

**KICK START TO A
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Open a New Page in Your Life

青少年職業諮詢講座

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Foreword

Kick Start to a New Career 2010 – A Youth Career Forum

The traditional ideal careers in the minds of many Chinese parents have always been doctors, lawyers, engineers, and accountants. But, in fact, there are many more career opportunities available to our youth today which parents may not aware of.

Many of our youth today are uncertain as to what their future career choice should be. Through this career forum, we hope to bring awareness to parents and youth alike, some of the “non-traditional”, but highly regarded careers that are available today.

The Kick Start to a New Career Forum is a joint project of Ontario Pui Ching High School Alumni Association, Vision Youth, and Mr. Godwin Chan, Councillor of Richmond Hill.

We hope this event will be well-received, and many more of such forum will follow. Our invited guests will share their job experiences, know-hows, and accomplishments so as to provide the audience with a more in-depth look at their careers. Our speakers include: Auto Mechanic, Architect, Dentist, Hospitality Management, Human Resources, Paediatrician, Pharmacist, Investment Advisor, Real Estate and Teacher.

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行行出狀元在一般中國人的父母心目中最好是醫師，律師，工程師，會計師 等等。但現今的社會有很多甚有發展潛能的職業，是不為人熟悉或不知如何入行。我們今次所舉辦的講座是想介紹一些有興趣又有潛質的行業給於大家認識。

現在的青少年，可能對於入大學所選擇的學系以及將來的專業毫無頭緒。我們衷心希望能藉著這個講座給予他們及他們的父母有一點兒幫助及頭緒。

安省培正同學會，「展望」青年領袖培訓計劃 Vision Youth 及烈治文山市議員陳志輝一起齊心在 2008 年首次舉辦了 “行行出狀元-青少年職業的諮詢講座”。超過四百多位青少年及家長參加了 2008 年的講座。今年我們繼續舉辦此講座并邀請不同行業的講者。我們邀請多位在職的講者分享他們各行的經歷，工作經驗及入行途徑好讓青少年深入了解這些非一般家長及青少年所熟識的行業。今次講述的職業有重型車技師、建築師、牙醫、酒店管理、人力資源部、兒科醫生、藥劑師、投資顧問、地產從業員及教師。

Co-Organizers

Vision Youth Leadership Program

Vision Youth Leadership Program is a multi-faceted youth leadership training program with three levels (Bronze, Silver and Gold) and each level is a six month Program. Developed by Canada-Hong Kong Link, the leadership program aims to enrich the participants with non-academic life skills such as social, political and environmental awareness, leadership, and outdoor survival skills to complement their existing skills set. Our goal is to allow the participants to recognize their full potential and thrive to becoming visionary leaders of tomorrow. Please visit www.visionyouth.ca for more information.

Godwin Chan

Godwin Chan, currently a Councillor of the Town of Richmond Hill, has been involved in community activities for two decades. He has shown community leadership in wide-ranging areas, including policing, education, public health, library services and road safety.

As a father of two sons, he has been active in school councils to enhance the learning environment of the students. Councillor Chan is interested in promoting a sense of community belonging and in engaging youth to support worthy causes. To that end, he is working to organize the "Initiatives for the Youth of the Future" (IYF) in partnership with service clubs and youth groups to launch meaningful projects for inspiring leadership training and community services. The "Kick-start to a New Career and Open a New Page in Your Life" forum is a first such collaborative joint effort with PuiChing School Alumni (Ontario) and Vision Youth.

Pui Ching School Alumni (Ontario)

Pui Ching School was found in Guangzhou, China in 1889. In 1933, the Pui Ching School (Hong Kong) was established. The Pui Ching School Alumni School of Ontario was formed in the 1970's in Toronto. Over the world, there are over 40 Alumni Associations located in most of the major cities in different countries.

Currently, we have over 1,000 alumni in Ontario; most of them resided in GTA. Some of the objectives of the Association are as follows :

- a) To promote, support and protect the common interests of the members of the Association.
- b) To participate in intellectual and cultural activities in the community.
- c) To promote and enhance fellowship among alumni of Pui Ching School across the globe.

Our Annual functions include Annual AGM dinner, Bowling tournaments, joint schools BBQ, seminars, golf tournaments and Christmas dinner.

Timetable

Time	Activities				
10:30am to 11:30am	Registration				
11:30am to 12:00 pm	Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening speech • Brief introduction of each speaker 				
12:00pm to 12:10 pm	Patrick Chan's opening speech - via video 2010 Canadian Figure Skate Olympic team 2010				
12:10pm to 12:30 pm	Keynote Speaker - Sue Tang Former Senior Executive, IBM Canada 2010 Vice President, IT Outsourcing Service Delivery Topic: Traversing the Global Economy and Job Market				
	Council Chamber	Members Lounge	Committee Room #1	Committee Room #2	Committee Room #3
12:45pm to 1:30pm	Mr. Charles Chan Teacher 教師	Mr. Albert Chan Investment Advisor 投資顧問	Dr. Chris Tsang Dentist 牙醫	Ms. May Fung Hospitality Management 酒店管理	Dr. Gerald Ho Paediatrician 兒科醫生
1:40pm to 2:25am	Mr. Charles Chan Teacher 教師	Mr. Albert Chan Investment Advisor 投資顧問	Dr. Chris Tsang Dentist 牙醫	Ms. May Fung Hospitality Management 酒店管理	Dr. Gerald Ho Paediatrician 兒科醫生
2:35pm to 3:20pm	Mr. John Lau Architect 建築師	Ms. Jennifer Tung Pharmacist 藥劑師	Mr. Andes Luk Auto Mechanic 重型車技師	Ms. Gloria Fung Real Estate 地產從業員	Ms. Angie Ng Human Resources 人力資源部
3:30pm to 4:15pm	Mr. Charles Chan Teacher 教師	Mr. Albert Chan Investment Advisor 投資顧問	Dr. Chris Tsang Dentist 牙醫	Ms. May Fung Hospitality Management 酒店管理	Dr. Gerald Ho Paediatrician 兒科醫生
4:25pm to 5:10pm	Mr. John Lau Architect 建築師	Ms. Jennifer Tung Pharmacist 藥劑師	Mr. Andes Luk Auto Mechanic 重型車技師	Ms. Gloria Fung Real Estate 地產從業員	Ms. Angie Ng Human Resources 人力資源部
5:20pm to 5:40pm	Closing Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lucky Draws • Survey 				

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Canadian Olympic Team Member (Figure Skating) 2010 Three times Canadian National Champion

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Chan was born in Ottawa, Ontario to Lewis Chan and Karen Chan, Chinese immigrants from Hong Kong. His Chinese name is Chan Wai-Kuan (陳偉群). His father, a lawyer, immigrated to Canada at the age of 4 and grew up in Montreal, Quebec, while his mother immigrated at the age of 21 in order to study. Chan is an only child. His mother won both singles and doubles tennis championships in Ottawa, while his father pursues table tennis, and weight-lifting. At the age of 5, Chan showed talent in downhill skiing, but focused on other sports after his family moved to Toronto. He has an enduring interest in many sports, including taekwondo, tennis, golf, and mountain climbing.

Chan is fluent in English, French, and Cantonese, and is learning Mandarin. He graduated from École secondaire Étienne-Brûlé, a French language school in North York, Toronto in 2009, prolonging his high-school career by an extra year due to his skating. After Chan became National champion, the school created an annual sporting award in his honour. Chan was most proficient in physics in high school and considered taking mechanical engineering at university. As of 2010, Chan plans to enroll in university in September 2011 and is considering a business degree.

Chan admires four-time World Champion Kurt Browning for his personality and World Champion Todd Eldredge for his work ethic. He divides his training time between World Arena Ice Hall in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and the Granite Club in Toronto.

Keynote Speaker

Sue Tang

Former Senior Executive IBM Canada 2010

Sue Tang is a Senior IT Executive who has had 33 years of IT industry experience, 21 of which have been with IBM and many of those years spent in the Strategic Outsourcing business. Prior to her retirement with IBM in June of this year, she held the position of Vice President, IBM Americas IT Service Delivery. In this role, Sue was responsible for leading a team of over 5,000 IT professionals in providing support services to IBM customers in Canada, the U.S. and around the globe.

Sue has extensive experience in leading and managing a Global delivery model of which she has responsibility in driving seamless service delivery to the Americas clients from delivery centres in Canada, India, China, Brazil and Argentina.

Outside of her Corporate duties, she has been very active in her community work. She served on the Board of Directors of the Yellow Brick house providing shelter, support and counsel to victims of abuse from 2005 - 2007. Sue is an active mentor with the CPAC Mentoring Consortium since 2005, helping newly landed culturally diverse individuals with career development and support. Sue recently joined the Yee Hong Centre for Geriatric Care as an Information Management Committee Member.

Sue will share her insights on how the job market, the skill and experience expectations have evolved around the globe. She will also share her personal experience on how to win and succeed during the economy turmoil.

Panelist

Andus Luk Auto Mechanic

Andus Luk was graduated from a truck trailer program in 2003 at Centennial College as a trailer service apprentice. After working with a licensed mechanic for 2 yrs in the industry, he got his Ontario Certificate of Qualification of Trailer Service Technician License and Certificate of Dangerous Goods Training in accordance with Part 6 of the TDG Regulations.

And now, He has his own company "Andus Trailer Repair" and as a broker under a trailer leasing company based in Canada. Andus is specialized in air brake systems, abs system, trailer structural and frame repair etc. His duties are performing preventative maintenance, light to heavy duty repairs, troubleshooting and diagnostics, repairing and/or replacing components and systems and perform Provincial Safety Inspections Trailers.

In 2008, he also claimed his Ontario Certificate of Achievement for Commercial Vehicle Wheel Service license.

John Shuki Lau Architect

John Shuki Lau started his own John Shuki Lau Architect Inc. in 1994. Mr. Lau received a Bachelor of Architecture degree from Carleton University in Ottawa. He is a member of the Ontario Association of Architects, and the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada. He also has a Diploma of Architectural Design Technology.

He has 25 years of experience providing architectural services for residential, commercial and institutional projects. Prior to establishing his own practice, Mr. Lau was associated with several widely recognized architectural firms in the Toronto area, such as Viljoen, Young + Wright, Mutrie + Rolph, and Bregman + Hamann. During this period, he honed his skills in all aspects of architectural design, detailing, project management, and contract administration.

His firm provides a complete range of architectural and interior design services for residential, commercial, industrial, and institutional projects.

Some of the projects his firm has done are:

- High Park Village, Mississauga – 132-Unit Stacked Townhouse Complex
- Alton Village Mid-rise Condominium, Brampton
- Clarington Plaza – Retail plaza
- Heritage Market Square, Ajax – Retail
- Retirement Homes Complex, Clarington
- Seaforth Community Centre with Swimming Pool, Seaforth
- CAA Travel Centre, Toronto Main Branch – retail/commercial office
- Retirement Homes Complex, Clarington (Responsible for the Contract Document for Viljoen Architect)
- Tokyo Sushi, Markham – restaurant
- Amesbury Arena, North York – arena & bocce Courts (Responsible for the Contract Document for Mandelow Architect)

- St. Paul Lamoureux Church – Addition (Responsible for the Design/Contract Document for Mutrie + Rolph Architects)
- 160 Bloor St. East, Toronto – office tower (Responsible for the Contract Document for Bregman + Hamann Architects)
- Oshawa Shopping Centre, Oshawa (Responsible for the Contract Document for Bregman + Hamann Architects)
- 100-Unit Townhouse and Community Centre Complex, Ajax (Responsible for the Design/Contract Document for Mutrie + Rolph Architects)
- Baycrest Hospital, North York (Responsible for the Design for Bregman + Hamann Architects)

Our goal is to delight our clients with architectural designs that are unique, harmonious, and practical.”

Dr. Chris Tsang **Dentist**

Dr. Christopher Tsang is clinic director of Dentistry in Aurora and has incorporated a BioSafe approach to dental care in combination with lasers and high magnification to promote faster healing with less pain and fewer injections. For almost ten years he has been at the forefront of computerized dentistry with CAD/CAM technology to provide ceramic crowns and fillings in one visit. He has worked in outreach programs and supports many community initiatives. Dr. Tsang speaks regularly to dental professionals and community groups and appears on television. Please visit www.dentistry-holistic.com.

May Fung **Hospitality Management**

Ms. Fung graduated from Ryerson Polytechnical Institute with a B.A.A. degree in the Hospitality and Tourism Management Program. After graduation, Ms. Fung has worked in various aspects of the industry, including Hotel and Fast Food chains, airline and institutional catering, private club, health care and post-secondary institution. And these job opportunities had taken her from Toronto to Vancouver, Hong Kong, Guangzhou and Beijing, China. Ms. Fung is a certified Food Safety Trainer, Adult Education Trainer, and member of the Canadian Society of Nutrition Management. She is currently managing the Food Service Department of a Nursing Home and teaching at a college.

Angie Ng **Human Resources Manager**

Angie is the Human Resources Manager at Novo Nordisk Canada, a pharmaceutical company focused on Diabetes Care.

With over 15 years of experience in Human Resources, Angie’s portfolio includes talent management, organization design, compensation, benefits and training. She has worked in the pharmaceuticals and financial industry.

Angie has a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Toronto and diplomas in Public Relations and Human Resources.

Dr. Gerald Ho
Paediatrician

1983	graduated from Faculty of Medicine, University of Hong Kong
1985-88	medical officer, Paediatric Unit, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Hong Kong
1987	became Member of Royal College of Physicians (United Kingdom), a higher level of training in Paediatrics
1988	immigrated to Canada
1988-90	research and clinical fellow, Hospital for Sick children, Toronto
1990-93	senior and chief resident in Paediatrics, Queens University, Kingston, Ontario
1993	became Fellow of Royal College of Physicians of Canada
1993-present	staff Paediatrician, York Central Hospital, Richmond Hill private practice Paediatrician, Richmond Hill

Jennifer Tung
Pharmacist

Jennifer Tung is a clinical trials pharmacist at Toronto Western Hospital. She received her Bachelor of Science in pharmacy at the University of British Columbia in 2004, and completed a hospital residency at St. Joseph's Healthcare in Hamilton, Ontario. She has worked in various clinical areas including nephrology and renal transplant. Currently, she also sits on the Research Ethics Board at the University Health Network and is a member of the medical network of Amnesty International Canada.

Gloria Fung
Real Estate Broker

Gloria has been working in the real estate field for 20 years. She is a real estate broker with Landpower Real Estate Ltd., Brokerage. She has extensive experience in residential and commercial real estate. She is a consultant specializing in real estate investment and project development. She has been serving as a commentator on policies and market analysis for English and Chinese Canadian media. She has been a strong advocate for professionalism and ethics in the industry.

Gloria studied in Essex University, England, majoring in Politics and Sociology. She worked in Hong Kong for four years as a social worker. She managed Danish government loan and World Bank agricultural development projects in China in the 80's.

Gloria has been actively involved in community initiatives to advance the equity and social justice agenda. She is a former National Vice President of the Chinese Canadian National Council and a director of Canada-Hong Kong Link. She was the recipient of the CCNC Community Leadership Award in 2007.

Charles Chan
Teacher

Charles has been teaching with the TDSB for 5 years at various schools ranging from Grade 6 to Grade 11. He currently enjoys teaching High School English using technology. Charles believes that Jesus deserves all the glory for leading him to go into teaching!

All the information presented in his presentation can be found here online :

<http://prezi.com/w2oghi4zw2fi/becoming-a-teacher/>

Albert Chan, Ph. D, CFA
Investment Advisor
TD Waterhouse Canada Inc.

Albert was born in Hong Kong and moved to Canada in 1980s as a student. He finished his Bachelor degree and was awarded NSERC postgraduate scholarship to continue Masters Degree and subsequently he earned Doctorate Degree of Engineering from University of Western Ontario in 1996. He has been working for TD Waterhouse Canada Inc. as an investment advisor since 1997.

As a further commitment to his profession in financial industry, Albert earned his CFA designation in year 2000.

Albert and his team help clients to achieve their financial goals through managing their investment portfolios. He analyzes equity markets, bond markets and commodity markets from time to time and tailor make ongoing dynamic investment plans for clients. He was awarded "Recognition of Excellence" in 2004 by TD Waterhouse Canada Inc.

As a veteran in the field, Albert's investment philosophy is to stay conservative by keeping capital preservation as his first priority and at the same time aiming for long term capital growth for his clients. He strongly believes the life-cycle approach of portfolio management. His team updates client's investment objectives, risk tolerance level and financial position on a regular basis.

Albert is married with two sons. He enjoys skiing, hiking, swimming, travelling, tennis and play bridge. He and his wife Carmen are patrons of Chinese Cultural Centre of Greater Toronto, China Passion-"the Growing Seeds Project" of C.R.R.S., Support Enhance Access Service (S.E.A.S.) Centre, Yat San Chinese School, Joint School Valentine's Ball, and World Vision.

