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The Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors Annual General Meeting 2016 General Council 2016-2017 Elected

The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors (HKIS) was held on 9 December 2016. Sr Thomas HO was elected as the President of the HKIS for 2016 - 2017, taking over from Sr LAU Chun Kong, who retires as Immediate Past President.

At the AGM it was also announced that Sr Dick KWOK was elected Senior Vice-President, and Sr Dr Tony LEUNG and Sr Dr Lesly LAM were elected Vice-Presidents respectively, while Sr Tony CHAN and Sr Billy WONG were elected Honorary Secretary and Honorary Treasurer, respectively.

Sr Thomas HO is a Fellow of the HKIS. He served as Chairman (2011-12) of the Quantity Surveying Division, and is currently the Managing Director at TLS & Associates Ltd. He has been involved in building and infrastructure works for many years, also is an accredited mediator, overseeing several construction and financial dispute cases. In addition to his service with the HKIS, Sr HO holds a number of roles at various organizations in the surveying industry and helps to nurture juniors of the profession by providing mentoring to younger leaders in the industry

The incoming President Sr HO said, "The HKIS has been actively providing professional advice to the Government on land supply, building construction, infrastructure, urban planning, property and facility management and other industry-related issues, also promoting the profession. Over the years, the Institute has built an unwavering image as a reputable professional body in society. The new General Council will continue to review its code of practices and maintain the standard of the industry from time to time. Also we will execute sustainable development for Hong Kong with professional expertise, while strengthening the connection with overseas counterparts and associations to sustaining upholding our profession standards and the influence and success in the society."

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Appendices

Appendix 1: Members of the HKIS General Council 2016-2017

Photo 1: Immediate Past President Sr LAU Chun Kong (on the right) and Incoming President Sr Thomas HO

Photo 2: General Council 2016-2017 of the HKIS

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About the Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors

Established in 1984, The Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors is the only professional organization representing the surveying profession in Hong Kong. As of 2 November 2016, the number of members reached 9,529, of which 6,224 were corporate members. The Institute's work includes setting standards for professional services and performance, establishing codes of ethics, determining requirements for admission as professional surveyors, access and award the professional qualification, and advance members' professional knowledge, technical and services standards through continuing professional development.

The Institute has an important consultative role in government policy making and on issues affecting the profession. We have advised the Government on issues such as unauthorized building works, building safety campaign, problems of property management, town planning and development strategies, construction quality and housing problems. We are working on amendments to standard forms of building contract and have issued guidance notes on floor area measurement methods.

For more details, please refer to HKIS website: <http://www.hkis.org.hk>

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Appendix 1:

Members of the HKIS General Council (2016-2017)

Office Bearers

Sr HO Kwok Kwan, Thomas	President
Sr KWOK Ngok Chung, Dick	Senior Vice-President
Sr Dr LEUNG Tony Ka Tung	Vice-President
Sr Dr LAM Lik Shan, Lesly	Vice-President
Sr CHAN Tung Ngok, Tony	Honorary Secretary
Sr WONG Kin Yee, Billy	Honorary Treasurer

Members

Sr CHANG Wai Ip, Daniel	Chairman, Building Surveying Division
Sr TSE Chi Kin, Kenny	Vice Chairman, Building Surveying Division
Sr DY Wai Fung, Peter	Vice Chairman, Building Surveying Division
Sr CHIU Kam Kuen	Chairman, General Practice Division
Sr LAM Tsan Wing, Alexander	Vice Chairman, General Practice Division
Sr CHAN Chak Wa, Jason	Vice Chairman, General Practice Division
Sr Dr TANG Hong Wai, Conrad	Chairman, Land Surveying Division
Sr YU Sau Chung, Edmond	Vice Chairman, Land Surveying Division
Sr WONG Yiu Cho, Joseph	Vice Chairman, Land Surveying Division
Sr Prof PONG Kam Keung, James	Chairman, Planning and Development Division
Sr Prof HUI Chi Man, Eddie	Chairman, Property and Facility Management Division
Sr HUI Wah Lun, Daniel	Vice Chairman, Property and Facility Management Division
Sr WAI Chun Sing, Terence	Honorary Treasurer, Property and Facility Management Division
Sr KAM Ka Fai, Raymond	Chairman, Quantity Surveying Division
Sr KONG Chau Ming, Raymond	Vice Chairman, Quantity Surveying Division
Sr FOK Ching Yin, Amelia	Vice Chairman, Quantity Surveying Division
Sr MOOK King Tong, Chris	Chairman, Young Surveyors Group
Sr WONG Ka Wing, Simon	Vice Chairman, Young Surveyors Group

Ex-Officio Members

Sr LAU Chun Kong	Immediate Past President
(to be elected)	Chairman of the Board of Education
(to be elected)	Chairman of the Board of Membership
(to be elected)	Chairman of the Board of Professional Development



Photo1: Immediate Past President Sr LAU Chun Kong (on the right) and Incoming President Sr Thomas HO



Photo 2: General Council 2016-2017 of the HKIS