



## MoCC AMBASSADORSHIP 2020/21 —2ND RECRUITMENT

### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### What is MoCC Ambassadorship?

The MoCC Ambassadorship recognizes and provides financial support for outstanding CUHK students who wish to become active ambassadors to the MoCC to raise climate change awareness and promote sustainability on and beyond campus. MoCC Ambassadors undergo knowledge training in climate change, sustainability and museum operations.

Each MoCC Ambassador is required to intern in the MoCC to pursue, under supervision, experiential learning that carries educational benefits for the Ambassador and are relevant to the MoCC's operational and outreach activities. The amount of internship time shall not be less than 40 hours within the full six-month term of the Ambassadorship (or pro rata if the term is less than six months).

The amount of financial support of the MoCC Ambassadorship is provided on a scaled basis, at **HK\$55 per hour** for the first 50 hours of experiential learning engagement, **HK\$60 per hour** for the second 50 hours and **HK\$65 per hour** beyond, to encourage and recognize long-term contributions to the MoCC and the community. The sums are payable on a monthly basis and only after the student completed the knowledge training. A certificate of completion will be awarded to each of the students who graduate from the ambassadorship.

#### What is the MoCC?

The first of its kind in the world, the Jockey Club Museum of Climate Change (MoCC) offers an interactive and multimedia exhibition showcasing valuable collections and information about climate change. It is an ideal venue for the public, especially students and teachers, to champion the cause of environmental stewardship and keep themselves abreast of the latest developments on environmental conservation and sustainability. Extended activities of the MoCC exhibition include an eco-tour that guides visitors around the prime ecological sites and green facilities on the vast CUHK campus, and a variety of workshops and activities that promote green living. The MoCC is the CUHK Secretariat of the Hong Kong Chapter of the United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network (SDSN Hong Kong), advocating the Sustainable Development Goals in the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development of the United Nations.

## Who may apply for the Ambassadorship?

Applications are open to all undergraduate and postgraduate students of CUHK. Students in related fields (major or minor), such as sustainable development, earth system science, museum studies, geography, energy and environmental engineering, environmental science, anthropology or those who have a track record in participating in environmental services, may be given priority.

## How to apply?

Interested students are requested to complete the [online application form](#) by **11:59 pm, 7 January 2021 (Thursday)**.

Shortlisted applicants will be invited to attend a selection interview to be held on 14 or 15 January 2021.

## What is the required commitment in terms of time?

The ambassadorship is tenable for six months between March and August 2021 (the term), successful applicants (the MoCC Ambassadors) will be required to undertake the knowledge training (compulsory) in January and February 2021, and the experiential learning engagement (the internship) thereafter. **The ambassadorship may be extendable to summer and the next academic year upon demonstration of excellent performance and the availability of funding.**

Each MoCC Ambassador will be required to intern in the museum and pursue at least 40 hours of experiential learning engagement during the Term, but should not exceed 18 hours per week. Duty rosters of the internship shall be subject to agreement among the ambassadors at the monthly meetings, but priority shall be given to those who have not attained the 40-hour requirement. On occasions where the ambassadors are unable to attend the monthly meetings, they shall inform the coordinator well in advance.

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## Questions?

Questions are welcome and should be directed to Ms Samantha Chui on 3943 3012 or by email at [samanthachui@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:samanthachui@cuhk.edu.hk).

## What are the expectations?

MoCC Ambassadors are required to:

- **Knowledge training:** attend all sessions of knowledge training (see 'What are the important dates?' below) which include sessions of mock and pilot museum- and eco-tours
- **Experiential learning:** intern in the MoCC by serving in shifts to guide visitors on MoCC tours and to answer museum-related questions from the visitors
- Be encouraging and welcoming to visitors
- Assist in conducting impact studies pertaining to MoCC exhibitions and eco-tours
- Be able to guide the campus eco-tours
- Discuss and, if necessary, update the contents of the eco-tours
- Assist in organizing MoCC events such as workshops, seminars and campaigns
- Be peer mentors of Team MoCC members (secondary school students)
- Represent the MoCC on occasions of museum and university events and ceremonies
- Participate in monthly meetings (see 'What are the important dates?' below)
- Be punctual in all meetings and duty assignments (no absence without prior notice is allowed)

## What are the important dates?

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION**  
7 January 2021 (Thursday)

**SELECTION INTERVIEW**  
14 or 15 January 2021 (Thursday or Friday)

**KNOWLEDGE TRAINING (TENTATIVE)**  
Online sessions (1:30pm–6:00pm)

- 23 & 30 January 2021

Onsite session (TBC)

- 6 February 2021

Dry run of tour, 4 hours

- 20 or 27 February 2021

**MONTHLY MEETINGS**  
First Friday afternoon of each month):

- 5 March, 9 April, 7 May, 4 June, 2 July & 6 August 2021