

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

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Photo Sharing Meeting (2nd Season 2014)

Date : Sunday, 25 May 2014
 Time : 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 Venue : HKMA Wanchai Premises

Activities

- Prize presentation of annual best photos 2013
- Prize presentation of the 1st seasonal winning photos 2014
- Judging of 2nd Season Photo Competition 2014
- Appreciation of the winning photos
- Sharing of member's works

Seats are limited. Please register early with Mr. Ian KWA (柯震鋒) at iankwa@hkma.org.

Photo Competition (2nd Season 2014)

For details of regulations of seasonal competition, please refer to our webpage <http://www.hkma.org/english/activities/psset.htm>. For application or registration, please email to Mr. Ian KWA at iankwa@hkma.org. The deadline for submission is **Friday, 16 May 2014**.

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 Mr. Ian KWA at iankwa@hkma.org.

Any members may also share their photos and obtain comments from the judges during the meeting. Vacancy is limited and will be allocated according to the order of registration on that day. Please come early!

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 2014. 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 2015.

Please submit the photos via email to Mr. Ian KWA at iankwa@hkma.org. For enquiries, please don't hesitate to email Dr. Amy PANG at amypanglm@yahoo.com.

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UPCOMING PHOTO SHOOTING EVENTS

Sports Events

HKMAPS members can enjoy priority in taking photos in the following sports and recreational activities with the permission of the HKMA. Special permits will be arranged for close-up shot during the events. Interested members please register with Mr. Ian KWA at iankwa@hkma.org by stating which activities you intend to join. For details, please contact Mr. KWA at 2527 8285.

Events	Date	Time	Venue
Lantau Hiking	Sunday, 27 April 2014	9:45 a.m.	From Tung Chung to Tai O
HKMA Squash Tournament 2014	Sunday, 25 May 2014	2:00 p.m.	Kowloon Cricket Club
HKMA Bowling Tournament 2014	Sunday, 29 June 2014	2:00 p.m.	South China Athletic Association

HKMAPS Library

HKMAPS Library was 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.

ACTIVITIES REVIEW

The Magic of Migration – The Mai Po Photographic Trip on 23 March 2014 ~ Dr. WOO Chi Wai

Research on the Mai Po Daily Bird Counts and the Tide Tables resulted in optimal timing for the trip. Blessed with excellent weather, the day was poised for bliss and greatness.

After an illustrative talk by a guide from World Wide Fund, we set off on foot. The paths lead us to the peaceful “Gei Wei”-s, where the presence of a few egrets, cormorants and herons preluded for the greater things to come. The Education Centre in the middle of the grounds served as a place for a brief rest but some members were already clicking away nearby.

At around 11:40 a.m. we entered the “border zone”. We made for a birds-watching hide closest to the water margin facing Deep Bay. On entering the hide, we found ourselves in near-total darkness. The blinds were opened and in came the glorious sight of birds, sea, beach and fantastic light.

At the beginning, the birds, though numerous, were so small in the distance. Some fellow photographers with the less long lenses began to frown. However, faith prevailed. Who could stop the tide from rising? Thousands and thousands of birds drew nearer and nearer. Bird calls and squeaks became louder and louder. Huge flocks of curlews circled in the sky. The initial frowns simply turned into cries of elation. Good shots were shown around with excitement.

It was a most rewarding day. Expressions and comments from our members did show they had derived much joy from the shoot.



Photos credit to Dr. WOO Chi Wai



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The HKMAPS 5th Anniversary Members' Exhibition in Macau ~ Dr. Amy PANG

The HKMAPS 5th Anniversary Members' Exhibition, starting 2013, and since then continuing in several Hong Kong hospitals, had a dramatic new development on 16 March 2014.

Our members' exhibition inaugurated its tour of Macau. This is the 1st HKMAPS foray outside Hong Kong, and allowed the works of many of our members to be seen beyond Hong Kong.

The Macau exhibition ran from 16 March to 5 April 2014, at The Plaza Art Gallery, 1st Floor, Edf. Xin Hua, Rua de Nagasaki, Porto Exterior, Macau.

Brand new re-prints of the original works were made, and specially remounted to conform to the requirements of this site. The results were a very appealing fresh look for our photographs.

The opening ceremony of this chapter of the exhibition was presided by the President of the HKMA, Dr. TSE Hung Hing and the Chairman of the Recreational and Cultural Committee, HKMA, Dr. CHOW Pak Chin. Joining them at the ceremony were Dr. LEI Chin Ion, Director of Health Bureau, Macao SARG, and Dr. CHAN Iek Lap, Member of Legislative Assembly, Macao SARG cum Chairman of Board of Directors, Macau Chinese Medical Association, Dr. LAO Tong Nei, Chairperson of the Macau Chinese Medical Association, Mr. LAI Wing Chiu, Honorary Chairman of The Photography Salon Society of Macao, Mr. LEI U Weng, Supervisory Chairman of The

Photography Salon Society of Macao cum General Manager of The Plaza Restaurant, 洪火山先生, Chairman of Council of The Photography Salon Society of Macao.

The event was well attended and many members made the trip to Macau to attend. As well as our members, many dignitaries of Hong Kong photography world also graced this event with their presence.

Local Macau enthusiasts and luminaries came along. One particular private collector was so enamored with some of our members' works that he expressed an interest in buying some of these prints!

This extension of our members' exhibition would not have been possible without the contributions of many individuals. These include our committee members, the staff of the HKMA and in particular Mrs. Yvonne LEUNG, Ms. Gloria CHAN and the Membership Services Team, the HKMA council and the President, Mr. LEI U Weng, the General Manager of the Plaza Art Gallery.

Special Thanks

The HKMAPS would like to thank Dr. Michael YEUNG Lok Yin for donating \$5,000 to the Macau Exhibition.



Photos credit to Mr. CHEUNG Hung Choi, Norman & Mr. CHEUNG Wai Choi, Billy



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- 影聯攝影學會會長

● 陳栢健師傅
- 影聯攝影學會副會長 - 資深攝影師名家

● 蘇文郁師傅
- 專業攝影師學會前會長 - 資深攝影師名家

Class A Winners

Champion:
Dr. CHAU Chun Han, Kenneth
- 晨曦音羽

林惠端師傅：這幅照片構圖美觀，線條優美。下方S型溪水營造出美麗的風景，亦能反映出丹頂鶴神態，天上雲海亦恰到好處。



2nd Runner-up and Best Of Motion:
Dr. LAI Po Yan, Michael - 速度滑冰

陳栢健師傅：作者時間捕捉十分精確，能在雪地上捕捉高速度的事物，是一幅難度十分高和有層次感的一張照片。



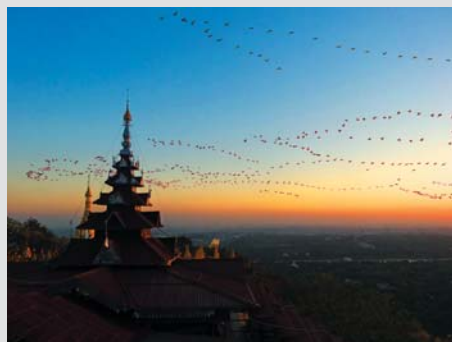
Outstanding Photo:
Dr. KWAN Wing Ho - 祈福

蘇文郁師傅：這照片光暗適中分明，能突顯出照片中女主角漂亮的一刻。



Outstanding Photo:
Dr. WOO Chi Wai - 開心早餐

陳栢健師傅：這幅照片層次感豐富，在光源的處理上亦十分精準。需要時間等待和配合光源才捕捉到這個漂亮畫面。



1st Runner-up and Best Of Nature:
Dr. CHUNG Yat Ki, Benedict - 晚燕歸巢

林惠端師傅：這幅照片十分美麗。燕子線條美觀，加上有藍天襯托，塔的形態也有表現出來。
蘇文郁師傅：作者心思細密，需等待燕子飛往適當的位置，捕捉瞬間的一刻。



Outstanding Photo:
Dr. HUNG Hak Hon - 講數

林惠端師傅：作者把照片的光源配合得很好，加上構圖美觀。曝光亦恰到好處。



Outstanding Photo:
Dr. KWOK Siu Kong - 馬上英姿

林惠端師傅：作者運用「Pan爆」拍攝手法，技術掌握得非常好，角度優良。捕捉到馬兒在空中飛躍的一刻。



Outstanding Photo:
Dr. LEE Tze Yuen - 生火

蘇文郁師傅：作者把火花的形態捕捉得非常好，看上去感覺像一個心形，層次感分明，光暗對比亦做得很好。

備註：藝無定法，僅此參考。