

**【Press Release】****29 Valid Nominations Received for the HKADC Nomination Exercise**

(19 August 2010, Hong Kong) A spokesman of the Home Affairs Bureau today said that a total of 29 eligible candidates had been nominated for the 10 arts interests in the current nomination exercise for the Hong Kong Arts Development Council (HKADC). Electioneering will start tomorrow (20 August).

This year, one candidate in the arts interest of Drama is running uncontested while no nomination was received for the arts interest of Arts Criticism. Therefore, no polling will be conducted for these 2 arts interests. Nominations for the other 8 arts interests (Arts Administration, Arts Education, Dance, Film Arts, Literary Arts, Music, Visual Arts and Chinese Opera (Xiqu)) will be determined by polling. Candidates for the respective arts interests are:

<b>Arts Interest</b>	<b>Candidates</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
Arts Administration	Ms CHEUNG Chu Yu	2 candidates
	Mr WU Shou Nan (NG Kang Fai)	
Arts Criticism	-----	No candidate
Arts Education	Mr HEUNG Lui	6 candidates
	Mr WAI Ching	
	Ms TSE Siu Wah	
	Mr CHAN Wai Lun	
	Ms CHOI Tsz Kwan	
	Ms HO Yuk Ching	
Dance	Mr HO Ho Chuen	4 candidates
	Ms YEE Fui Koon	
	Mr CHOW Man Fai	
	Ms FU Kit Yun, Deirdre	
Drama	Mr KO Tin Lung	Uncontested
Film Arts	Mr TO Kei Fung	2 candidates
	Mr CHUI Wan Shun, Vincent	
Literary Arts	Mr WONG Wai Ming, Otis	5 candidates
	Mr CHENG Wai Ming, Peter	
	Ms TANG Siu Wa	
	Mr TANG Kei Sang	
	Mr CHOI Yick Wai	
Music	Ms FEI Barbara	4 candidates
	Mr LAM Chun Kwok	
	Mr LAM Kwok Pan	
	Ms FONG LIU Show May, Helen	
Visual Arts	Mr LEE Kam Yin	3 candidates
	Mr IP Ho Lun, Roland	
	Mr KWOK Chi Lap, Frank	
Chinese Opera (Xiqu)	Mr YUEN Siu Fai	2 candidates
	Ms AU Man Fung, Bernice	

To enable voters to learn more about the candidates, a candidate forum will be organised on 4 September (Saturday) from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm at Y-Studio, 2/F, Youth Square, 238 Chai Wan Road, Chai Wan, Hong Kong. At the forum, candidates will present their platforms and answer questions from voters.

Polling is scheduled for 17 to 19 September 2010. A cross-interest voting system will continue to be adopted this year. Voters from all the ten arts interests may cast votes for candidates standing for nomination in the 8 contested arts interests. A list of the nominated representatives will be submitted to the Chief Executive for consideration of appointment to the HKADC for the next term, which will begin on 1 January 2011.

The Nomination Agent will send letters containing candidates' platforms to all voters next week. If voters do not receive the letters by the end of next week, please make inquiries with the nomination agent at 2232 3981. The candidates' platforms can also be downloaded at website: [www.voteforhkadc2010.hk](http://www.voteforhkadc2010.hk).

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