ABOUT 2006 HANG LUNG MATHEMATICS AWARDS

I. Participation

In the 2006 HLMA, 300 students and 62 teachers registered, representing nearly 100 teams from 51 schools. Among them, 55 teams submitted research reports.

II. Winners

Gold Award

Team Member: Cheuk Hin Cheng Teacher: Mr. Kwok Tai Wong

School: S.K.H Lam Woo Memorial Secondary School

Topic: How to Keep Water Cold - A Study

about the Wet Contact Surface Area in Cylinder

Silver Award

Team Member: Yun Pui Tsoi Teacher: Mr. Wai Man Ko

School: Sha Tin Government Secondary School

Topic: On the Prime Number Theorem

Bronze Award

Team Members: Fai Li, Chung Yam Li, Daniel Chung Sing Poon, King Ching Li

Teacher: Mr. Chun Yu Kwong

School: Wong Shiu Chi Secondary School

Topic: Construction of Tangents to Circles in Poincaré Model

Honorable Mentions (listed by school name in alphabetical order)

1. Team Members: Wa Yip Lau, Hon Yiu So Teacher: Mr. Kwok Kei Chang

School: Buddhist Sin Tak College

Topic: Circle Packing

2. Team Members: Kin Shing Lo, Ho Kwan Lee, Chi Wong

Teacher: Mr. Ka Wo Leung

School: Fung Kai Liu Man Shek Tong Secondary School

Topic: An Investigation in Secret Sharing

3. Team Members: Kin Ying Chan, Man Chung Cheung, Kwok Chung Li,

Chi Fai Ng, Ming Leung Sin

Teacher: Ms. Pik Yee Lam

School: Shatin Tsung Tsin Secondary School Topic: Two Interesting Mathematical Games

4. Team Members: Yin Hong Tin, Cheuk Ying Tsim, Yat Au Yeung

Teacher: Mr. Hon Wai Yung

School: South Tuen Mun Government Secondary School

Topic: Rolling without Sliding

5. Team Members: Yin Kwan Wong, David Tak Wai Lui,

Theodore Heung Shan Hui

Teacher: Ms. Yau Man Sum

School: St. Paul's Co-educational College

Topic: Decrypting Fibonacci and Lucas Sequences

6. Team Members: Ka Leung Chu, Ka Hei Wong

Teacher: Mr. Chi Keung Chan

School: Yuen Long Merchants Association Secondary School

Topic: Developing 3D Human Model by Using Mathematical Tools

III. Committees and Panel (affiliations at the time of the Awards)

Scientific Committee

The Scientific Committee is the academic and adjudicating body of the Hang Lung Mathematics Awards and comprises world renowned mathematicians. It oversees the whole process of assessment, including reviewing the research project reports and conducting the oral defense. The committee upholds the academic integrity and high standard of the mathematics research competition as well as the awards.

Chair: Professor Tony F. Chan, National Science Foundation

Professor Shiu-Yuen Cheng, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Professor John H. Coates, University of Cambridge

Professor Jean-Pierre Kahane, Université Paris-Sud Orsay

Professor Ka-Sing Lau, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Professor Peter D. Lax, New York University

Professor Christopher J. Lennard, University of Pittsburgh

Professor Kenneth C. Millett, University of California, Santa Barbara

Professor Ngaiming Mok, The University of Hong Kong

Professor Cathleen S. Morawetz, New York University

Professor Gilbert Strang, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Professor Robert S. Strichartz, Cornell University

Professor Tom Wan, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Professor Lo Yang, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Professor Andrew Chi-Chih Yao, Tsinghua University

Screening Panel

The Screening Panel is a subcommittee of the Scientific Committee. It handles the initial screening of each report, supervises the external review process, and serves as a bridge between all referees and members of the Scientific Committee.

Chair: Professor Tom Wan, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Professor Wing Sum Cheung, The University of Hong Kong

Professor Conan Leung, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Steering Committee

The Steering Committee comprises mathematicians and leaders from different sectors of the society and serves as an advisory body that oversees the operation of the competition.

Chair: Professor Sir James A. Mirrlees, 1996 Nobel Laureate in Economics;

The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Professor Thomas Au, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Professor Wing Sum Cheung, The University of Hong Kong

Professor Ka-Sing Lau, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Professor Jian-Shu Li, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Mr. Siu Leung Ma, Fung Kai Public School

Mr. Chun Kau Poon, St. Paul's Co-educational College (retired)

Ms. Susan Wong, Hang Lung Properties Limited

Professor Lo Yang, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Mr. Chee Tim Yip, Pui Ching Middle School

Executive Committee

The Executive Committee is a subcommittee of the Steering Committee. It is in charge of the administration, promotion, team registration, communication, and organization of events including the oral defense.

Chair: Professor Thomas Au, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Dr. Ka-Luen Cheung, The Hong Kong Institute of Education

Dr. Leung-Fu Cheung, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Dr. Chi-Hin Lau, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Secretariat: Ms. Serena Wing Hang Yip, The Chinese University of Hong Kong