A Report on the Job Interview Workshop for Law Students 2007 Organized by The University of Hong Kong Law Alumni Association ("HKULAA")



First from left: Her Honour Judge Mimmie Chan, Prof. Johannes Chan SC (Dean of the Faculty), Ms Lucy Yen (President of the HKULAA), Ms Cleresa Wong (Exco member of HKULAA)



Panel Interviewers (from right): Ms Au Miu Po, Her Honour Judge Mimmie Chan, Mr Simon Ip Shing Hing



1st mock interviewee: Michelle Yip, LLB3



2nd mock interviewee: Catherine Lau, BBA(Law)4



Group interviewees (from left): Simon Kwong (PCLL), Gigi Lo (PCLL) and Billy Ma (PCLL)

The Job Interview Workshop organized by HKULAA was held on Monday, 24 September 2007. It was conducted in three parts. Ms Cissy Leung, Exco member of the HKULAA, first shared with students on the preparation required for an interview, and the "dos" and "don'ts" for a job interview; then two individual mock interviews were conducted by three experienced alumni, Ms Au Miu Po (LLB 1973), Her Honour Judge Mimmie Chan (LLB 1980, PCLL 1981) and Mr Simon Ip Shing Hing (LLB 1978, PCLL 1979), with law students seeking to apply to the hypothetical employers, Woo, Kwan, Lee & Lo, for trainee position. A group interview of three law students was then conducted. Finally practical feedbacks from the Ms Cissy Leung and the guest interviewers on the mock interviews were given and there was a Q & A session that welcomed questions from all participants.

## Guest and Speakers of the Job Interview Workshop

### **Officiating Guest:**

Ms Lucy Yen, LLB 1972, PCLL 1973, President, The University of Hong Kong Law Alumni Association

### Speaker:

Ms Cissy Leung, LLB 1988, PCLL 1989, Head of Legal Services, Hongkong Land Ltd

### Panel Interviewers:

Ms Au Miu Po, LLB 1973, Partner, CP Lin & Co, Her Honour Judge Mimmie Chan, LLB 1980, PCLL 1981, Judge of the District Court Mr Simon Ip Shing Hing, LLB 1978, PCLL 1979, Partner, Christine M Koo & Ip and former President of the Hong Kong Law Society

## **Event Details**

Date:24 September 2007 (Monday)Time:6:15pm to 9:00pmVenue:Rayson Huang Theatre, The University of Hong Kong

### **Participants**

Application was open to all law students. A total of 218 students registered for the Workshop and 149 students were present.

Curriculum	No. of attendees
LLB	52
Double Degree	28
PCLL	59
LLM	1
Walk-in	9
Total	149

### **Follow-up Session**

This year for the first time, a follow-up session was introduced. It took place on 8 October 2007. Students were required to register in advance with the Job Interview Workshop and submitted their CVs/cover letters. During the Follow-up Session, students were divided into 6 groups, some of the students in each group were selected as interviewees, and the rest of the students in that group were observers.

# **Guest Interviewers**

Ms Lucy Yen (LLB 1972, PCLL 1973) Ms Jennifer Wong (LLB 1972, PCLL 1973) Ms Cleresa Wong (LLB 1980, PCLL 1981, LLM 1988) Mr Erik Shum (LLB 1984, PCLL 1985) Ms Andrea Fong (LLB 1986, PCLL 1987) Ms Elaine Liu (LLB 1987, PCLL1988) Ms Cissy Leung (LLB 1988, PCLL 1989) Ms Bonnie Chan (LLB 1989, PCLL 1990, LLM (CFL) 2001) Mr William Liu (LLB 2005, PCLL 2006) Miss Percy Yue (PCLL 2007)

**Participants** 

A total of 26 students signed up for the Follow-up Session and 21 students were present.

Curriculum	No. of attendees
LLB	5
Double Degree	5
PCLL	11
Total	21