

## HKU Master of Social Sciences (Counselling) Alumni Association 香港大學輔導學碩士校友會

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# Continuing Education Seminar cum Annual General Meeting 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

**Zoom Meeting** 

**Programme:** 

2:20 - 2:30 pm Registration

2:30 - 4:30 pm Seminar on 'Facilitating Learning and Growth of Children with Autism

Spectrum Disorder (ASD)'

– Ms. Jennie Leung (Graduate of 2007)

4:30 - 4:45 pm Break

4:45 - 5:30 pm Annual General Meeting

#### **Target Participants:**

- Childcare workers, Educators, Graduates, and Students of MSS Counselling Programme

- Related professionals as recommended by members are also welcome

Fee: Seminar is free for all.

### **Registration:**

Please register via e-form <a href="https://qrgo.page.link/4Zd3U">https://qrgo.page.link/4Zd3U</a>

**Deadline for Enrollment:** 31st July, 2021



\* Zoom link will be sent to successful registrants three days before the AGM.

#### **About the Seminar:**

Children with ASD can be crying, screaming, uncooperative, distant, or harming themselves ... What lies behind such behaviors? Are these "signals" or "cries" for help? What is happening?

What environmental factors may facilitate their learning and development? How can adults interacting with them facilitate their engaging and expressive behaviours? What can be done in terms of sensory integration, executive functions, and emotional regulations to facilitate their learning and development? What could be happening in the psychosocial, intrapersonal and interpersonal realms of the child and the adult(s) around them?

This seminar invites childcare workers, educators and related professionals to have a deeper understanding of these children, of themselves and the interaction among all parties, so as to walk together along the journey of learning.



### About the Speaker: Miss Jennie Leung 梁慧賢

Miss Leung holds a B.Sc. (Hons.) degree in Occupational Therapy and a M.Soc.Sc. degree in Counselling. She has nearly twenty years of frontline experience in working with children and families with ASD and other special educational needs. She previously worked in an NGO specializing in serving children with special educational needs for over a decade, and in 2013, she founded the LLEN Centre (LLEN – Love, Listen, Embrace and Nurture), serving children, teenagers and their families through team work in various modes of service.

Miss Leung also serves in various capacities that include providing direct onsite service for children, teenagers, families, and to schools, at the preschool, primary, and secondary level, giving seminars, workshops, and talks to parents, teachers and the general public. Collaborators in her work include mainstream schools, early education and training centres, special childcare centres, special schools and NGOs. She also trains and supervises Occupational Therapists and Trainers in providing services to children with diverse needs. She has served as clinical instructor in the Occupational Therapy Program at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University, and as Guest Lecturer at the Education University of Hong Kong, teaching courses on children with diverse needs. She was the Chairperson of the Alumni Association in 2015-16, and serving in the Executive Committee since 2014.

Language for Presentation: Cantonese (with written presentation in Chinese/English)