BRE Undergraduate Student Winning
OSHC Best Project Award (2013)

The dissertation report of a 2013 graduate from the Department of Building and Real Estate (BRE), Ms WONG Wai Ming (黃惠明), was adjudicated as the one of the Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Best Project Award 2013 winners under the category of Undergraduate Degree Programme organized by the statutory Occupational Safety and Health Council (OSHC).

The Award aimed at encouraging post-secondary students in Hong Kong to appreciate the importance of occupational safety and health in their studies. The OSHC offers a maximum of ten awards annually, based on the relevance, quality and originality of the submissions. The graduate received an award certificate and a cash prize of HK$3,000 during the OSH Best Project Award Prize Presentation Ceremony 2014 launched on 18 February 2014 at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre.

The winning dissertation report of Ms Wong, being a full-time graduate of BSc(Hons) in Surveying programme in 2013, was entitled “Evaluating the Effectiveness of Safety Partnering Programme (SPP) in Improving Construction Site Safety in Hong Kong”. The winner was supervised by Dr Daniel W.M. Chan (陳煒明博士), Associate Professor of the BRE Department.

Ms Wong Wai Ming (left) and her Dissertation Supervisor, Dr Daniel Chan (right)

Chairman of OSHC, Ir Conrad Wong (left) and her Dissertation Supervisor, Dr Daniel Chan (right)
Dr Daniel W M Chan  
Department of Building and Real Estate  
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University  
Hung Hom  
Kowloon

Dear Dr Chan

OSH Best Project Award
for the Academic Year 2013

Thank you for your nomination of Ms Wong Wai-ming with the project on “Evaluating the Effectiveness of Safety Partnering Programme (SPP) in Improving Construction Site Safety in Hong Kong” dated 26 September 2013.

We are now writing with pleasure to inform you that the above-said nomination has been adjudicated as one of Best Project Award winners. Both you and the nominee are invited to the OSH Best Project Award Prize Presentation Ceremony to be held on 18 Feb 2014 at HKCEC with more details be forwarded to your attention in early 2014.

If you have any query, please do not hesitate to contact my colleague Mr Chow at 2116 5680 or the undersigned at 2116 5673 or email us at research@oshc.org.hk. Thank you.

Wishing you a prosperous year in 2014.

Yours sincerely

[Signature]

Patricia Yim  
Secretary  
Research Committee

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Objective

1. To encourage post-secondary students in Hong Kong to appreciate the importance of occupational safety and health in their studies, the Occupational Safety and Health Council continues to organize the Occupational Safety & Health Best Project Award for the academic year 2013.

2. Each post-secondary University / College / Institution of Vocational Education / Training Academy is now invited to nominate up to five students for the Award.

Closing Date for Nomination

The completed nomination form together with a copy of the project report / dissertation for the academic year of 2013, as well as a scientific paper summarizing the project in one A4 size page (about 1,000 words) should be submitted to the Occupational Safety & Health Council, 19/F, China United Centre, 28 Marble Road, North Point, Hong Kong on or before 30 September 2013. All entries received would not be returned to the applicant.

Category

Nominations will be in 3 categories in pursuit of:
(i) postgraduate program; or
(ii) undergraduate program; or
(iii) sub-degree studies.

Eligibility

1. Nominee should be a student attending a course of duration not less than 6 months organized by a recognized local academic institution in Hong Kong.

2. Students could be from postgraduate, undergraduate or sub-degree studies on a part-time or full-time mode.

3. All nominations should be made from the project supervisors with the consent of the nominees.

Selection Criteria

1. Selection will be based on the student’s project work in any subject area relating to occupational safety and hygiene, work ergonomics, accident prevention and loss control, construction safety, risk management, OSH for small and medium enterprises, safety and health products design, etc. The submission can be in the form of a dissertation or a final year project report.

2. A Selection Panel will select the suitable nominees from the nominations based on the relevance, quality and originality of the submission.

3. Decision of the Selection Panel would be final. The Panel will not be required to divulge to any person why a particular nominee has not been selected. All information regarding the nomination, nominees and the selection process would be kept strictly confidential.

4. Shortlisted nominees might be invited to attend an interview.

5. Successful nominees will be notified through their supervisors.

Number of Award

1. A maximum of 10 awards would be offered subject to the funding availability.

2. The Best Project Award will be conferred with a cash prize of HK$3,000.

3. Eligible nominations may also be shortlisted to receive a Certificate of Merit and a cash prize of HK$1,000.

4. The total number of awards to be conferred is subject to the quality of nominations received, and is granted at the sole discretion of the Council.

Publicity

1. Successful nominees will be required to provide the Council a scientific paper summary in Chinese.

2. The Council shall have the right to display, disseminate or release the findings of the OSH Best Project Award winning entries to the public in the form that the Council considers appropriate.
Nomination Form for the OSH Best Project Award

Part A : To be completed by Supervisor

I would like to nominate the following student for the OSH Best Project Award for the academic year 2013:

Name of Nominee: ____________________________ (English) ____________________________ (Last name) ____________________________ (中文)

HKID No.: ____________________________ Mobile: ____________________________

(We may use SMS to communicate on matters relating to OSH Best Project Award)

Tel: ____________________________ Fax: ____________________________ Email: ____________________________

Correspondence Address: ____________________________

Programme: ____________________________

Year of Study: ____________________________

Department: ____________________________

Institution: ____________________________

Project Title: ____________________________

Name of Supervisor: ____________________________

Mobile: ____________________________ Tel: ____________________________

(We may use SMS to communicate on matters relating to OSH Best Project Award)

Fax: ____________________________ Email: ____________________________

Correspondence Address: ____________________________

Signature of Supervisor: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

Part B : To be completed by Nominee

I agree to the above nomination and to the Occupational Safety & Health Council's right to display, disseminate or release the findings of the OSH Best Project Award winning entries to the public in the form that the Council considers appropriate.

Signature of Nominee: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

Personal Data Statement:
We will keep your personal data for promotion of safety and health at work, including related research and statistical purposes. We may need to transfer such data to service providers, event co-organizers and partner institutions. If you do not wish to receive information and news relating to safety and health at work from us, please mark the box at the end of this Statement.

☐ I do not wish to receive the aforesaid information and news.

Enquiries: Please feel free to contact Mr S L Chow or Ms Patricia Yim on 2739 9377(tel) or 2739 9779(fax) or research@oshc.org.hk(email).
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH COUNCIL

Occupational Safety & Health

Best Project Award 2013

is awarded to

WONG Wai-ming

Department of Building and Real Estate
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Project on

Evaluating the Effectiveness of Safety Partnering Programme (SPP) in Improving Construction Site Safety in Hong Kong

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