

AI in Education Forum on “Accelerating Learning with AI: Why and Why Not? The Perspectives of Educators”

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Speakers' Biographies

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Ann Lau is currently the Assistant Dean (Health Sciences Education) of the Faculty of Medicine and the Co-Director of the CUHK Centre for Bioethics. She is also the Associate Director (Undergraduate Education) and Principal Lecturer in the School of Biomedical Sciences, specializing in teaching bioethics and different biomedical sciences topics. Ann has a special interest in education leadership and management, and studying how the advances in technology transform the teachers' and learners' behaviour.

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Prof Paul Lam, from the Centre for Learning Enhancement And Research at CUHK, is the principal supervisor for several pioneering AI projects, including "AI in Education" and "Generative AI for Teaching and Education". These projects aim to disseminate knowledge on how AI can empower educators and students by enhancing teaching and learning experiences. In addition, he has extensive interest and experience in teaching and learning principles, case-based teaching and learning, web-assisted teaching and learning, and evaluation of elearning and mlearning. He also has experience in designing educational tools, such as uReply (<http://web.ureply.mobi>), a classroom student response system developed under his supervision.

Speakers

(In Alphabetical Order of Surnames)



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Johnson is a Lecturer at the English Language Teaching Unit. He has worked as a professional language instructor for over 15 years in Hong Kong, with students of all education levels. Currently, at the ELTU, he specializes in English-for-Specific-Purposes (ESP) courses, including English for Law Students, English for Architecture Students II and Business Communication I and II.



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Dr. Elaine NG is a Senior Lecturer at the English Language Teaching Unit. She serves as the Faculty Coordinator (Med.) at CUHK, overseeing ELTU curricula and courses for the Faculty of Medicine. Born in Hong Kong and raised in Sydney, Elaine's professional and research interests include Applied Linguistics, Bilingualism and Biliteracy research, Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL), Metacognition, as well as Music and Performing Arts.



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