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Hong Kong Innovation and Technology Development Blueprint – A Dialogue with Professor Dong Sun (Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry) at Science Park Concludes Successfully with over 1,000 I&T Talents Participating

Key Takeaways

- Professor Dong Sun, Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry, debates I&T roadmap with industry leaders
- HKSTP identifies Research to Industry to Funding (RIF) as key Hong Kong capability in helping startups achieve impactful success
- Participants also discussed key success factors for fueling a successful startup ecosystem

(Hong Kong, 3 February 2023) – “Hong Kong Innovation and Technology Development Blueprint – A Dialogue with Professor Dong Sun (Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry)” organised by Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation (HKSTP) concluded successfully today. The event invited Prof. Sun Dong, Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry to give an overview of the Blueprint and provided an exchange platform for the I&T community and industry partners to deep dive into the Blueprint.

Prof. Sun Dong joined with representatives from HKSTP and panel speakers from Park companies to exchange views on the R-I-F value chain, as well as the success factors for fueling a startup ecosystem. A total of 20 award-winning innovations also showcased their innovative and ground-breaking technology.



Photo 1: Prof. Sun Dong, Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry gives an overview of the Hong Kong Innovation and Technology Development Blueprint.



Photo 2: The first round of panel discussion, themed “Research to Industry to Funding”, was moderated by Prof. Sun Dong (first from left) and Dr Sunny Chai, BBS, JP (second from left). Speakers include Mr Albert Wong, CEO of HKSTP (third from right), Prof. Tim Cheng, Vice-President for Research and Development, The Hong Kong University of Science & Technology (first from right), Dr Helen Chan, CEO, Vita Green Health Products Company Limited (third from left), and Dr Gordon Yen, Founding Managing Partner, and Radiant Tech Ventures Limited (second from right).



Photo 3: The second round of panel discussion, themed “Key Success Factors for fueling a Startup Ecosystem”, was moderate by Prof. Sun Dong (first from left) and Mr Albert Wong, CEO of HKSTP (second from left). Speakers include Dr Florence Chan, Co-founder & CEO, AI Guided Limited (third from right), Mr Alex Cheuk, Founder, iMeddy Limited (second from right), Mr Mattis Tsang, Managing Director, Aerosim (HK) Limited (third from left), and Dr Miles Wen, Co-founder & CEO, Fano Labs Ltd. (first from right).



Photo 4: A total of 20 award-winning innovations also showcased their innovative and ground-breaking technology.



Photo 5: “Hong Kong Innovation and Technology Development Blueprint – A Dialogue with Professor Dong Sun (Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry)” concludes successfully, with over 1,000 I&T talents participating in the event.

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About Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation

Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation (HKSTP) has for over 20 years committed to building up Hong Kong as an international innovation and technology hub to propel success for local and global pioneers today and tomorrow. HKSTP has established a thriving I&T ecosystem that is home to three unicorns and Hong Kong’s leading R&D hub with over 12,000 research professionals and over 1,100 technology companies focused on healthtech, AI and robotics, fintech and smart city technologies.

Established in 2001, we attract and nurture talent, accelerate and commercialise innovation and technology for entrepreneurs on their journey of growth in Hong Kong, to the Greater Bay Area, Asia and beyond. Our growing innovation ecosystem is built around our key locations of Hong Kong Science Park in Shatin, InnoCentre in Kowloon Tong and three modern INNOPARKs in Tai Po, Tseung Kwan O and Yuen Long. The three INNOPARKs are realising a vision of re-industrialisation for Hong Kong. The goal is sectors like advanced manufacturing, electronics and biotechnology are being reimagined for a new generation of industry.

Through our infrastructure, services, expertise and network of partnerships, HKSTP will help establish innovation and technology as a pillar of growth for Hong Kong, while reinforcing Hong Kong’s international I&T hub status as a launchpad for global growth at the heart of the GBA innovation powerhouse.

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