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# Hornell Hall Welcome Sharing

Warden

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Hornell Hall Students' Association

1984-1985: Sports Captain

1985-1986: Past Representative





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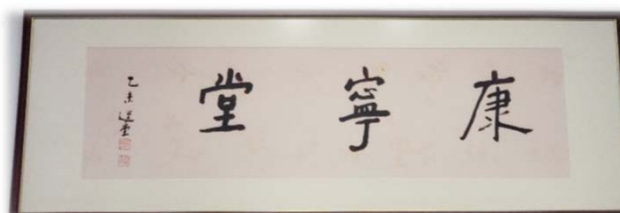
## History

Hornell Hall (Chinese name: 康寧堂) was founded on the 24th of September in 1953 and was named after Sir William Hornell, former Vice-Chancellor of The University of Hong Kong (HKU). In an open naming competition held in 1958, the Chinese name (康寧堂) was chosen by then-Professor Jao Tsung-I, a world-renowned Chinese sinologist.

Hornell Hall is the first and only male undergraduate and postgraduate non-residential hall at HKU, and the oldest sustained hall of its kind in all of Asia. Hornell is characterized by its long history, traditions, and brotherhood among past and current members who had led the way in many sport and socially-conscious activities at HKU.



Sir William Hornell  
Vice-Chancellor (1924-1937)  
The University of Hong Kong





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## History

### Past Wardens:



Dr. Bernard Mellor  
(1953-1956)



Prof. Sydney George  
Davis (1956-1967)



Dr. Samuel Ping-Wai  
Wong (1967-1973)



Prof. Ching Fai Ng  
(1973-1975, 1977-  
1979, 1980-1981,  
1983-1986)



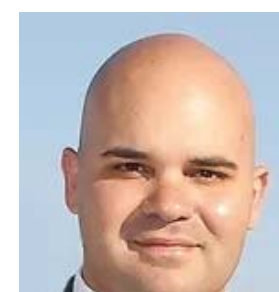
Dr. Stephen Choi Lai  
Chan (1975-1977,  
1979-1980, 1981-  
1983, 1986-2002)



Dr. John Ming-Gon  
Lian (2002-2008)



Dr. Pui-Tak Lee  
(2008-2013)



Dr. Dino Samartzis  
(2014-2017)



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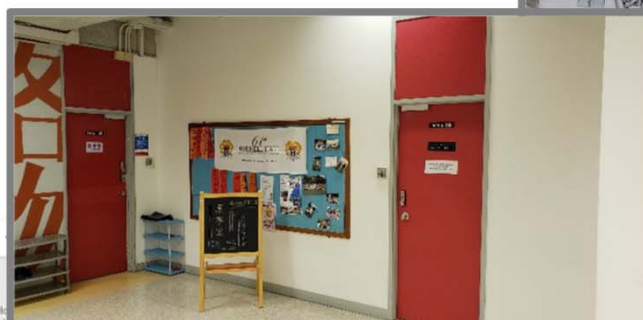




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## Location



Fong Shu Chuen  
Amenities Centre

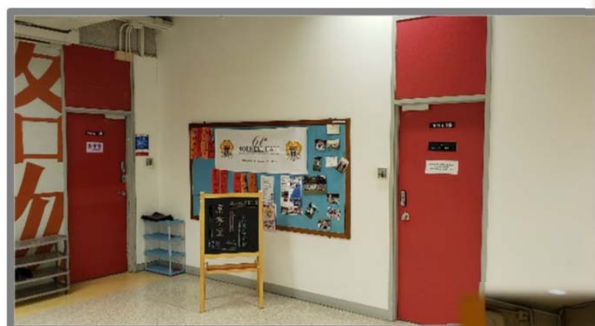




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## Location



Nearby Catering Services





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## Facilities



Billiard  
Table



New Computers

(..... more to come)

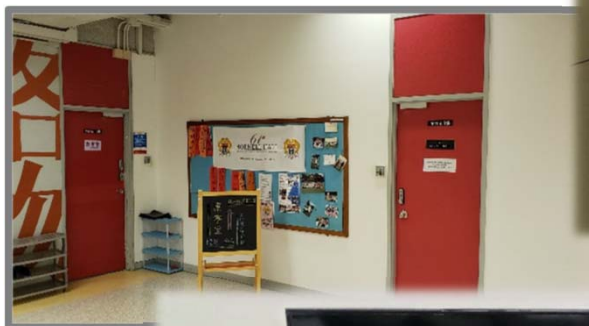




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## Facilities



Pantry (refrigerator, airfryer, microwave, .....)



55" Television, with PS4  
(..... PS5 to come soon)



Band Facilities





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## Facilities



### Rest Areas

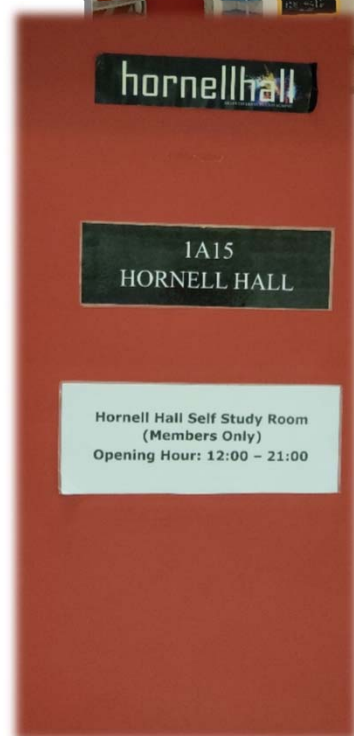
(Ideal for chatting with hallmates, and taking rest between classes ..... )



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## Facilities



### Study Areas

(Warden Office is opened for study purpose around examination period ..... )





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### Hornell Hall Students' Association

Executive Committee 2020-2021:



Chairman:  
Ng Ka Chun, William

Internal Vice-Chairman:  
Yiu Hei Chun, Jason

External Vice-Chairman:  
Wong Hon Yin, Edward

Honorary Secretary:  
Wong Muk Bong, Stars

Honorary Treasurer:  
Lee Cheuk Hin, Forest

Past Representative:  
Chan Chun Kit, Ryan





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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Hornell Hall 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reunion Dinner





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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Racing Day Buffet Dinner at Happy Valley,  
Hong Kong Jockey Club, Happy Valley  
Stand, Happy Valley Racecourse







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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



High Table Dinners

Wine Tasting







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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:

Football Team





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Activities:

Mainland Study Tour



Japan Study Tour



Macau Study Tour







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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Technical Visit







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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Hall Gatherings





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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Mentorship Program





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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Summer Internships



By participating in mentorship program in Hornell Hall, I have a better understanding on engineering field through my mentor. He provided me the latest information about this industry. He also taught me practical skills which were essential for me in my future careers. Apart from guiding me, I was also given opportunities to get an internship this year. That was a memorable and extraordinary experience in my university life!

### Internship Sharing

Lee Tsz Fung  
Hornellian





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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:



Hornell Hall is a hall filled with learning opportunities. Throughout the years, many remarkable professionals have graduated HKU as Hornellians, and as experienced seniors, they would sometimes like to offer help to the younger generation of Hornellians. Usually, Hornell Hall would organise career talks throughout the semesters for Hornellians to get a chance to know more about the field of work they would like to work in, and field trips may sometimes be held. Other than field trips, Hornell Hall would also refer Hornellians to some of the companies for an internship, and I am very grateful to be one of them. In this summer, I was referred to the Alliance Construction Materials Ltd. (Alliance), which is a concrete supplier in Hong Kong, to learn the operation of the supply of concrete in Hong Kong from the Alliance technical department. Despite the pandemic situation, Alliance is still willing to provide an opportunity for interns to learn from practical work. Being an intern in Alliance not only allows me to know the logistics of concrete making and delivery but also to gain hands on experience on checking the quality of concrete. This is an eye-opening experience for a civil engineering student like me since concrete suppliers are seldom mentioned during lectures. But of course, other than civil engineering, Hornell Hall also provides career guidances in other fields of work, make sure to join us and become a Hornellian!

### Internship Sharing

Wong Muk Bong, Stars  
Hornellian



Hornell Hall provides a lot of chances for hallmates to have exposure to different industries. In the past summer, I joined the internship programme co-organized by Hornell Hall and Alliance Construction Materials Ltd., which is one of the leading concrete producing companies in Hong Kong. I learnt about machines like motors and conveyors, both their mechanical and electrical parts. I also gained experience in using CAD for engineering design, which gives me a brief idea on the work after my graduation from HKU. I would recommend it to my fellow hallmates with engineering background.

### Internship Sharing

Kwok Ka Chun, Andrew  
Hornellian

## Summer Internships



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## Hornell Hall Students' Association

Activities:

### Career Talks



- Practising law in the post-COVID era (September 18, 2020)
- Career planning in the engineering field in the post-COVID-19 era (September 29, 2020)
- More to come .....





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## Hornell Hall Alumni Association



Hornell Hall has an active alumni committee, headed by Ir T.C. Ying, and composed of various eminent professional leaders in the Hong Kong community.

The alumni play a pivotal role in the establishment and sustainability of Hornell Hall's Mentorship Program, Internship Program, Career Talks and other activities throughout the year.





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## Hornell Hall Alumni Association

### Hornell Hall Alumni Development and Education Fund:

At the 60th anniversary of the hall, the Hornell Hall Alumni Committee established the "60th Anniversary Fund". On the basis of this donation, the Hornell Hall Alumni Development and Education Fund has been established to further support the development and education of its student members. The objectives are as follows:

1. To provide financial support to Hornell Hall members in support of their hall-related development and education.
2. To recognize Hornell Hall members who have made significant achievements in their academic pursuits as well as to the hall's culture, social and sport related activities.

Up to six applications, including up to two for postgraduates, of 5,000 HKD each of one year duration will be approved during each academic year.

Invitations for applications will be announced at the beginning of the first semester by October 15.

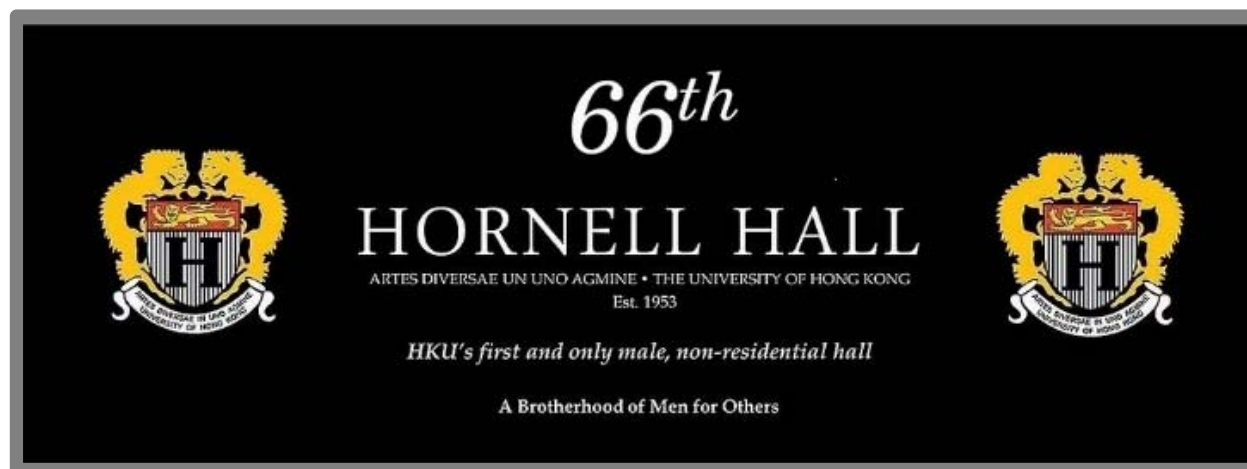
Applications are open to current Hornell Hall students who have been members of the hall for at least one academic year at the time of application. Each applicant can only submit one application.



2019 Award Winners  
Presented by Hornell Hall Alumni Association  
President, Mr. T.C. Ying



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"It's not with stone we build our hall, but  
with united strength of all."

堂非石建，眾志成城