

<u>Department of Social Sciences and Policy Studies</u> <u>Regular Seminar Series 2023/24</u>



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Assistant Professor

Presentation Topic:

Which types of family caregivers are more prone to developing depression? A three-level approach to building family resilience and reducing caregiver depression (Supported by Dean's Research Fund, FLASS)

Abstract:

This study investigates the effect of our proposed three-level intervention on building family resilience and reducing caregiver depression. The three-level intervention included (1) individual-, (2) family-, and (3) community-level support. We recruit family caregivers into our intervention study and ask them to complete the Beck Depression Inventory-II, Family Resilience Assessment Scale, and a demographic characteristics questionnaire before and after the intervention. We expect that the intervention has a positive effect on enhancing family resilience and reducing caregiver depression.

DR CHAN KIT WA ANITA

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Presentation Topic:

Making children's perspectives count: A critical reflection on researching Chinese adopted children (supported by Emerging Impact Case Fund, SSC)

Abstract:

Adopted of Children, The Lifeworld https://issuu.com/adoption_picturebook, is the first bilingual picture book utilising interview transcripts with 13 Chinese adopted children. In this presentation, I will critically reflect on the research journey, focusing on challenges in designing, conducting, and presenting a qualitative research project on Chinese adopted children in Hong Kong. Specially I will share why and how the study has departed from the tradition of ethic<u>al</u> adoption studies, some dilemmas and methodological challenges when accessing and interviewing young Chinese adoptees, the complexity of translating and representing children's narratives in the local context.

Date:

15 December 2023 (Fri) Time: 12:30 - 13:30

Venue:

D4-LP-03 or Zoom

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