

DIALOGUE WITH DR. JANE GOODALL

Symposium on human dimension on wildlife conservation and education for sustainability

從人類層面看野生生物保護和可持續發展教育研討會

Wildlife conservation is one of the major foci in maintaining environmental sustainability. However, the effort is not only limited to the conservation measures applied in the countryside or rural areas. As a cosmopolitan city and international hub, Hong Kong plays a role in depleting natural resources worldwide. The aim of this symposium is to explore how wildlife conservation could be achieved through four aspects in the human dimension — education, community engagement, green finance and ecotourism. Through the talk by the internationally renowned conservationist Dr. Jane Goodall and cases shared by local experts, participants of the symposium would be enlightened on how we humans could contribute to wildlife conservation in a highly urbanised city.

野生動物保護是維持環境可持續性的主要重點之一，但並不只限於在野外或鄉郊地區採取的保育措施。作為一個國際大都會，香港在消耗全球自然資源方面扮演著一定的角色。是次研討會目的在於探索人類如何通過教育、社區參與、綠色金融和生態旅遊這四方面去實踐野生動物保護。通過國際知名環保主義者珍古德博士的演說及本地學者在研討會上的分享，可使參加者更了解人類如何在高度城市化的都市中為野生動物保護做出貢獻。

Date: 10 Nov 2018 (Saturday)

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Location: D1-LP-04, The Education University of Hong Kong

Programme Overview:

13:30 – 14:00	Registration		Hong Kong Biodiversity Festival 2018 Promotional Vehicle (Central Plaza, C-P)
14:00 – 14:40	Grand Opening Guest of Honours: Prof. Woo Chi-keung, Acting Dean of FLASS, The Education University of Hong Kong Mr. Simon Chan, Assistant Director of Conservation of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department Dr. Yau Wing-kwong, CEO, Tai Po Environmental Association Mr. Ericson Chan, Chairman of Jane Goodall Institute Hong Kong Keynote Address: Gombe and Beyond Keynote Speaker: Dr. Jane Goodall, DBE, United Nations Messenger of Peace Location: D1-LP-04		
14:40 – 14:45	Break		
14:45 – 15:45	Symposium 1 Creative Community Engagement for a Sustainable Future Convener: Mr. Willy Kwong Location: D1-LP-04	Symposium 2 Unleashing the Energy for Environment Betterment through Education Convener: Dr. Frank Cheang Chi-chiu Location: D1-LP-06	
15:45 – 16:00	Tea Break		
16:00 – 17:00	Symposium 3 Investing in a sustainable future Convener: Ms. Ng Tze-wei Location: D1-LP-06	Symposium 4 Visiting the home of wildlife: Ecotourism Convener: Dr. Lewis Cheung Ting-on Location: D1-LP-04	



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Programme Details 日程內容:

Keynote Address - Gombe and Beyond

English



Dr. Jane Goodall, DBE,
United Nations Messenger
of Peace

November 60 years ago, a 26-year-old girl from England hid among the robust leaves in the lush rainforest of Gombe, Tanzania, and saw something no one else had previously recorded. A chimpanzee she named David Greybeard was a long stalks of grass to eat ants out of a mound. This woman was Jane Goodall.

“At that time, it was thought that humans, and only humans, used and made tools. I had been told from school onwards that the best definition of a human being was man the tool-maker, yet i had just watched a chimp tool-marker in action. I remember that day as vividly as if it was yesterday” - Dr. Jane Goodall

Dr. Jane Goodall changed our perceptions of primates, people and the connection between the two. And over the past 60 years, Goodall herself has also evolved from steadfast scientist to passionate conservationist and humanitarian, urging each of us to take action on behalf of all living things and planet we share.

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Symposium 1 - Creative Community Engagement for a Sustainable Future

English

Convener: Mr. Willy Kwong *CEO, Janes Goodall Institute Hong Kong*

Location: D1-LP-04

Titles & Presenters:

- Case studies on Creative Engagement in pursuing a sustainable futures

Mr. Willy Kwong *CEO, Janes Goodall Institute Hong Kong*

- Partnering with local communities for the cleaner seas

Mr. Patrick Yeung *Project Manager, Oceans Conservation, WWF-Hong Kong*

- Promoting River Conservation to Local Community

Dr. Cheng Luk-ki *Director, Green Power*

Symposium 2 - Unleashing the Energy for Environment Betterment through Education

English

Convener: Dr. Cheang Chi-chiu *Assistant Professor, Department of Science and Environmental Studies, The Education University of Hong Kong*

Location: D1-LP-06

Titles & Presenters:

- Understanding the wetland biodiversity and conservation - professional development of teachers in Hong Kong Wetland Park

Dr. Frank Cheang Chi-chiu *Assistant Professor, Department of Science and Environmental Studies, The Education University of Hong Kong*

- Fostering environmentally sustainable attitudes and behaviour of college students through hands-on “Adopt a Baby Coral” project

Dr. Apple Chui Pui-yi *Lecturer, School of Life Sciences, The Chinese University of Hong Kong*

- Li Po Chun United World College Hong Kong Coral Monitoring Service

Anders Solberg and Christie Lai *Students, Li Po Chun United World College*

Time: 16:00 – 17:00

Symposium 3 - Investing in a sustainable future

English

Convener: Ms. Ng Tze-wei *Advocacy & Engagement, Sustainable Finance Initiative*

Location: D1-LP-06

Titles & Presenters: Investing in a sustainable future

- **Mr. Gavin Edwards** *Conservation Director, WWF-Hong Kong*

- **Mr. Jean-Marc Champagne** *Head of Environmental Finance, WWF-Hong Kong*

- **Ms. Leonie Kelly** *Project Director, Sustainable Finance Initiative*

Symposium 4 - Visiting the home of wildlife: Ecotourism

English

Convener: Dr. Lewis Cheung Ting-on *Associate Professor, Department of Social Science, The Education University of Hong Kong*

Location: D1-LP-04

Titles & Presenters:

- Recreational specialization and ecologically responsible behavior of Chinese birdwatchers in Hong Kong

Dr. Lincoln Fok *Associate Professor, Department of Science and Environmental Studies, The Education University of Hong Kong*

- Post-earthquake re-construction of ecotourism for the Wolong National Nature Reserve – Home for Giant Panda

Dr. Lewis Cheung Ting-on *Associate Professor, Department of Social Science, The Education University of Hong Kong*