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楊汝萬教授是知名學者、大學行政人員及國際發展顧問，現為香港中文大學地理學榮休講座教授。楊教授於一九六二年畢業於香港大學地理系，其後負笈美加深造，分別於一九六六年及一九七二年取得碩士及博士學位，並於一九八四年加入香港中文大學，歷任教務長、逸夫書院院長及亞太研究所所長等要職。他亦長期於北美、新加坡及中國內地從事研究及教學工作。

楊教授致力推動國際發展，主力研究亞洲城市、城市規劃及中國現代化。多家國際機構如世界銀行、亞洲發展銀行、聯合國大學、聯合國開發計劃署等均經常向他諮詢意見。他亦是香港首位獲得聯合國教育科學文化組織邀請，加入轄下國際科學諮詢委員會的學者。

楊教授亦以其專長及國際經驗貢獻香港社會。他曾擔任土地及建設諮詢委員會主席、中央政策組泛珠三角研究小組主席，並曾是房屋委員會、城市規劃委員會、策略發展委員會及基本法諮詢委員會等多個政府諮詢委員會的主要成員。

楊教授在二〇〇八至二〇一二年擔任香港公開大學課程檢討及評審委員會校外委員，期間對大學的質素保證作出極大的貢獻。他分別於一九九五及一九九六年獲委任為太平紳士和獲頒OBE勳銜，並於二〇〇三年獲香港特別行政區政府頒授銀紫荊星章和二〇〇八年獲香港中文大學授予榮譽院士銜。

為表揚楊汝萬教授對教育及本校所作的貢獻，現恭請校董會主席先生頒授榮譽大學院士榮銜予楊汝萬教授。

Professor Yeung Yue-man is a renowned scholar, a seasoned administrator and an eminent advisor on international development. He is Emeritus Professor of Geography at the Chinese University of Hong Kong, an institution he has served since 1984 in a number of key positions, including University Registrar, Head of the Shaw College and Director of the Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies. Professor Yeung also has extensive research and teaching experience in North America, Singapore and mainland China. He graduated from the University of Hong Kong with a bachelor's degree in Geography in 1962, and received his MA and PhD degrees in Canada and the United States in 1966 and 1972, respectively.

Professor Yeung is an authority on the modernization of China and an expert on international development, with a focus on Asian cities and urban planning. He has advised a range of international organizations, including the World Bank, the Asian Development Bank, the United Nations University and the United Nations Development Programme. He was the first local scholar to be appointed to the International Scientific Advisory Board of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO).

In Hong Kong, Professor Yeung has shared his expertise and international experience by serving on a number of government advisory committees. He was Chairman of the Land and Building Advisory Committee and of the Central Policy Unit's Pan-Pearl River Delta Panel, and has been a member of the Housing Authority, the Town Planning Board, the Commission on Strategic Development and the Basic Law Consultative Committee, to name just a few.

Professor Yeung was an external member of the OUHK's Programme Review and Validation Committee from 2008 to 2012 and made major contributions to the University's quality assurance process. He was appointed as a JP in 1995 and received an OBE in 1996. He was also awarded a Silver Bauhinia Star by the HKSAR government in 2003 and was named an Honorary Fellow by the Chinese University of Hong Kong in 2008.

In recognition of Professor Yeung's contribution to education and the University, may I invite the Chairman to present him with the Honorary University Fellowship.