



# Foreword from the President of PolyU and Chairman of College Council

## 理大校長及學院校董會主席序言

It gives me great pleasure to present to you this annual report which provides an overview of the developments and achievements of the College of Professional and Continuing Education (CPCE) of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU) in 2021/22.

Founded in 2002, CPCE has developed into one of the largest self-financed tertiary institutions in Hong Kong, offering quality education through its two educational units, namely the Hong Kong Community College (HKCC) and the School of Professional Education and Executive Development (SPEED).

HKCC provides full-time associate degree and higher diploma programmes (i.e. sub-degree programmes) to graduates of the Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education Examination, while SPEED offers part-time and full-time articulation honours degree programmes to sub-degree graduates and working adults. In addition, CPCE organises a wide array of continuing education courses for lifelong learners. These offerings provide learners with multiple education pathways to meet their learning needs at different stages of their studies and career.

Over the years, CPCE has been successful in nurturing students through an effective two-pronged approach: arming students with professional skills and knowledge via PolyU-accredited programmes, and enhancing their holistic development via a variety of extra-curricular activities supported by scholarships and other funding. These endeavours speak volumes about the College's commitment to nurturing students to become critical thinkers, effective communicators, innovative problem solvers and socially responsible global citizens.

I am gratified to learn that the 2021 cohort of HKCC and SPEED graduates, against all odds under the prolonged pandemic, managed to succeed with flying colours, with our HKCC graduates achieving an articulation rate of 90.7% and our SPEED graduates achieving an employment rate of 81.1%.

In the face of the very challenging environment in the local self-financed tertiary education sector complicated by multiple waves of the pandemic, CPCE has been able to ride on the firm foundation built over the past two decades and sail its way upstream to realise its vision and mission.

With the unwavering support and contributions of its staff, students, alumni and partners from different sectors, I am confident that CPCE will continue to make great strides in various strategic areas in the future.



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我欣然向各位呈上這份年報，以總結 2021/22 年度香港理工大學（理大）轄下專業及持續教育學院（CPCE）的發展和成績。

2002 年成立的 CPCE，現已發展成為香港最具規模的自資院校之一，藉著轄下的香港專上學院（HKCC）和專業進修學院（SPEED），致力提供優質的專上教育。

HKCC 為香港中學文憑考試畢業生開辦全日制副學士學位及高級文憑課程（副學位課程），SPEED 則為副學位畢業生及在職人士開辦全日制及兼讀制榮譽學士學位銜接課程。此外，CPCE 亦為追求終身學習的人士提供不同的持續進修課程。這些課程為有意進修的人士提供多元的學習途徑，以滿足他們在不同學業及事業階段的學習需求。

多年來，CPCE 採取行之有效的雙管齊下方法：一方面透過理大審批的課程，向學生傳授專業技能和知識；另一方面則舉辦多姿多彩的課外活動，促進學生的全人發展，同時還提供相關的獎學金和資助。種種努力，無不反映學院矢志栽培學生成為敏於思辨、善於溝通、富於創見、精於解難、勇於承擔社會責任的世界公民。

2021 年 HKCC 畢業生的升學率（90.7%）和 SPEED 畢業生的就業率（81.1%）都令人欣慰。疫情曠日持久，他們卻能排除萬難取得良好成績，實在難得。

本地自資專上教育界的環境本已極具挑戰性，而接二連三的疫情爆發，無疑令形勢更加錯綜複雜。憑藉二十多年來建立的穩固基礎，CPCE 得以逆流而上，繼續實踐抱負、履行使命。

有賴教職員、學生、校友，以及各界合作夥伴的不吝付出和並肩同行，我深信，未來 CPCE 將在多個重要領域繼續取得長足的進步。



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