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Chong Yuet Ming Cultural Centre

CYMCC FUN DAY

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Foreword

Dear Students and Colleagues,

Welcome to the Fun Day of the Chong Yuet Ming Cultural Centre (CYMCC)!

The Centre had its soft launch in July 2016 with the aim to provide an enabling platform for arts and cultural events within the campus. Over 120 events have been held here. These included arts performances, cultural talks, film screening, conferences and seminars. Student societies, Departments and Faculties and community organisers have contributed more than 1200 hours in nurturing the arts and cultural environment within the campus.

We have also launched the Student Theatrical Technician programme and Cultural Management trainee programme to encourage students to participate in various kinds of arts and cultural activities.

On this Fun Day, we hope you will enjoy this opportunity to know more about CYMCC through a guided tour of our performing venues and appreciate the promotion of arts and cultural activities by our student performers.



Dr. Eugenie Leung
Dean Of Student Affairs

About Us

The Chong Yuet Ming Cultural Centre (CYMCC) was established in 2016 with the aim to provide an enabling platform for arts and cultural events in the campus.

CYMCC managed by CEDARS, houses an auditorium, a studio and an exhibition gallery. It is located at 3/F to 5/F above the Chong Yuet Ming Amenities Centre on the Main Campus.

We have a professional team responsible for venue management and booking. Apart from being a venue provider, CYMCC has launched a number of student-based programmes:

- Student Theatrical Technician Programme
- Cultural Management Trainee Programme
- Workshops on Arts and Culture
- Lunchtime busking and mini concerts

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The Journey

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Yuet Ming Auditorium

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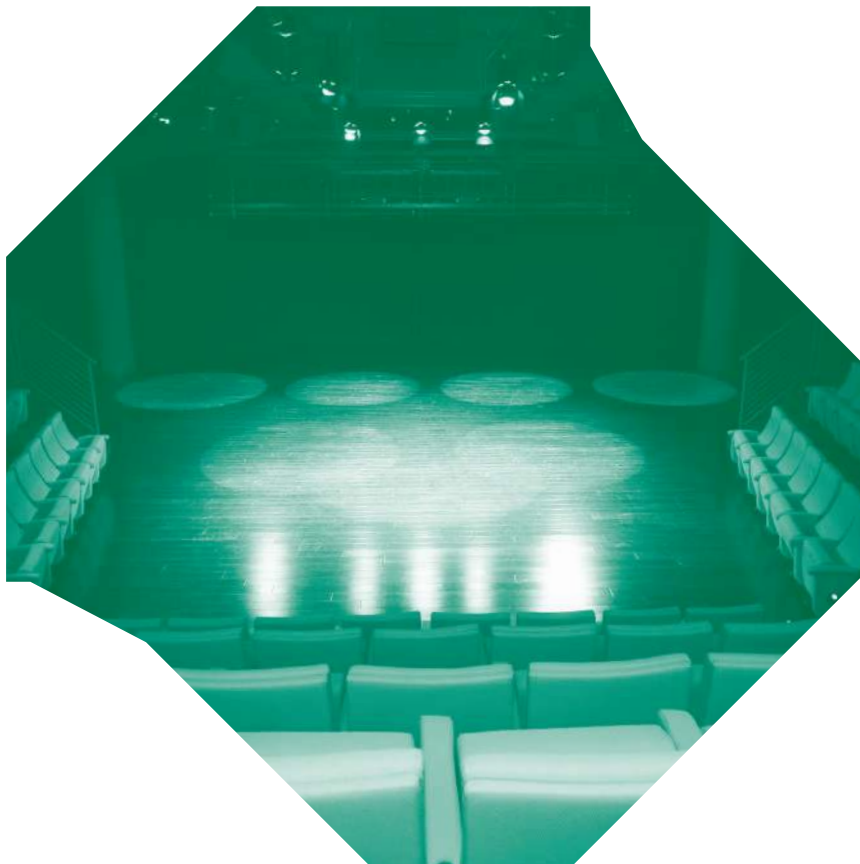
Yuet Ming Auditorium is located at 5/F of CYMCC. It provides a good quality facility for the art and cultural performances in the University of Hong Kong. The Yuet Ming Auditorium is the most modern and well-equipped proscenium theatre with a capacity of 400 seats. Basic furnishings are provided. The place can be used for cultural performances, drama productions and various kinds of functions.



Studio 303

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Studio 303 is located at 3/F of CYMCC. It is primarily for performance-based activities, and for students' cultural development programme. It is equipped with basic furnishings including an auditorium for 148 people, a scenery construction workshop and dressing rooms. This is an ideal performing venue for experimental performances in variety art forms, such as drama, dance, musical performance and theatrical workshop.



Other Facilities

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Exhibition Area

Exhibition Area is located at 5/F of CYMCC. It is an ideal place for student artwork display, posters and publicity presentation. Booking of this venue usually goes with the booking of Yuet Ming Auditorium. The Exhibition Area can be booked separately.



Busking Area

To encourage students' cultural development, a busking area is available on 4/F of CYMCC, near the canteen, for lunchtime concerts from 12:45 to 14:00 (Mon-Fri) for use by student societies and groups. Student societies and groups are welcome to present activities such as band show, dance battle or orchestral performance during lunch time. Booking is free of charge. Please contact CYMCC for details.



Room 302

Room 302 is a multi-function room, which is suitable for rehearsal, gathering, meeting and other function. Student societies or departments can use the room as part of their booking of CYMCC performing venues (charges may apply) or other booking can be made online at Chong Yuet Ming Amenities Centre website within 1 month (free of charge).



General Office cum Student Common Room

General Office cum Student Common Room is located at 4/F of CYMCC. It comprises a common area and a library which contains reference books related to theatrical production. It provides a cosy environment and a co-working space for students to interact with CYMCC staff and other professionals, to develop their production ideas. This is also an ideal place for mini workshops and technical meetings.

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Student Performing Groups

Chinese Orchestra, HKUSU

The Chinese Orchestra (CO), HKUSU was founded in 2013 under the baton of the founding conductor Mr. Szeto Kin to promote Chinese music among students of the University of Hong Kong and the public. Over the years, CO has been performing in various occasions, including mini concerts, annual performances, etc. In light of the increasing fusion of cultures, CO hopes to attract more participants by trying different genres of music in the coming future.



Christian Choir, HKUSU

The Christian Choir, HKUSU was established in 2006 by a few students at the University of Hong Kong and Mr. Gary Tong. The choir has now 40 active members, and has been developing itself as a training and performing platform for devoted Christian students at the University of Hong Kong. The choir also aims at spreading the Gospel and core values of Christianity within the University and to the community by a variety of outreach performances.



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Kong U Big Band

Established in 2014, Kong U Big Band is the first big band based in The University in Hong Kong. The band has performed in a variety of events, including HKU's high table dinners, street shows, and held a successful joint concert with Hong Kong Doujin Philharmonia in Tsuen Wan Town Hall last year. As the band seeks to expand, it is actively looking for new members. It welcomes anybody with a passion in jazz music to join them in this musical endeavour.

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Medici Cantano

Medici Cantano is an A Cappella group formed by HKU medical students first established in 2013. It aims to provide a platform for students to share their passion in music together and to spread their love for music by taking part in various performances, while at the same time, serve charitable purposes. Recent performances include the Gala Dinner for Western Pacific Regional Conference 2017 organized by Medical Women's International Association (MWIA) and the opening ceremony of Queen Mary Hospital's 80th anniversary.

RITMO

RITMO is a Korean dance team composed of students at HKU, performing K-Pop, Girls Hip Hop, and Urban dance. RITMO holds annual showcase every April, and has performed on various events outside of HKU as well, including music festivals at Korean International School and the Chinese University of Hong Kong.



Union Philharmonic Orchestra, HKUSU

The Union Philharmonic Orchestra (UPO), HKUSU was founded in 1999 by a group of devoted students of the University of Hong Kong. The Orchestra aims at developing student's interest in western music and strives to develop an atmosphere of music appreciation within the University and throughout the community. The Orchestra prides itself on being solely formed by HKU alumni, staff and students. It organises a Spring Concert in April and the Annual Performance in November as yearly tradition.

Student Programmes 14

Student Theatrical Technician Programme

Student Theatrical Technician Programme provides opportunities for students to learn the stage lighting principles and use of audio-visual equipment in theatre. Students are required to complete a series of induction course, practical training and pass the safety examination to be qualified as CYMCC part-time student technicians. This will enable them to gain hands-on experiences during performances held in the Centre and in other performing venues within the university.

Cultural Management Trainee Programme

Cultural Management Trainee Programme is for fresh graduates who are interested in working in the arts and cultural industry. The trainee will liaise with users on production details, assist in running Yuet Ming Auditorium and Studio 303, handle the publicity of CYMCC. Upon completion of the programme, the trainee should have acquired the necessary skills to take up other job opportunities in the creative industry.

Speical Thanks

- Learning Environment Services, ITS, HKU
- Campus TV, HKUSU
- Chinese Orchestra, HKUSU
- Christian Choir, HKUSU
- Kong U Big Band
- Medici Cantano
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- Union Philharmonic Orchestra, HKUSU
- Student technicians
- Student hosts

