

HKIA Outstanding Contributions to Clinical Allergy Award

Dr. Adrian WU

Dr. Adrian Wu has been serving the Council of Hong Kong Institute of Allergy for two decades and is the current Co-chair of Education Committee.

Dr. Wu graduated from the University of Edinburgh Medical School, Scotland, UK in 1989 and completed his internship and registrar in UK and pursued his internal medicine training in 1991 - 1994 at Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation, La Jolla, CA, USA; where he furthered his Allergy and Immunology fellowship programme and became American Board of Allergy & Immunology certified specialist. He was Research Associate in 1995 –1997 at the Department of Immunology, The Scripps Research Institute. He was Clinical Instructor in 1994 – 1997, University of California at San Diego, USA. With his extensive and unique transatlantic experiences in education, training, clinical practice, and research, he returned his hometown in 1997 and serves our allergy community diligently and wholeheartedly since.

Since returning to HK, Dr. Wu joined the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Hong Kong and establishing the first allergy clinic in Queen Mary Hospital pioneering in allergen immunotherapy. He was the Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine, University of Hong Kong 1997-2003, He coordinated and networked with various specialists from different disciplines, paediatrician, dermatologist, ENT surgeon and ophthalmologist etc. Dr Wu has raised the level of allergy care and enhanced the societal awareness of allergy discipline. Dr. Wu is renowned for his clinical acumen, and he has mentored extensively to trainees from HK, Greater Bay Area, and other cities of China.

Since 2004, He has gone into Private Practice. He is a very popular allergist in high demand. He continues with his industrial partnerships and brings in new advances and suitable diagnostics and therapeutics to Hong Kong. He has been organising and teaching in many of allergy courses and past Allergy conventions for medical practitioners and allied health professionals. He dedicates his time and effort in supporting allergy patient support groups.

His passion for Allergy, his extensive network, his dedication in education and mentorship, his unreserved services to our community and his stewardship in preaching for the best up-to-date allergy practice all contributed to the successful growth of the HK Institute of Allergy and the growing discipline of Allergy as a whole.

Indeed, Dr. Wu is more than qualified for the Award of Clinical Excellence.