



Department of English

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Hong Kong Scholarship for Excellence Scheme

The Education Bureau is now inviting outstanding local students who intend to pursue undergraduate or postgraduate studies in world renowned universities outside Hong Kong commencing in the academic year 2021/22 to apply for the Hong Kong Scholarship for Excellence Scheme.

Each awardee will receive a non-means-tested scholarship of up to HKD300,000 and a means-tested bursary of up to HKD200,000 per annum. Details of this Scholarship Scheme are obtainable from the HKSES website at <http://hkSES.edb.gov.hk/>.

Applications should be submitted via the online scholarship application system. The closing date for application is **6:00pm 12 January 2021**.

Publications

Professor Phyak (with B. K. Sharma) published an article in the journal *Multilingua* called Regimes of linguistic entrepreneurship: neoliberalism, the entanglement of language ideologies and affective regime in language education policy. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1515/multi-2020-0031>.

Talks and Presentations

Professor Julian Lamb gave a mini lecture on "King Lear and Trump" on 17 Dec 2020. The video has been uploaded to the Department's youtube channel. Here is the link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h9sp_Ktfd0A

Professor Li Ou delivered a keynote speech, "Shelley's Scattered Words in China," for the online PG Symposium "Literary Crisis: Romanticism Before and After," organised by English Department, National Chengchi University, Taipei, on 19 December 2020.

Our PhD students Stephanie Studzinski and Cora Liu also presented papers at this symposium. Stephanie gave a paper on "Sheri S. Tepper & Imagining Otherwise: a Crisis of Narrative and a Narrative of Crisis," and Cora delivered her paper on "Realism Mediated by Crisis: Reading Food Circulation and Eating disorder in Tara June Winch's *The Yield*."

