

# Faculty of Dentistry staff honoured by HKU for teaching and research excellence

Two members of the HKU Faculty of Dentistry were presented with awards for teaching and research excellence at an award presentation ceremony hosted by HKU on 22 January 2008.



Dr Cynthia Yiu and Prof Edward Lo (back row, 5th and 9th from L) won HKU awards on 22 January 2008

Prof Edward CM Lo (Professor in Dental Public Health) and Dr Cynthia KY Yiu (Associate Professor in Paediatric Dentistry) were among the 25 HKU staff members who were honoured for outstanding teaching and research achievements at the HKU Award Presentation Ceremony for Excellence in Teaching and Research 2007. In the presence of more than 200 guests, including Guest of Honour Dr The Hon David Kwok-po Li (HKU Pro-Chancellor) and Prof Lap-chee Tsui (HKU Vice-Chancellor), Prof Edward CM Lo received the HKU Outstanding Research Student Supervisor Award 2007 and Dr Cynthia KY Yiu received the HKU Faculty of Dentistry Research Output Prize 2007.

This is the seventh time that HKU has held the event to reward staff for their teaching and research performance. Speaking at the opening of the ceremony, Prof Tsui said: "Our prowess in teaching and research lies at the heart of our reputation, and it is right that we should acknowledge our colleagues whose performances have helped boost this reputation. Not only does this ceremony give us an opportunity for thanking them, but I hope it will also encourage others to follow their fine example".

In his closing remarks, HKU Pro-Chancellor Dr The Hon David Li said the high calibre of the awardees indicated that HKU has a solid basis of achievement to build on, and that HKU "has both the talent and determination to lift its high reputation even further...to enter its second century of existence in a mood of high and deserved confidence".

The full list of award recipients is available at [www.hku.hk/award/award\\_recipients.html](http://www.hku.hk/award/award_recipients.html)