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Dear Principal/Careers Master/English and Liberal Studies Panel Chairs,

**Admissions Talk on Studying in the UK and University of Cambridge 2017/18  
and WYNG Philomathia Student Essay Contest 2016/17  
Certificate Presentation Ceremony**

This year marks the fourth year of collaboration with WYNG Foundation, The Friends of Cambridge University in Hong Kong and Philomathia Foundation in providing students, parents and teachers crucial information for applying to the University of Cambridge. To accommodate the great interest shown towards this talk and with the venue support from Education Bureau, the captioned event has been scheduled for 12 September, 2017 (Tuesday). Details are attached in Appendix 1.

Dr Andrew Murray, Admissions Tutor for Sciences at Trinity Hall, University of Cambridge, will give a presentation on admission information and procedures to the university. Dr Dominic Chan of the Friends of Cambridge University in Hong Kong will be providing information on the Prince Philip Scholarship—financial support for eligible undergraduates at the University of Cambridge. Dr Murray's biography and a brief introduction of the Scholarship can be found in Appendix 2.

The Certificate Presentation Ceremony for the WYNG Philomathia Student Essay Contest 2016/17 will be held after the admissions talk. This year over 120 entries were received. Six winners were selected and were awarded a free, weeklong tour to Cambridge and London from 4 to 11 July, providing them a taste of life at Cambridge. These students will be sharing their experiences and inspiring stories at the event, and will no doubt be good motivators for your students to participate in the coming cycle of the essay contest. Certificates for all other participating students of the writing contest will also be disseminated in the talk.

All presentations and Q&A sessions will be conducted in English, but consultations can be provided in Cantonese after the talk. All attendees will be given a printed version of the winning essays as a token of appreciation for their participation. As seats are limited, each member school can register up to 10 students and a careers advisor for the talk. Parents are also welcome and their registration can be made through the same channel through school. Places are allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. Please reply by filling out the application via <https://goo.gl/e71SF8> by 10 September 2017. Should you have any queries, feel free to contact Ms. Leung at 2671 1722.



Yours faithfully,  
*June Ho*  
Executive Committee Member

**\*\*如有興趣的同學，請於明天(5/9)第一小息或之前向黃嘉慧老師報名。**

## Appendix 1

### **Admissions Talk on Studying in the UK and University of Cambridge 2017/18 and WYNG Philomathia Student Essay Contest 2016/17 Certificate Presentation Ceremony**

**Date:** 12 September 2017 (Tuesday)

**Time:** 1600-1800 (Registration starts at 1545)

**Venue:** Rm W301, West Block, Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong.

#### **RUNDOWN**

<b>TIME</b>	<b>ITEM</b>
1545-1600	Registration
1600-1605	Opening remarks by Joseph Chi-to Tsang, Chairman of the Hong Kong Association of Careers Masters and Guidance Masters
1605-1650	Admissions Talk and Q&A by Dr Andrew Murray, Admissions Tutor for Sciences, Trinity Hall, the University of Cambridge
1650-1715	Presentation on the Prince Philip Scholarship and Q&A by Dr Dominic Chan of the Friends of Cambridge University in Hong Kong
1715-1800	- Presentations by winning students - Presentation of certificates to finalists - Group photo-taking
1800	End of event

## Appendix 2



### **About Dr. Andrew Murray**

I studied Biochemistry at Oxford and am now a Director of Studies in Natural Sciences at Trinity Hall. I am also a Senior Lecturer in the Department of Physiology, Development and Neuroscience, and my research is concerned with the response of the body to low oxygen levels in diseases and at high altitude. I grew up in Newport, South Wales and was the first member of my family to attend university. For me, the experience of studying a subject that I love in a world-class institution was indescribably fulfilling, and might explain why I am still doing it today! I am committed to encouraging bright, passionate, young students to apply to Cambridge, regardless of their background, so that they too can have the life-changing experiences that I have enjoyed.

### **About the Prince Philip Scholarship**

Founded in 1981 by Sir Dr David Li, the Friends of Cambridge University in Hong Kong raised funds for the Prince Philip Scholarship and has since been managing the fund. Since 1982, the fund has been supporting numerous promising students from Hong Kong to study at the University of Cambridge. The Prince Philip Scholarship includes a non-means tested cash award and one Hong Kong-London economy class return air ticket. Scholars may also claim, where necessary, the full costs of tuition and subsistence.