Welcome to the 6th Issue of CPCE Connect.

CPCE places great emphasis on helping our students develop a global outlook. Every year, a large number of HKCC and SPEED students are awarded scholarships and sponsorship to participate in overseas study tours, exchange activities and internship programmes. In this issue, some students and graduates share stories about their journeys to the U.S., Canada, Eastern Europe and Dubai.

Over the years, our dedicated staff members have contributed significantly to the success of CPCE on various fronts. The CPCE Awards for Teaching, Service, and Research and Scholarly Performance have been introduced to recognise staff members' distinguished performance. The 2013/14 awardees are invited to share their professional working and teaching experiences with us.

We also introduce four externally funded research projects recently completed by CPCE academics. These projects focused on issues relating to the self-financed higher education sector and the development of lifelong learning in Hong Kong. Please continue reading for more details.

I hope you will enjoy reading this issue of *CPCE Connect*. If you have any comments or ideas, please send them to the Editorial Board at connect@cpce-polyu.edu.hk.

歡迎大家閲覽第六期《院訊》。

專業及持續教育學院(CPCE)相當重視提升同學們的國際視野。 每年,香港專上學院(HKCC)及專業進修學院(SPEED)提供大 量獎學金和贊助金,鼓勵同學赴海外學習、交流或實習。今期《院 訊》,多位同學和畢業生將分享他們負笈美國、加拿大、東歐及杜 拜等地交流的所見所聞。

CPCE的成功發展一直有賴教職員的努力和貢獻。學院藉著頒授教 學、服務、研究及學術表現獎項,表揚員工的傑出表現。我們邀請 了2013/14年度得獎員工分享他們專業的教學和工作經驗。

此外,由CPCE學者組成的研究團隊早前獲得校外研究基金,完成 了四項關於本地自資高等教育和終身學習的研究計劃,詳情請瀏覽 本期內容。

希望您喜歡今期《院訊》。如您有任何建議或意見,歡迎電郵至 編輯委員會connect@cpce-polyu.edu.hk。

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