

Calendar of Events for April 97

21 March 97 - 20 May 97

Library Exhibition

TITLE: Recent Works by Jerzy Lesko
TIME: Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 11:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 7:00 pm
Sunday 1:00 pm - 9:00 pm
VENUE: University Library Gallery
ORGANISER: Library
INFO: Ms Alice Ho, Tel: 2358-6707

22 Mar 97 - 11 Apr 97

WebWise<>ArtsSites - Multimedia Arts from Germany and Britain
TIME: 1-5pm (Mon-Fri), 10am-6pm (Sat, Sun & Public
Holidays)
VENUE: University Exposition Hall
ORGANISER: A joint presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts,
the Goethe-Institut Hong Kong, the British Council and
the Transmedia/VideoFest Berlin
INFO: 2358 6149 (HKUST), 2802 0088 (Goethe-Insitut)
OTHER PARTICULARS: Opening Reception: 21 Mar 96(Fri) at 6pm
University Exposition Hall, Art Talk: 22 Mar 97(Sat) at
2:30pm University Exposition Hall

1 April 97 (Tuesday)

(1) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Resonant Quantum Tunneling of Magnetization in
Molecular Magnets -- Mn₁₂-Acetate
SPEAKER: Dr Xixiang Zhang, Department de Fisica Fonamental,
University de Barcelona
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Room 4480 (Lifts 25-26)
ORGANISER: Dept of Physics
INFO: Helen Chan, x-7502
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(2) Seminar on Pure Mathematics

TITLE: Zeros finding and complex dynamics
SPEAKER: Professor Cheng-Ming Lee, University of Wisconsin,
Milwaukee
TIME: 4:30 - 5:30 pm

VENUE: Rm 4483 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

2 April 97 (Wednesday)

(1) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Equilibrium vs Non-Equilibrium Surface Diffusion
Measurements
SPEAKER: Prof Michael C Tringides, Department of Physics &
Ames Laboratory, Iowa State University
TIME: 10:00 - 11:00 am
VENUE: Rm 2404 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(2) Joint Statistics Seminar

TITLE: Option Pricing under Conditionally Fat-Tailed
Distributions with an Analysis of Volatility Smile
SPEAKER: Dr. Jin-Chuan Duan
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 5564 (Lift 27-28)
ORGANISER: Dept of Information & Systems Mangement (MO)
INFO: Mianna Cheung, Tel: 2358-7733

(3) Lecture Series on Carbohydrates and Biotechnology

TITLE: Synthesis of Oligosaccharides: Problems and Solutions
SPEAKER: Professor J.J. Krpinsky, Visiting Professor, Department
of Chemistry, HKUST and Professor, Department of
Medical Genetics and Microbiology, Acting Director,
Molecular Medicine Research Centre, University of
Toronto, Canada
TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 pm
VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358 7390

3 April 97 (Thursday)

(1) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Disorder, Electron-Electron Interactions, and the Cooper
Channel
SPEAKER: Dr Wenhao Wu, Department of Physics and Astronomy,
Michigan State University
TIME: 10:30 - 11:30 am
VENUE: Rm 3308 (Lift 17-18)

ORGANISER: Dept of Physics
INFO: Helen Chan, Tel: 2358-7502
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(2) Social Science Seminar

TITLE: Amahs, In-laws, and Infants: A Study of Working
Couples and their Domestic Helpers in Hong Kong
SPEAKER: Dr Julian M Groves
TIME: 1:00 - 2:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lift 13-15)
ORGANISER: Division of Social Science
INFO: Carol Chan, Tel: 2358-7812

(3) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Semiconductor Microcavity Part 1
SPEAKER: Prof Hou Zhi Zheng, Institute of Semiconductors,
Chinese Academy of Sciences
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3308 (Lifts 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(4) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: Linear-Scaling Quantum Mechanical Method and
Applications: Macromolecules in Solution
SPEAKER: Dr. Weitao Yang
TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 2302 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358-7390

(5) Ping Chong's Experience in Experimental Multimedia Theater in the US

TIME: 6 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theater E
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts,
Supported by a grant from the Office of the Vice-
President for the Academic Affairs
LANGUAGE: The program will be conducted in English and Cantonese.
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

(6) Screening Program on Pina Bausch

TITLE: Bluebird (108 mins)
TIME: 7:30pm
VENUE: Lee Wing Tat Lecture Theater (LTD)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts
Supported by a grant from VPAAO
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

- (7) Edward Lam Talkshow
TIME: 8 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theater E
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts,
Supported by a grant from the Office of the Vice-
President for the Academic Affairs
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

4 April 97 (Friday)

- (1) Marketing Seminar
TITLE: Competing Coupon Promotions -- A Zero-Sum Game?
SPEAKER: Dr Jeongwen Chiang
TIME: 12:00 - 1:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 4379 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Marketing
INFO: Terry Law, Tel: 2358-7700
- (2) *Physics Seminar
TITLE: Semiconductor Microcavity Part 2
SPEAKER: Prof Hou Zhi Zheng, Institute of Semiconductors,
Chinese Academy of Sciences
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 2304 (Lifts 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions
- (3) Computer Science Seminar
TOPIC: "New Development of Object Recognition"
SPEAKER: Prof. Patrick Wang, IAPR-Fellow & Professor of
Computer Science, Northeastern University, U.S.A.
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3301 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science
INFO: Lily Chan, Tel: 2358 7008
- (4) Seminar on Pure Mathematics
TITLE: Meromorphic Solutions of Complex Differential
Equations
SPEAKER: Prof. Xin-hou Hua, Nanjing University, China
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4483 (Lifts 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

6 April 97 (Sunday)

HKUST/RTHK Radio Program 'UST Technology File' (Re-run)

TITLE: Neurodegenerative Diseases
SPEAKER: Dr Nancy Ip, Dept of Biology
TIME: 8:00 - 8:30 pm
CHANNEL: RTHK Channel 2 (FM 94.8-96.9)
ORGANISER: Office of Public Affairs, RTHK
LANGUAGE: Cantonese
INFO: Dr Steven Kong, 2358-6303

7 April 97 (Monday)

(1) Humanities Seminar

TITLE: Paintings of the Four Famous Views by Xie Shi-chen and the Vogue of Travel in the Sixteenth Century
SPEAKER: Flora Li-tsui Fu, Associate Professor, Taiwan Central University
TIME: 2:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lift 13-15)
ORGANISER: Division of Humanities
INFO: Teresa, Tel: 2358-7800

(2) Computer Seminar

TITLE: "Symbolic Model Checking for Large Software Requirements"
SPEAKER: William Chan, Department of Computer Science, University of Washington, U.S.A.
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theatre E
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science
INFO: Lily, Tel: 2358 7008

(3) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Physics of Nanostructures in Information Technology
SPEAKER: Prof K Venkat Rao, Department of Condensed Matter Physics, The Royal Institute of Technology
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 1401 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(4) Seminar in Applied Mathematics

TITLE: Recent work of liquid drops
SPEAKER: Prof. Harvey Segur, University of Colorado, Boulder & HKUST
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4483 (Lift 25-26)

ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(5) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: "Pulsed Field Gradient NMR of Polymers in Aqueous and Carbon Dioxide Systems"
SPEAKER: Dr. Kewei Zhang, Department of Chemistry, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, U.S.A.
TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358-7390

(6) "Century of Cinema" Screening Program

TITLE: The Cinema on the Road
DIRECTOR: Jang Sun-Woo (Korea)
TIME: 7:30 pm
VENUE: Lam Woo Lecture Theater(LTB)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts
Supported by a grant from VPAAO
LANGUAGE: English, no subtitles
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

8 April 97 (Tuesday)

East Meets West Concert Series:

TITLE: Voices and Piano:
Zhang Hao (mezzo-soprano)
Lam Ho Chi (baryton)
Ariele Dumazet (piano)
TIME: 1:00pm
VENUE: University Exposition Hall
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts,
Supported by a grant from the Office of the Vice-
President for the Academic Affairs
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

9 April 97 (Wednesday)

(1) Humanities Seminar

TITLE: Reflections on Lu Xun's "Yecao"
SPEAKER: Professor Susanne Welgeln-Schwiedrzik, Head, Institute of Chinese Studies, University of Heidelberg
TIME: 10:30 am
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lifts 13-15)
ORGANISER: Division of Humanities
LANGUAGE: English and Putonghua

INFO: Teresa, Tel: 2358-7800

(2) Joint AEMF & MECH Seminar

TITLE: Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy for In Situ Characterization of Metallic Basis Materials in Various Environments

SPEAKER: Prof Chang-Jian Lin, Professor of Xiamen University, Visiting Scholar at HKUST

TIME: 2:00 - 5:00 pm

VENUE: Rm 4480 (Lift 25-26)

ORGANISER: Advanced Engineering Materials Facility & Mechanical Engineering Department

INFO: Grace Tsang, Tel: 2358-8671

(3) Lecture Series on Carbohydrates and Biotechnology

TITLE: Glycosidic Bond Formation in Oligosaccharide Synthesis: Fiction and Facts

SPEAKER: Professor J.J. Krpinsky, Visiting Professor, Department of Chemistry, HKUST and Professor, Department of Medical Genetics and Microbiology, Acting Director, Molecular Medicine Research Centre, University of Toronto, Canada

TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 pm

VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)

ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry

INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358 7390

10 April 97 (Thursday)

(1) *Safety Training Class

COURSE CODE: DC03

COURSE TITLE: Fire Safety and Fire-fighting Equipment

SPEAKER: Mr S T Ho

TIME: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

VENUE: Rm 5565 (Lift 27-28)

DEADLINE FOR REG: 3 Apr 97

REGISTRATION: Please send e-mail to Ms Liu (e-mail : EOLLLIU) before the deadline indicating your name in FULL, your department, contact phone number/e-mail and whether you are staff/PG/UG

SIZE: 24

ORGANISER: Safety & Environment Protection Office

LANGUAGE: Cantonese

INFO: Ms Liu (e-mail : eollliu)

(2) Seminar on Scientific Computation

TITLE: The Artificial Boundary Conditions for Incompressible Viscous Flows in Channels

SPEAKER: Prof. Houde HAN, Department of Applied Mathematics,
Tsinghua, University, Beijing
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3494 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(3) Humanities Talk

TITLE: Academic and Intellectual Climate of Beijing in the 90s
SPEAKER: Dr. Wang Hui, Research Fellow, Institute of Literature,
Chinese Academy of Social Science
TIME: 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lift 13-15)
LANGUAGE: Putonghua
INFO: Teresa, Tel: 2358-7800

(4) *PG Student Seminar

TITLE: "Chemistry of Nitric Oxide Synthase"
SPEAKER: Mr. Dongming CHEN
TIME: 5:00 p.m.
VENUE: Room 2404 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358-7390

(5) Screening Program on Pina Bausch

TITLE: The Dress Rehearsal (88 mins)
Directed by Werner Schroeter
TIME: 7:30pm
VENUE: Lee Wing Tat Lecture Theater (LTD)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts
Supported by a grant from VPAAO
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

10 - 20 April 97

Technology Exhibition
TITLE: Tomorrow's Technology Today
VENUE: Atrium
ORGANISER: Office of Public Affairs

11 April 97 (Friday)

(1) Marketing Seminar

TITLE: Asymmetric Post-Promotion Effects
SPEAKER: Dr Luc Wathieu
TIME: 12:00 - 1:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 4379 (Lift 17-18)

ORGANISER: Department of Marketing
INFO: Terry Law, Tel: 2358-7700

(2) Humanities Talk

TITLE: Mount Huang Imagery As Cultural Icon: Huangshan
Paintings of Shitao (1642-1707) and His Huizhou Patrons
in Early Qing Yangzhou
SPEAKER: Weikuen TANG, PhD Candidate, University of
California, Berkeley
TIME: 2:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lifts 13-15)
ORGANISER: Division of Humanities
INFO: Teresa, Tel: 2358-7800

(3) Distinguished Lectures in Engineering

TITLE: Reliable Computation from Unreliable Computers
SPEAKER: Professor Manuel Blum, Visiting Research Professor of
CS, City University of Hong Kong, & Arthur J. Chick
Professor of EECS, U.C. Berkeley, USA
TIME: 4:30 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theatre C
ORGANISER: School of Engineering
INFO: Maggie, Tel: 2358-6969, Fax: 2358-1458

(4) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: On the Proper Selection of Computational Methods
SPEAKER: Professor Chin-hui Yu, Department of Chemistry,
National Tsinghua University, Taiwan
TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Dept of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358-7390

13 April 97 (Sunday)

HKUST/RTHK Radio Program 'UST Technology File' (Re-run)

TITLE: Structural Design of Tall Buildings
SPEAKER: Dr Chun Man Chan, Dept of Civil and Structural
Engineering
TIME: 8:00 - 8:30 pm
CHANNEL: RTHK Channel 2 (FM 94.8-96.9)
ORGANISER: Office of Public Affairs, RTHK
LANGUAGE: Cantonese
INFO: Dr Steven Kong, 2358-6303

14 April 97 (Monday)

(1) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Growth and Electronic Properties of 10-nm Scale
Quantum Wires
SPEAKER: Prof H Sakaki, Department of Physics/Industrial Science,
University of Tokyo
TIME: 2:00 - 3:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4480 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(2) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Modeling of Resonant Tunneling Diodes for Devices and
Circuit Design
SPEAKERS: Dr Joel Schulman, Japan and Hughes Research
Laboratories, University of Tokyo
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4480 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, x-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(3) Computer Science Seminar

TOPIC: "Optical (WDM) Networks"
SPEAKER: Prof. Biswanath Mukherjee, Department of Computer
Science, University of California, Davis, U.S.A.
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theatre E
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science
INFO: Lily Chan, Tel: 2358 7008

(4) "Century of Cinema" Screening Program

TITLE: Cinema of Tears
DIRECTOR: Nelson Pereira Dos Santos (Latin America)
TIME: 7:30 pm
VENUE: Lam Woo Lecture Theater(LTB)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts
Supported by a grant from VPAAO
LANGUAGE: English subtitles
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

14-15 April 97

TITLE: Workshop on High Speed Multimedia Networking
TIME: Monday 9:00 am - 5:10 pm
Tuesday 9:30 am - 4:05 pm
VENUE: Exposition Hall
FEE: Registration fee: (after 1 April)

Students HK\$250

Others HK\$600

(Free admission for all UST staff and students to the workshop sessions only, prior registration is required)

ORGANISER: Dept of Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Cable & Wireless, U.K

INFO: Dr Danny Tsang, Tel: 2358-7045, Fax: 2358-1485, email: hsmn@ee.ust.hk

15 April 97 (Tuesday)

(1) Social Science Seminar

TITLE: Temporary Migration and Regional Development

SPEAKER: Dr. Ma Zhongdong

TIME: 1:30 - 3:00 pm

VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lift 13-15)

ORGANISER: Division of Social Science

INFO: Carol Chan, Tel: 2358-7812

(2) Computer Science Seminar

TOPIC: "Monte Carlo Arithmetic"

SPEAKER: Prof. Stott Parker, Computer Science Department,
University of California, Los Angeles, U.S.A.

TIME: 3:00 - 4:00pm

VENUE: Room 3301 (Lift 17-18)

ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science

INFO: Lily Chan, Tel: 2358 7008

(3) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Spatially-Extended Dynamical Systems: General
Remarks and Some Striking Features

SPEAKERS: Dr Hugues Chate, Service de Physique de l'Etat
Condense, CEA - Centre d'Etudes de Saclay

TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm

VENUE: Rm 4480 (Lift 25-26)

ORGANISER: Department of Physics

INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500

AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(4) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: Perfluorocarbon Fluids in Synthetic Chemistry

SPEAKER: Dr Dong-Wei Zhu, Research Specialist Fluorochemical
Process and Technology Center 3M Specialty Materials
Division

TIME: 5:00 pm

VENUE: Rm 2302 (Lift 17-18)

ORGANISER: Dept of Chemistry

INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358-7390

16 April 97 (Wednesday)

(1) Joint Seminar

TOPIC: The Split and Merge (SAM) Protocol for Interactive Video-on-Demand Systems"
SPEAKER: Professor Victor O.K. Li, Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Southern California, U.S.A.
TIME: 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 2407 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science & Dept of Electrical Engineering
INFO: Lily, Tel: 2358 7008

(2) Marketing Seminar

TITLE: Product Perishability and Multistore Shopping
SPEAKER: Professor Charles Weinberg, Visiting Professor of Marketing, HKUST, Alumni Professor of Marketing, UBC
TIME: 2:00 - 3:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 4379 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Marketing
INFO: Terry Law, Tel: 2358-7700

(3) Joint Statistics Seminar

TITLE: Bayesian Cluster Analysis and Density Estimation
SPEAKER: Professor Lawrence J. Brunner, Department of Statistics, University of Toronto, Canada
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 5564 (Lift 27-28)
ORGANISER: Dept of Information & Systems Management (MO) & Dept of Mathematics
INFO: Pancy Wong, Tel: 2358 7723

(4) Mathematics Colloquium

TITLE: Virasoro algebra, Korteweg-de Vries equation, and $\log(d/dx)$
SPEAKER: Prof. Bris A. Khesin, Department of Mathematics, University of Toronto
TIME: 4:30 - 5:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 3494 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(5) Lecture Series on Carbohydrates and Biotechnology

TITLE: Polymer-supported Synthesis of Oligosaccharides: Single Compounds and Combinatorial Libraries

SPEAKER: Professor J.J. Krpinsky, Visiting Professor, Department of Chemistry, HKUST and Professor, Department of Medical Genetics and Microbiology, Acting Director, Molecular Medicine Research Centre, University of Toronto, Canada
TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 pm
VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy, Tel: 2358 7390

(6) UST Quartet-in-Residence

TITLE: Open Rehearsal by the Hong Kong String Quartet
TIME: 6pm
VENUE: Music Lounge, University Center
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts, Supported by a grant from the Office of the Vice-President for the Academic Affairs
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

17 April 97 (Thursday)

(1) *Electrical & Electronic Engineering Seminar

TITLE: Self-Adjusted Analog Integrated Circuits
SPEAKER: Dr. Jose E. da Franca
TIME: 11:00 - 12:00 noon
VENUE: Rm 4480 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Dept. of Electrical & Electronic Engineering
INFO: Dr. Howard Luong, Tel: 2358 8514

(2) Computer Science Seminar

TOPIC: "Surface Design via Deformation of Periodically Swept Surfaces"
SPEAKER: Dr. Tai Chiew-Lan, Dept. of Information Systems & Computer Science, National University of Singapore, Singapore
TIME: 11:00am - 12 noon
VENUE: Rm 3412 (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science
INFO: Lily Chan, Tel: 2358 7008

(3) Screening Program on Pina Bausch

TITLE: Theater in Trance (91 mins)
DIRECTOR: Rainer W Fassbinder
TIME: 7:30pm
VENUE: Lee Wing Tat Lecture Theater (LTD)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts Supported by a grant from VPAAO
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

18 April 97 (Friday)

(1) AEMF Workshop

TITLE: Workshop on Manufacture of Advanced Composite
Materials and Structures Using Autoclaving Process
TIME: 9:00 am - 5:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 7332, (Lift 13-15)
FEE: HK\$500 (includes coffees, lunch, notes and hands-on
training), Student Rate: HK\$200 (includes coffees, notes,
and hands-on training)
ORGANISER: Advanced Engineering Materials Facility
INFO: Ms. Grace Tsang, Tel: 2358-8671, Fax: 2335-9298,
email: catcm

(2) Marketing Seminar

TITLE: "What Price For Fairness? A Bargaining Study"
SPEAKER: Dr Rami Zwick
TIME: 12:00 - 1:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 4379 (Lifts 17-18)
ORGANISER: Dept of Marketing
INFO: Miss K Y Lee, Tel: 2358-7711

(3) *State of the University Report

SPEAKER: President Chia-Wei Woo
TIME: 4:00 p.m.
VENUE: Citibank Lecture Theatre (A)
ORGANISER: Office of Public Affairs
INFO: Dr Steven Kong, Tel: 2358-6303, email: PASTEVEN

(4) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: The Nucleus in Extremis - from Super-deformation to
Quark-gluon Soup
SPEAKER: Prof George C Morrison, School of Physics and Space
Research, The University of Birmingham
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3008 (Lift 3)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

21 April 97 (Monday)

(1) Social Science Seminar

TITLE: "Xinjiang and the Chinese state in the 1990s"
SPEAKER: Professor Colin Mackerras, Head of Modern Asian
Studies, Griffith University, Australia

TIME: 1:30 - 3:00p.m.
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lift 13-15)
ORGANISER: Division of Social Science
INFO: Carol Chan, Tel: 2358-7812

(2) Computer Science Seminar

TOPIC: "Topological Reasoning in Two Dimensions"
SPEAKER: Prof. Christos H. Papadimitriou, McKay Professor of
Computer Science, Dept. of Electrical Engineering &
Computer Science, University of California, Berkeley,
U.S.A.

TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theatre E
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science
INFO: Lily Chan, Tel: 2358 7008

(3) Distinguished Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: High-Speed High-Throughput DNA Sequencing
Technology
SPEAKER: Professor Edward S. Yeung, Department of Chemistry,
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Iowa State
University of Science and Technology

TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Cheng Kuan Chen Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy Ng, Tel: 2358-7390

(4) "Century of Cinema" Screening Program

TITLE: Cinema of Unease
DIRECTOR: Same Neil (New Zealand)
TIME: 7:30 pm
VENUE: Lam Woo Lecture Theater(LTB)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts
Supported by a grant from VPAAO
LANGUAGE: English, no subtitles
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

23 April 97 (Wednesday)

(1) *Physics Seminar/ PhD Thesis Seminar

TITLE: Quantum Magnetotransport For Electric and Magnetic,
Modulated Systems
SPEAKER: Mr. Qin Wei Shi, Department of Physics, HKUST
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4480 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Physics
INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500
AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

(2) UST Quartet-in-Residence

TITLE: April Concert by the Hong Kong String Quartet
TIME: 8:00 pm
VENUE: Multi-purpose Hall, University Center
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts,
Supported by a grant from the Office of the Vice-
President for the Academic Affairs
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

24 April 97 (Thursday)

(1) Seminar on Scientific Computation

TITLE: Arc Length Method in Nonlinear Problems and
Bifurcation
SPEAKER: Prof. Jike Wu, Department of Mechanics and Engineering
science, Peking University & HKUST
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 3494, (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(2) Mathematics Colloquium

TITLE: Holomorphic sphere, Flop and string theory
SPEAKER: Prof. RUAN Yongbin, University of Illinois at Madison
TIME: 4:30 - 5:30p.m.
VENUE: Rm 4483 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(3) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: Modelling 1,2-Alkyl Rearrangements in Vitamin B-12
SPEAKER: Dr. Kin-Shing Chan, Department of Chemistry, The
Chinese University of Hong Kong
TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Room 2302, (Lift 17-18)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy Ng, Tel: 2358-7390

25 April 97 (Friday)

(1) *Safety Training Class

COURSE CODE: MC04
COURSE TITLE: Laser Safety
SPEAKER: Mr John Rosen
TIME: 10:00 - 11:30 am
VENUE: Rm 2405 (Lift 17-18)

DEADLINE FOR REG: 18 Apr 1997

REGISTRATION : Please send e-mail to Ms Liu (e-mail : EOLLLIU) before the deadline indicating your name in FULL, department, contact phone number/e-mail and whether you are staff/PG/UG.

ORGANISER: Safety & Environmental Protection Office

INFO: Ms Liu (e-mail : eollliu)

(2) Marketing Seminar

TITLE: The Dynamic Effects of Advertising and Promotions on Brand Choice and Purchase Quantity

SPEAKER: Dr Kamel Jedidi

TIME: 12:00 - 1:30 pm

VENUE: Rm 4379 (Lift 17-18)

ORGANISER: Department of Marketing

INFO: Terry Law, Tel: 2358-7700

(3) *Physics Seminar

TITLE: Metal To Insulator Transition In Short Period Si/SiGe Superlattices

SPEAKER: Prof Guenther Bauer ,Johannes Kepler Universitaet, Institut fuer Halbleiterphysik

TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm

VENUE: Rm 3008 (Lift 3)

ORGANISER: Department of Physics

INFO: Ms Chelsia Tam, Tel: 2358-7500

AUDIENCE: Internal and the Physics Departments of other institutions

25 April 97 - 12 May 97

T-shirt Exhibition

TIME: 1-5pm (Mon-Fri), 10am-6pm (Sat & Sun)

VENUE: University Exposition Hall, HKUST

ORGANISER: A co-presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts and HKUST Women's Group

INFO: Jeddy, Tel: 2358 6149

OTHER PARTICULARS: Opening Reception: 25 Apr 97 (Fri) at 4:30pm University Exposition Hall

28 April 97 (Monday)

(1) *Safety Training Class

COURSE CODE: DC10

COURSE TITLE: Employee Safety Orientation

SPEAKER: Mr S T Ho

TIME: 10:30 - 11:30 am

VENUE: Rm 2406 (Lift 17-18)

DEADLINE FOR REG: 21 Apr 97
REGISTRATION: Please send e-mail to Ms Liu (e-mail : EOLLLIU)
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you are staff/PG/UG
ORGANISER: Safety & Environmental Protection Office
INFO: Ms Liu (e-mail : eollliu)
SIZE: 30
LANGUAGE: Cantonese

(2) Computer Science Seminar

TOPIC: "Exploiting Application-Network Interactivity for IP-
over-ATM"
SPEAKER: Kam Lee, Department of Electrical & Computer
Engineering, Carnegie Mellon University, U.S.A.
TIME: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
VENUE: Lecture Theatre E
ORGANISER: Dept of Computer Science
INFO: Lily Chan, Tel: 2358 7008

(3) Seminar in Analysis

TITLE: Three layered solutions and other related problems in
Multi-phase transition
SPEAKER: Prof. Changfeng Gui, Department of Mathematics,
University of British Columbia, Canada
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4483, (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(4) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: Vibrational Reorganization Energies and Photophysics of
Metal to Ligand Transitions in Several Organic
Compounds
SPEAKER: Dr. David Lee Philips, Department of Chemistry,
University of Hong Kong
TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy Ng, Tel: 2358-7390

(5) Special lectures on Hurricane

TITLE: The Hurricane: A Challenge for Geophysical Fluid
Dynamics
SPEAKER: Prof. Michael T. Montgomery, Colorado State University,
U.S.A.
TIME: 5:00 - 6:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 4480, (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics

INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(6) "Century of Cinema" Screening Program

TITLE: Scandinavian Cinema
DIRECTOR: Stig Bjorkman (Sweden)
TIME: 7:30 pm
VENUE: Lam Woo Lecture Theater(LTB)
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts
Supported by a grant from VPAAO
LANGUAGE: English subtitles
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

29 April 97 (Tuesday)

(1) *Safety Training Class

COURSE CODE: MC03
COURSE TITLE: Hazardous Waste Management
SPEAKER: Dr Swearengen
TIME: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 3412 (Lift 17-18)
DEADLINE FOR REG: 22 Apr 97
REGISTRATION: Please send e-mail to Ms Liu (e-mail : EOLLLIU)
before the deadline indicating your name in FULL, your
department, contact phone number/e-mail and whether
you are staff/PG/UG
ORGANISER: Safety & Environmental Protection Office
INFO: Ms Liu (e-mail : eollliu)
SIZE: 30

(2) Special lectures on Hurricane

TITLE: Current Research Thrusts on Hurricane Studies
SPEAKER: Prof. Michael T. Montgomery, Colorado State University,
U.S.A.
TIME: 3:30 - 4:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 4480, (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(3) Chemistry Seminar

TITLE: DNA Analysis using Fluorescence and Biosensor
Techniques
SPEAKER: Dr. Mengsu Yang, Department of Biology & Chemistry
City University of Hong Kong
TIME: 5:00 pm
VENUE: Chen Kuan Cheng Forum (LT H)
ORGANISER: Department of Chemistry
INFO: Patsy Ng, Tel: 2358-7390

(4) 1996/97 Sir Edward Youde Memorial Fund Visiting Professorship
Scheme Public Lecture

TITLE: Solving Equations in Entegers: Diophantine Analysis and
Transcendence Theory
SPEAKER: Prof Alan Baker, FRS, Fields Medallist, Fellow of Trinity
College, Cambridge, Professor of Pure Mathematics,
University of Cambridge, United Kingdom
TIME: 6:00 - 7:00 pm
VENUE: Lam Woo Lecture Theatre (LT B)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Odissa Wong, Tel: 2358-7440

30 April 97 (Wednesday)

(1) Joint Statistics Seminar

TITLE: Model Selection For the CAR(p) Process
SPEAKER: Dr. Gopal K. Basak
TIME: 4:00 - 5:00 pm
VENUE: Rm 5564 (Lift 27-28)
ORGANISER: Information & Systems Management Dept
INFO: Alice Lau, Tel: 2358-7733

(2) Humanities Seminar

TITLE: The Esthetics of Buddhism in Honglougong
SPEAKER: Professor Anthony C Yu, Carl Darling Buck
Distinguished Service Professor in the Humanities, The
University of Chicago
TIME: 4:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 3362 (Lift 13-15)
ORGANISER: Division of Humanities
INFO: Teresa, Tel: 2358-7800

(3) Mathematics Colloquium

TITLE: Mathematical Models of Electrophoresis
SPEAKER: Prof. M.Yu. Zhukov, Rostov University, Russia
TIME: 4:30 - 5:30 pm
VENUE: Rm 3494 (Lift 25-26)
ORGANISER: Department of Mathematics
INFO: Ms Janette Cho, Tel: 2358 7440

(4) Series of Education of Love by Edward Lam

TITLE: Program 2: Sex, Love and Appreciation of Arts
TIME: 7:00pm
VENUE: Lecture Theater E
ORGANISER: A presentation of the HKUST Center for the Arts,
Supported by a grant from the Office of the Vice-
President for the Academic Affairs
INFO: May Yung, Tel: 2358 6148

* For internal only

Unless otherwise specified, all lectures will be conducted in English.