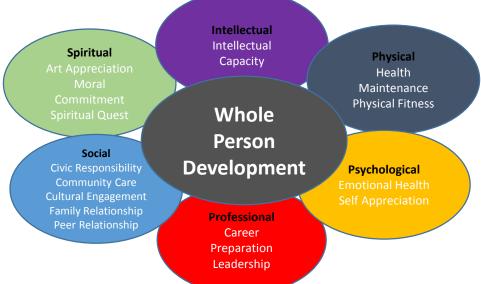




Seminar on Whole Person Development and Non-formal Learning

Background:

Inspired by the findings of the research project, and the subsequent Whole Person Development Inventory (WPDI) norm study for 7 UGC universities conducted in March 2015, EdU has embarked on proactive efforts to promote whole person development (WPD) for our students and non-formal learning as complement for the formal curriculum. The SAO of EdU has also cooperated with Office of Student Affairs of HKBU to launch the WPDI assessment for all new students since 2015. It is encouraging that such initiatives have got positive responses in our University and WPD is now incorporated into EdU's new Strategic Plan for 2016-2025. Despite this favourable development, what is WPD and how it is promoted and measured? This seminar therefore serves to share with staff and students the concepts, assessment tool and experiences for WPD, as well as the findings of EdU's WPDI Institute Report 2016 to enlighten EdU staffs and students for a fuller understanding on WPD.



Content

- Introduction to Whole Person Development and Non-formal Learning
- Assessment Tool for Whole Person Development: the WPDI
- WPDI Scores for EdU's New Students 2016 and their Implications
- Student Sharing on Non-formal Learning Experiences and their relevance to Personal Development

- Q & A

Date: 9 March 2017 (Thurs)
Time: 11:30 to 13:20

Target Audience: Staff and students of EdU

Enrollment: https://uslinux.ied.edu.hk/enroll/course1.php3?groupid=SAOLD

Deadline of Enrollment: 09 March 2017 (09:00am)

Enquiry: Mr. Jacky Liu (Tel: 29486236)

Remarks: 2 activity hours will be counted under the category of Personal Effectiveness of ELAT for students who attend this seminar.



Guest Speaker:

Professor Petrus Ng

(Professor Ng is the Head and Professor of Department of Social Work in Hong Kong Baptist University and the lead researcher for HKBU's Research Project on Whole Person Development Assessment of University Students in 2013)

Other EdU speakers will include Mr K M Chan and Dr Maureen Chan from SAO and student representatives - Wang Penjing and Chan Pui-yee. The Seminar will be moderated by Dr Yu Kar-ming, Dean of Students.