

HKMA Photographic Society (HKMAPS) ~ Dr. Amy PANG Lai Man

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Photo Sharing Meeting (1st Season 2013)

Date : Sunday, 24 March 2013
Time : 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Venue : HKMA Wanchai Premises

Activities

- Prize presentation of Jiuzhaigou photo competition
- Prize presentation of the 4th Season 2012 winning photos
- Announcement and prize presentation of the Annual Highest Score Awards Class A & B
- Judging of Best Photos of the Year, Class A & B
- Judging of seasonal photo competition
- Photo appreciation of the winning photos
- Photo sharing of member's works

Seats are limited. Please register early with Miss Nadia HO at nadiaho@hkma.org.

Photo Competition (1th Season 2013)

Topic : Random (for the purpose of selection of the best photos for each category, please classify your photos according to the following six categories):

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| 1. Creative | 2. Documentary | 3. Landscape |
| 4. Motion | 5. Nature | 6. Portrait |

Format : **Jpeg 1280 x 800 pixels** in maximum size < 1MB

Category : Class A and Class B
(for regulations please refer to webpage
<http://www.hkma.org/english/activities/psset.htm>)

Prize : Trophies will be awarded to winners in the subsequent season and winning photos will be published in the HKMA News

Webpage posting: Authors will have the chance of having their photos published on the HKMA webpage under the HKMAPS section. If the author opts otherwise or wants to add watermark to the photos, please state upon submission.

Deadline for submission : Friday, 15 March 2013

Highest Annual Score and Photos of the Year

The total score of each class is calculated as summation of scores of all submitted photos for the year 2013. The member with the highest annual score will win the "Highest Annual Score" award.

Annual Best Photo Awards will be given to the best three individual photos of both Class A and B (The winners of each season will be competing for this prestigious prize). This will be judged in the 1st seasonal photo sharing meeting 2014.

Please submit the photos via email to Miss Nadia HO at nadiaho@hkma.org. For enquiries, please don't hesitate to email Dr. Amy PANG at amypanglm@yahoo.com.

Photo Sharing Session During the Meeting

Due to the overwhelming response of the session, a maximum of 5 minutes is allocated to each member with priority given to those who register first and have not shared previously. So don't bury your works, register early with Miss Nadia HO at nadiaho@hkma.org.

HKMAPS Members Photographic Exhibition

Date: Friday to Sunday, 19-21 April 2013
Topic: Random
Venue: Hong Kong Cultural Centre Foyer Exhibition Area Unit E1 & E2
Details: To be confirmed

UPCOMING PHOTO SHOOTING EVENTS

The Magic of Migration - The Photo Taking Tour in Mai Po 2013 (追蹤候鳥之旅 2013)

As you remember the HKMAPS organized "The Magic of Migration - The Photo Taking Tour in Mai Po" (追蹤候鳥之旅) in March 2012, in view of the joy shared among the participants and the overwhelming response, we are going to organise another tour to this restricted area of Mai Po in February 2013. Don't miss this precious chance and register now!

Some facts about seasonal birds in Mai Po: Every year in winter, thousands of migratory birds will visit and stay at Mai Po and the Deep Bay area where they feed and gain fat in their bodies, then fly back North for breeding.



Group photo taken on 18 March 2012

Date: Sunday, 17 February 2013
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Venue: Mai Po Nature Reserve, San Tin, Yuen Long
Fee: HK\$ 320
(HK\$ 280 if you are member of WWF Hong Kong, elderly aged 65 or above & full time students aged 18 or below)
Age Limit: Age 12 or above
Capacity: 25 persons
First-come, first-served with priority given to HKMAPS members and registration shall only be confirmed upon receipt of cheque payment.
Registration: Please contact Mr. Benjamin CHAN at 2527 8285 or benjaminchan@hkma.org and indicate whether you are a WWF Hong Kong's member as well as your ID Card number.
Deadline: Monday, 21 January 2013

UPCOMING PHOTO SHOOTING EVENTS

8th Sports Night

Date : Saturday, 26 January 2013
Time : 7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Venue : *Wan Chai Ho Choi Banquet and Seafood Restaurant - The Grand Hall*
Please register with Ms. Dorothy KWOK at dorothy@hkma.org or 2527 8285 for photo taking permission.

HKMAPS Library

HKMAPS Library was newly established at the HKMA Secretariat (5/F., Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai). You are most welcome to donate your photo albums/collections to the Library for sharing purpose. You are also encouraged to come and read our collections inside the Library.

9th Issue of e-Newsletter (Jan 2013)

The 9th issue was released on 7 January 2013. If you wish to have a copy of it, please register with Miss Nadia HO at nadiaho@hkma.org.



ACTIVITIES REVIEW

Sharing Meetings and Competitions

The 4th Seasonal Photo Competition and Sharing Session 2012 and Jiuzhaigou Photo Tour Competition and sharing meeting were successfully held at the HKMA Wanchai Clubhouse on 9 December 2012. Prize Presentation of the 3rd Season 2012 winning photos was held. More than 30 members attended the meeting. We were most honoured to have invited three renowned photographers, Mr. CHAN Ling Wan, Mr. HO Ying Man and Mr. WONG Shiu Gun, to be the judges of the day. There were 49 entries for Class A and 50 entries for Class B in the Photo Competition and it took 5 rounds to select the winning and outstanding photos. In-between rounds of judgments, Photo Sharing Session was held. Dr. Amy PANG shared her photos related to her Calendar 2013.



Congratulations to all winners! Keep shooting and keep winning!

4th Seasonal Photo Competition 2012

Best Photos by Category

| | Winner | Name of Photo |
|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Best of Nature | Dr. KU Lap Shing | 準確捕捉 |
| Best of Motion | Dr. Brenda TAM Ho Shan | 小翠捉魚好本領 |
| Best of Documentary | Dr. Raymond LAM Hok Suen | Lord hear my prayer 禱告 |
| Best of Creative | Dr. LAW Wai Man | 以靜制動 |
| Best of Portrait | Dr. HLA Tha Htoon | Try to Hide Behind Curtain |
| Best of Landscape | Dr. LEE Pui Man | 怪樹林 |

Class A Winning Photos

| | Winner | Name of Photo |
|---------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| Champion | Dr. Brenda TAM Ho Shan | 小翠捉魚好本領 |
| 1st Runner-up | Dr. Mildred WAT Yee Mun | 秋色 |
| 2nd Runner-up | Dr. KU Lap Shing | 準確捕捉 |

Class A Outstanding Photos

| Winner | Name of Photo |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Dr. HUNG Hak Hon | 虎頭海雕 |
| Dr. KWAN Wing Ho | A Ship in the Mist |
| Dr. KWOK Siu Kong | 力挽狂瀾 |
| Dr. Michael LAI Po Yan | 起飛 |
| Dr. Raymond LAM Hok Suen | Lord hear my prayer 禱告 |

Class B Winning Photos

| | Winner | Name of Photo |
|---------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| Champion | Dr. LAW Wai Man | 以靜制動 |
| 1st Runner-up | Dr. Michael YEUNG Lok Yin | 深秋畫意 |
| 2nd Runner-up | Dr. Vincent YEUNG Chiu Yin | ROBBER FLY |

Class B Outstanding Photos

| Winner | Name of Photo |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Dr. Stella CHIM | 反射 |
| Dr. FUNG Kai Hung | Mating green dragonflies |
| Dr. HLA Tha Htoon | Morning sunrays at Dan Xia Shan |
| Dr. LEE Pui Man | 怪樹林 |
| Dr. WONG Tai Hung, John | The swirl |

Annual Highest Score Award of Year 2012

After the four rounds of seasonal photo competitions 2012, the accumulative scores of all participants were calculated, and the top five rankings of Class A and B in the Year 2012 are now shown as below:

Photo Competition: Top Five Rankings (Class A)

| | Competitors | Total Scores |
|---|---------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Dr. KU Lap Shing | 117 |
| 2 | Dr. LAM Hok Suen, Raymond | 115 |
| 3 | Dr. KWAN Wing Ho | 113 |
| 3 | Dr. WAT Yee Mun, Mildred | 113 |
| 3 | Dr. YEOH Pooi Seng, Gary | 113 |
| 4 | Dr. TAM Ho Shan, Brenda | 112 |
| 5 | Dr. KWOK Siu Kong | 111 |

Photo Competition: Top Five Rankings (Class B)

| | Competitors | Total Scores |
|---|---------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Dr. FUNG Kai Hung | 114 |
| 2 | Dr. LAW Wai Man | 110 |
| 3 | Dr. LEUNG May Heng, Sandy | 107 |
| 4 | Dr. LEE Pui Man, Brenda | 104 |
| 4 | Dr. LUK Ka Hay, James | 104 |
| 5 | Dr. KONG Po Shan, Mariana | 103 |

Jiuzhaigou Photo Competition

| | Winner | Name of Photo |
|---------------|------------------|---------------|
| Champion | Dr. WOO Chi Wai | TOUCHING SILK |
| 1st Runner-up | Mr. PANG Wai Yuk | 翡翠旁的絲帶舞 |
| 2nd Runner-up | Dr. HUNG Hak Hon | 比翼齊飛 |

Comments on the Winning Photos

- 黃兆根校長
- 資深攝影家 - 香港博物館專家顧問 (攝影) 1999-2012

- 何應文師傅
- 香港油麻地攝影學會

- 陳凌雲師傅
- 黑白暗房攝影導師

4th Season 2012 Class A Winners



Champion and Best of Motion:

Dr. Brenda TAM Ho Shan – 小翠捉魚好本領

何應文師傅：作者成功捕捉翠鳥捉魚一刹那的神情、動作以及水面躍起的浪花，實在十分難得，是一張十分高難度且考驗作者耐性的相片。

黃兆根校長：這照片有三大優點 — 首先主題十分清晰；第二照片中的翠鳥有水花作附帶幫助 (Supporting Element)；第三照片的色調亦處理得十分恰當。



1st Runner-up:

Dr. Mildred WAT Yee Mun – 秋色

黃兆根校長：這照片充分表現出「秋色」這個主題，作者運用景深使照片的佈局十分恰當，並以雙重曝光的手法拍攝出樹枝重疊的效果。



2nd Runner-up and Best of Nature:

Dr. KU Lap Shing – 準確捕捉

陳凌雲師傅：這照片的顏色清晰鮮明，相當漂亮，照片中的海雕雖以白色為主，但仍能清楚拍攝出羽毛的細緻度和翅膀底翼層次的顏色。

備註：藝無定法，僅此參考。

Jiuzhaigou Photo Competition Winners



Champion: Dr. WOO Chi Wai – TOUCHING SILK

何應文師傅：這照片以慢快門手法表達瀑布流洩而下的動感，在慢快門之中以靜物作陪襯，動靜對比得宜，加上流水的顏色及線條十分漂亮，使整張照片富有層次感。而照片中石頭的位置恰如其分落在黃金位，使主題更顯突出。



1st Runner-up: Mr. PANG Wai Yuk – 翡翠旁的絲帶舞

黃兆根校長：這照片以慢快門手法拍攝河水的流動，拍攝出如煙如霧的效果。照片最美麗之處在於流水的色調處理，從流水中能看見水底下的青綠色，使照片富有層次感。

陳凌雲師傅：照片的色調和構圖雖簡單，但更能突顯出拍攝的技巧。



2nd Runner-up: Dr. HUNG Hak Hon – 比翼齊飛

陳凌雲師傅：作者有很好的觸角感且眼明手快，能準確捕捉高速飛翔的雀鳥實在不易。照片顏色雖豐富，但看下去仍讓人感到很舒服。