Edward KY Chen Distinguished Lecture 2018

by Professor Chan Heng Chee,
Ambassador-at-Large with Singapore Foreign Ministry
Academics and Experts Discuss on the US-China Trade War

(November 19, 2018, Hong Kong) The Edward KY Chen Distinguished Lecture 2018 presented by the Faculty of Business and Economics (FBE) of The University of Hong Kong (HKU) was successfully held today. The keynote speaker Professor Chan Heng Chee, Chairman of Lee Kuan Yew Centre for Innovative Cities, Singapore University of Technology and Design as well as Ambassador-at-Large, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore shared her insights on the current political and economic relations between the US and Asia.

At the panel discussion that followed, Professor Chan Heng Chee exchanged views with experts over the US-China Trade War and its Impacts on Hong Kong and China. The panelists include Professor Chan Ka-keung, former Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury of the Government of HKSAR, Ms. Tara Joseph, President of American Chamber of Commerce Hong Kong, and the Honourable Jeffrey Lam Kin-fung, Legislative Council Member and Member of the Executive Council of the HKSAR.

The lecture attracted hundreds of participants Audiences actively participated in the Q&A session before Professor Edward K Y Chen, Chairman of HKU SPACE concluded the lecture.

Enclosed please find photographs of today’s lecture:

Professor Hongbin Cai, Dean, FBE, HKU, delivered the welcome remarks.
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Professor Frederick Si-Hang Ma, Honorary Professor, FBE, HKU, introduced today’s keynote speakers and panelists.

Professor Chan Heng Chee delivered a keynote speech on “The US and Asia: the New Geo-Politics and Geo-Economics”.

(2nd to 4th from left) Ms. Tara Joseph, Professor Chan Heng Chee, the Honourable Jeffrey Lam Kin-fung and Professor Chan Ka-keung shared their views on the US-China Trade War and its Impacts on Hong Kong and China. The discussion was moderated by Professor Larry Qiu, Associate Dean (Teaching and Learning), FBE, HKU (1st from left).
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Professor Edward KY Chen (front) delivered his closing remarks.

Hi-res photos are available [here](#).

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