



Young Surveyors Group

Sr Rex Ying YSG Committee Chairman

Finally, I have reached the end of my term as Chairman of the Young Surveyors Group and this is my final Chairman's Message in Surveyors Times. I shall not report everything here, but, as I mentioned at the start of my term, it is YSG's aim to promote professionalism among its members, reflect their views, and serve as a link between the Institute and Probationers and Students. Over the past year, we have done a good job of maintaining the good relationship between our members and students. We have organised lots of events, including seminars and visits, established close connections with other divisions within the Institute and other professional institutes in Hong Kong, and have continued to organise interesting study tour and annual dinner. We even achieved good results in the dragon boat competitions!

I have been working with YSG since 2008. I love to work, play, and enjoy every event with my committee. I am not here to say goodbye, nor am I going to stop helping YSG in the future. Like my predecessors, I intend to continue working with YSG. What I want to see after I step down is more participation by all members in YSG's upcoming activities. With your continued support, I trust that our incoming Chairman and Committee will do a good job and lead YSG to new heights in the coming year.

YSG organised the "Quality Control of Tempered Glass" seminar on 7 November. It also attended the HKIS Annual Dinner and organised its own annual dinner and annual general meeting in mid-November. Although it is now the end of year, there are still many functions in the works, such as the Joint Professional Tour to Nam Shan Wai and the visit to Ping Che in December. Please refer to YSG's Facebook page and the HKIS website for the latest updates on YSG's activities and come share in the joy of these events.

Events Highlight

YSG Annual Dinner 2015

The YSG Annual Dinner was held on 14 November at 7 PM at House of Tang, Metro

Park Hotel Kowloon. This year's theme was "Masquerade in School Uniform". Thanks go to everyone who attended and we hope all our guests, YSG members, and students enjoyed the event. It has been our aim this year to encourage HKIS members, guests, and students to communicate with each other more, so we designed a game using a QR code and web apps to exchange attendees' information. The annual dinner 's featured game, the drinking competition, stills grabs everybody's attention. This year we even had President Vincent Ho, YSG Chairman Rex Ying, and YSG Vice Chairman Lizzy To compete on stage at the same time!

Finally, I want to thank the organising committee's Billy Mak, David Mui, Jenny Yuen, Johnny Yeung, and Matthew Chan for their efforts in organising this event. I believe we did a good job and every participant enjoyed the evening.

HKIS Annual Dinner 2015

The HKIS Annual Dinner was successfully held on 10 November. YSG was represented at the dinner by 18 Committee and Co-opted Members. We all enjoyed the dinner and the performances, including that of our Honorary Treasurer, Chris Mook, who performed on stage with the surveyors' band, SIR. Thanks go to Alice Ko and Kirsten Lam for serving in the organising committee throughout the year and for their assistance in preparing everything for the dinner.

Coming Soon

Joint Professional Nam Sang Wai Tour and Networking Drinks

YSG is co-organising the "Joint Professional Nam Sang Wai Tour and Networking Drinks" event with other young professional groups, including the Hong Kong Medical Association and Hong Kong Institute of Planners, on 12 December 2015. Participants will enjoy a unique tour of Hong Kong's rural life whilst meeting

other young professionals. Nam Sang Wai (南生圍), a wetland area to the north of Yuen Long in the Northwestern New Territories, has long been acclaimed for its natural beauty. Bordered by the Shan Pui River to the west, the Kam Tin River to the south, and Kam Tin Main Drainage Channel to the east, it is home to a number of migratory birds such as seagulls and spoonbills.

Site Visit to Wo Lee Ping Che Warehouse

For decades since its establishment in 1954, Wo Lee Steel Company Limited has supplied a wide range of steel materials like piles, H-columns, channels, hollow sections, angles, squares, rounds, flats, and deformed bars to the construction industry. In recent years, Wo Lee has diversified its services to include product innovation and the establishment of a processing centre to keep pace with the needs of an increasingly demanding worldwide market. The Ping Che Warehouse in Fanling is well-equipped with various processing machines. YSG is organising a visit there to observe the latest steel products technology, which is crucial to the construction industry.

We Need You

For the continued success of YSG, it needs your support, ideas, advice, and active participation. If you are interested in joining us or have any enquiry, kindly e-mail us at ysg@hkis.org.hk. You are also welcome to attend our monthly regular meetings next year.

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