Dear international partners,

We are excited to announce the return of the CUHK International Summer School in 2021 in virtual mode. Both the 5-week July Session (28 June to 2 August) and 3-week August Session (9 to 27 August) will be on offer this summer. With the health and safety of students continuing to be our top priority, both inside- and outside-classroom learning will be delivered virtually in the comfort and safety of students' homes.

In addition to intellectually stimulating academic courses, there will be an array of culturally immersive virtual activities every week ranging from city tours, cooking classes to heritage walks. The July Session will offer Chinese language courses (Putonghua and Cantonese) from beginner to intermediate levels and 14 content courses which span across the areas of Business & Finance; Environment, Science & Technology; Society & Human Interaction; and Understanding China. The August Session will focus on intensive Chinese language (Putonghua) training at the beginner, intermediate and advanced levels.

Your students are welcome to join as exchange or fee-paying. For exchange, we are allowing for flexibility on how exchange quota is counted; exchange students enrolling in one course will be counted as 0.125FTE (0.5 headcount for summer-to-summer exchange) towards the exchange balance and 0.25FTE (one headcount for summer-to-summer exchange) for enrolling in two courses. For fee-paying, the tuition is HK\$7,722 (US\$990) for one course and HK\$15,444 (US\$1,980) for two courses. All students joining the August Session will continue to take two courses as a bundle. Fees for administration and cultural activities have been reduced this year to HK\$1,900 (US\$246) for the July Session and HK\$1,000 (US\$129) for the August Session.

Application opens in mid-February and will close on 30 April for the July Session and 30 May for the August Session. Additional program information will be sent via email in the coming week and available now on our website at <u>www.summer.cuhk.edu.hk</u>. Please do not hesitate to contact us at <u>iss@cuhk.edu.hk</u> if you or your students have any questions.