

## Message from Equal Opportunity Unit

Dear Students,

The Equal Opportunity Unit, which was set up with the vision to assist the University in creating an environment which provides equality of opportunity, and which is free of any discrimination and harassment, is recruiting student leaders who are interested in issues related to equal opportunity and engaging in projects/activities to help maintain an accessible, equitable and diversified campus.

Equal Opportunity Student Ambassadors, will be a group of student leaders who are:

- i) interested in learning issues related to equal opportunity;
- ii) passionate about maintaining a discrimination free society and campus environment;
- iii) interested in meeting people of all background and learning from others.

The Equal Opportunity Student Ambassadors are expected to initiate programmes/projects related to equal opportunity; to engage in learning processes in organizing campaigns and activities; and to promote the awareness of maintaining a discrimination free environment among students and staff. In return, the student ambassadors will gain wide exposure in topics related to equal opportunity, as well as opportunities to learn organizing events/activities in promoting the good cause. Training opportunities including summer camps and reward programmes will be available for the Ambassadors. Please click the following link to view more details:

<http://www.eounit.hku.hk/share/ProgramInfo-EOStudentAmbassadors.html>

If you are interested in applying, please send your CV and a brief statement of not more than 500 words to tell us why you are interested in becoming an Equal Opportunity Student Ambassadors by August 31, 2013.

Shortlisted students will be invited for an interview. A briefing/training session will be provided to student ambassadors after the selection process. For enquiries, please contact the undersigned or Ms Sera Mok at 2241 5115/2241 5171 or [eounit@hku.hk](mailto:eounit@hku.hk).

Best regards  
Ms Wendy Lin  
Equal Opportunity Officer

August 5, 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG  
Equal Opportunity Unit

Equal Opportunity Student Ambassadors

**Equal Opportunity Unit**

The Equal Opportunity Unit (EOU) is the designated office set up by the University with the vision to assist the University in creating an environment which provides equality of opportunities, and which is free of any discrimination and harassment. One of its missions is to promote the awareness of equal opportunity issues among our students and staff. The “Equal Opportunity Student Ambassadors” is a new programme to engage students who share our vision to maintain a barrier-free campus environment for all.

**Role of EO Student Ambassadors**

- To assist in initiating programmes/projects related to equal opportunity for the benefit of the University community;
- To engage in learning processes in organizing campaigns and activities;
- To serve as student advisors in promoting the awareness of equal opportunity

**Qualities of EO Student Ambassadors**

- Interested in learning issues related to equal opportunity;
- Passionate about maintaining a discrimination free society and campus environment;
- Interested in meeting people of all background and learning from others;

**Training Opportunities**

A training session will be organized in September 2013 for the successful student ambassadors. Other activities include experiential exercises, sharing by a person with visual impairment, training by HK Blind Union on web accessibility testing, and visit to the HKU main library’s resources room for visually-impaired students. A summer camp and reward programmes will also be available for participation by the ambassadors.

**Application procedure**

If you are interested, please send your CV and a brief statement of not more than 500 words to tell us why you are interested in becoming an Equal Opportunity Student Ambassadors on or before **August 31, 2013**. Shortlisted candidates will be invited to attend an interview. For enquiries, please contact Ms Wendy Lin/Ms Sera Mok at 2241 5115/2241 5171 or [eounit@hku.hk](mailto:eounit@hku.hk).

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