.

