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M+ Research Center Visit

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Message from your President, Helen Tinsley

Welcome to our July / August 2023 RASHK Newsletter.

I am sure that many of you have or will be taking welcome opportunities to travel over the summer period after three long years of Covid–19 related constraints. For those of you based in Hong Kong over the summer months we have continued to organize what I hope is a series of interesting events for you to enjoy. Please take a look at the programme we have prepared later on in this Newsletter.

The past couple of months has seen a rich range of activities in which maps featured prominently - firstly in a visit to the CUHK Library exhibition 'East meets West' as part of the 60th anniversary celebrations of the University's foundation, where our expert guide was Professor Stuart McManus, and then in a talk by HKUST Library's Dr Marco Caboara on his book related topic 'The Early Printed Western Maps of China'. Mark O'Neill also entertained us with a talk on the history of Irish connections here in Hong Kong and China, including some of his own family history. Our own RASHK Honorary Archivist, CM Yip, hosted a fascinating visit to the M+ Museum's newly established Archive and Research Centre, where he has recently taken up a significant role. In something of a first for us, we also invited a colleague from RAS in London, Librarian Dr Edward Weech, to deliver a zoom talk for us, based on his recently published book on 19th century English Sinophile, Thomas Manning. I have ordered a copy of his book to be added to our RASHK Library collection. As mentioned in my previous Newsletter, in May we also took the opportunity to arrange a 'Celebration of the Life of Valery Garrett' who recently passed away. Earlier, she was a very active author, collector and member of RASHK's Activities Committee. The event was well attended, and many memories shared with her husband Richard. I'll share with him many of the photos taken that evening and also add some for our RASHK photo gallery.

In the coming two months we have some interesting events planned. Vaudine England will be talking about her book on Hong Kong history, *Fortune's Bazaar*. Local author Philip Snow has also kindly agreed to talk on his recent book *China and Russia*, highly topical at present, as I hope you agree. Vicky Lee is a member of our Activities Committee, but she is also a scholar of the Roman Catholic significant history and presence in Hong Kong. She will be talking about the history of the French order 'St Paul de Chartres' nuns in Hong Kong. For those of you who miss the visually stunning airplane arrivals and departures at Kai Tak Airport, Blue Lotus Gallery is hosting a photographic exhibition to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Kai Tak's closure and we are in the process of hopefully arranging a July visit.

Best wishes to you all in the coming months and I look forward to seeing many of you in our coming events either in person or via zoom. As always your feedback is welcome.

Helen Tinsley, President RASHK, June 2023

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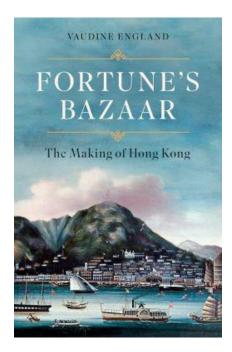
Zoom links to access the online talk will be sent to members (who have registered) prior to the event.

If you would like to attend an online talk, please email <u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u> so that we can send you the zoom link for access.

ONLINE TALK

Fortune's Bazaar: The Making of Hong Kong

Thursday • 6 July 2023



Details

Fortune's Bazaar is a story of empire, race and sex, and it offers startling insights into the ambiguous identity of Hong Kong to this day, just as its wonders may be changing forever.

A timely, well-researched, and vibrant new history of Hong Kong that reveals the untold stories of the diverse peoples who have made it a multicultural world metropolis - and whose lives are evolving today.

Hong Kong has always been many cities to many people: a seaport, a gateway to an empire, a place where fortunes can be dramatically made or lost, a place to disappear and reinvent oneself, and a mixing pot of diverse populations from literally everywhere around the globe. A British Crown Colony for 155 years, Hong Kong is now a Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China. Here, renowned journalist Vaudine England delves into Hong Kong's complex history and its people - diverse, multi-cultural, cosmopolitan - who have made this one-time fishing village into the world port city it is today.

Rather than a traditional history describing a town led by British Governors or a mere offshoot of a collapsing Chinese empire, *Fortune's Bazaar* is the first thorough examination of the varied peoples who made Hong Kong. While British traders and Asian merchants had long been busy in the Indian and South East Asian seas, there were many from different cultures and ethnic backgrounds who arrived in Hong Kong, met and married - despite all taboos - and created a distinct community.

Many of Hong Kong's most influential figures during its first century as a city were neither British nor Chinese - they were Malay or Indian, Jewish or Armenian, Parsi or Portuguese, Eurasian or Chindian - or simply, Hong Kongers. England describes those overlooked in history including the opium-traders who built synagogues or churches, ship-owners carrying gold-rush migrants, property tycoons, and more. Here, too, is the visionary who plumbed Hong Kong's harbour depths to spur reclamation, the half-Dutch Chinese gentleman with two wives who was knighted by Queen Victoria, and the landscape gardeners who settled Kowloon and became millionaires.

The Speaker

Vaudine England was a journalist for three decades in South East Asia and Hong Kong for the BBC, Reuters, the Far Eastern Economic Review and several London newspapers. Then she discovered the joys of history.

She has authored *The Quest of Noel Croucher - Hong Kong's Quiet Philanthropist, Kindred Spirits - a History of The Hong Kong Club, Arnholds – China Trader, Empire's Children - A Hong Kong Family*, and *Hari Harilela – Made in Hong Kong.* Her history of Hong Kong's



Photo by Kees Metselaar

formative first century, focused on the multiple peoples who came to build Asia's last port city — *Fortune's Bazaar, The Making of Hong Kong* — has been published by Scribner and Hachette in May 2023.

Based in Amsterdam, she is a research associate with the Hong Kong History Project in the UK, and a cofounding director of the archives and history-making consultancy, History Ink Limited. She brings her journalistic skills of investigative reporting and interviewing to delve deeply into the archives and the hidden stories of the past. Her work sheds new light on Hong Kong and its peoples in interesting times.

PROGRAMME

Speaker:	Vaudine England
Date:	Thursday, 6 July 2023
Time:	7 pm - 8 pm, Hong Kong Time (12:00 noon UK Time)
	(20 - 30 mins talk, 20 - 30 mins Q&A session)
Venue:	Online event by Zoom
Admission:	Zoom links are free for members of RASHK and sister societies only. Non- members are welcome depending on availability.
Registration:	Please email < <u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u> > and
	provide your membership number, if applicable, at the time of registration.
	Registration will be closed at 12 noon on 3 July 2023.
	Zoom links will be sent before or by 4 July 2023.

IN-PERSON TALK

Tracing the beginning works of Sainte Enfance (Holy Childhood) in Colonial Hong Kong: the Sisters of St. Paul de Chartres in Hong Kong (1848-1878)

Tuesday • 15 August 2023



Details

This talk will begin by briefly looking into some of the issues of female infanticide and child abandonment in China in the 1800s. What were the reactions of foreign missionaries and local Chinese literati? What was the perception of these Chinese abandoned infants in Europe as these stories of female infanticide and abandonment travelled back to Europe? What was the Catholic theological position on unbaptized dying babies in those days? What prompted the establishment of the Holy Childhood Association? How did the Holy Childhood establish itself in Hong Kong in the late 1840s? What were some of experiences of the French Sisters of St. Paul De Chartres as they began their work in the newly established British Colony in the face of war, disease, terrorism, political turmoil, and persecutions prompted by underlying anti-foreign sentiments?

The Speaker

Dr. Vicky Lee is currently an External Consultant for the HKBU Centre for Teaching and Learning. Her publications cover issues of race, interraciality and war memoirs in Hong Kong. Her seminal work *Being Eurasian: Memories across Racial Divides* (HKU Press, 2004) was on interraciality in wartime Hong Kong. In recent years, she had contributed a number of papers at the Annual Conferences on HK Catholic History sponsored by CUHK Centre for Catholic Studies and Hong Kong Diocese

Archives. These include Sacraments in Hostile Environments: the Siege of Hong Kong December 8-25, 1941 and COVID-19 of 2020 (published in the Conference Proceedings of the History of Hong Kong Catholic Church in the 20th Century, April 2021), Tracing the beginning works of Sainte Enfance (Holy Childhood) in Colonial Hong Kong (Conference Proceedings in press). And recently on June 25, 2023, she had also contributed a paper entitled Research as Detective Work: deciphering the historical Blue Books and Government Reports to unravel the History of Catholic Schools in Hong Kong.

PROGRAMME

Speaker:	Dr Vicky Lee
Date:	Tuesday, 15 August 2023
Time:	7 pm – 8 pm, Hong Kong Time
Venue:	Café 8, Roof, Hong Kong Maritime Museum, Pier 8, Central
Admission:	In Person at \$160 for members, \$200 for guests /non-members
	(Drink and snacks are included in the attendance fee)
	Walk-in guests are welcome depending on availability.
	Cash payment will be collected at the Reception Desk. Please prepare the exact payment.
Registration:	Please email < <u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u> > and provide your membership number, if applicable, at the time of registration.



IN-PERSON TALK

Special collections and archival materials in the Hong Kong Baptist University Library

Saturday • 19 August 2023



Details

This talk will showcase the flagship special collection in the Hong Kong Baptist University Library, namely, the Archives on the History of Christianity in China.

Established in 1996, this collection now comprises over 8,500 volumes, 29,000 microform items, pictorial materials as well as archival materials. With some books dating back to the early 19th century, the focus of the collection is on the history of Protestantism in China and the impact on the Chinese society and culture, although history of the Catholic Church in China is also covered.

In the last two decades the collection has grown steadily with materials about the history and development of Christianity in Hong Kong, especially in the post-WWII period.

The Speaker

Wan Yu WONG is the Special Collections and Archives Librarian at the Hong Kong Baptist University Library. Her work involves building, promoting, and enhancing access to the collection.

Prior to taking up this position in mid-2021 most of her librarian career was with the National Library of Australia, including overseeing their digitization program for seven years.



PROGRAMME

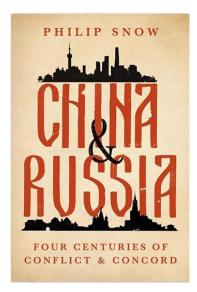
Speaker:	Wan Yu WONG
Date:	Saturday, 19 August 2023
Time:	11 am – 12 noon, Hong Kong Time
Venue:	The Library of The Hong Kong Baptist University
Meeting Time & Poi	nt: 10:45 am at the entrance of Shaw Campus,
	The Hong Kong Baptist University
	(corner of Junction Road and Renfrew Road, Kowloon)
Admission:	\$100 for members, \$150 for guests /non-members
	No more than 15 persons due to limited space.
	Walk-in guests are welcome depending on availability.
	Cash payment will be collected at the event.
	Please prepare the exact payment.
Registration:	Please email < <u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u> > and
	provide your membership number, if applicable, at the time of registration.

ONLINE TALK

China and Russia:

Four Centuries of Conflict and Concord

Thursday • 24 August 2023



Philip Snow will be giving a talk based on his recently published book, *China and Russia: Four Centuries of Conflict and Concord*.

Details

Russia and China, the largest and most populous countries in the world, respectively, have maintained a delicate relationship for four centuries. In addition to a four-thousand-kilometre border, they have periodically shared a common outlook on political and economic affairs. But they are, in essence, profoundly different polities and cultures, and their intermittent alliances have proven difficult and at times even volatile.

Philip Snow provides a full account of the relationship between these two global giants. Looking at politics, religion, economics, and culture, Snow uncovers the deep roots of the two nations' alignment. We see the shifts in the balance of power, from the wealth and strength of early Qing China to the Tsarist and Soviet ascendancies, and episodes of intense conflict followed by harmony. He looks too at the experiences and opinions of ordinary people, which often vastly differed from those of their governments, and considers how long the countries' current amicable relationship might endure.

The Speaker

Philip Snow has travelled extensively in Russia and China since the 1960s and has lived in Hong Kong since 1994. An expert in China's international relations, he is the author of *The Star Raft: China's Encounter with Africa and The Fall of Hong Kong*.



PROGRAMME

Speaker:	Philip Snow
Date:	Thursday, 24 August 2023
Time:	7 pm - 8 pm, Hong Kong Time (12:00 noon UK Time)
Venue:	Online event by Zoom
Admission:	Zoom links are free for members of RASHK and sister societies only. Non- members are welcome depending on availability.
Registration:	Please email < <u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u> > and provide your membership number, if applicable, at the time of registration. Registration will be closed at 12 noon on 23 August 2023. Zoom links will be sent before or by 23 August 2023.

Recent Activities

<u>Note</u>: Audio only recordings of online talks are available upon request to the RASHK Administrator email address.

IN-PERSON TALK

Out of Ireland

Mark O'Neill

Tuesday • 2 May 2023







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LOCAL VISIT

Exhibition: Bringing Together China and the West: Books of Early Modern Western Sinology

Prof Stuart M. McManus

Saturday • 13 May 2023

CUHK has been celebrating the 60th Anniversary of its foundation, and this exhibition was envisioned as part of these celebrations. The University's foundation vision was to create links between the past and the present, as well as East and West. Prior to the late nineteenth century, during a long time span between Ming

and early Qing dynasties, it is notable that linkages between two great traditions were on a much more equal footing, characterized by mutual respect, understanding of common humanity and a European fascination for knowledge about China. Using CUHK Library's growing collection of rare books, this exhibition has illustrated how the geographical and cultural distances between China and Europe were bridged.





Many of these precious volumes were written by famous Catholic missionaries, such as Matteo Ricci (1552-1610) and Johann Adam Schell (1591-1666), followed by lay and Protestant authors writing in the eighteenth century. The rare books and carefully chosen images on display helped to highlight the overlapping and connected backgrounds in six main areas of knowledge in the study of geography, culture and philosophy, arts and humanities, religion, Chinese medicine, maths, science and engineering. In many ways these knowledge areas mirror the modern faculties and departments of CUHK.



Our visit was very ably led by Professor Stuart McManus who highlighted key points in many of the six beautiful and rare groups of exhibits on display and was ready to answer all of the queries from the knowledgeable and interested group of RASHK members who attended. Our tour extended well past the originally planned time frame. A wonderfully illustrated catalogue of this exhibition will be added to our RASHK Library in due course and, for those who would like to attend in person, the exhibition is open until 20 August 2023.



Text prepared by Helen Tinsley Photo Credit Dr. Ann-si Li

IN-PERSON EVENT

Valery Garrett: A Celebration of her Life

Tuesday • 16 May 2023













Photo Credit Sylvia Midgett

LOCAL VISIT

M+ Research Centre – Mr. C.M. Yip, M+ Museum Archives and Library Team

Tuesday • 1 June 2023

Our RASHK Honorary Archivist, C M Yip, is the M+ Museum Collection Archivist and leads the Archives and Library Team there, as well as overseeing the M+ Research Centre. He very kindly agreed to host a visit for our members, which was much appreciated and welcomed by the group who attended.

M+ Museum is a large and impressive recent addition to Hong Kong's cultural resources and expertise, situated on a magnificent harbour site. We met in the lobby which was busy with many visitors and staff. Many of our RASHK group

> who attended have already visited various exhibitions there, but on this occasion, we were privileged to be hosted on the 5/F, where CM Yip and

his team are based and where their spacious office area has wonderful harbour views. This team performs an important role in managing various collections and providing support for the

Museum's operations, exhibitions, publications and programmes.

Our group was briefed on the scope of work undertaken at M+ by CM Yip, with introduction to his team of young professionals who hold a wide range of expertise. We had a chance to examine on site some of the archived materials and admire from a distance the very large and well-equipped storage building situated nearby, where items currently not on display are safely held.

We were also introduced to the work of the Research Centre which provides access by appointment to collections for researchers, scholars, students, and the public.





This visit gave us much insight into the work and development of M+ Museum, a very important and relatively new addition to Hong Kong's cultural landscape. We wish the whole team well in their future endeavours to help put Hong Kong's museums on the global map.

Text prepared by Helen Tinsley Photo Credit Vonnie Fung



IN-PERSON TALK

Maps of China: Treasure Hunts Around the World

Dr. Marco Caboara

Tuesday • 6 June 2023



Photo Credit Vonnie Fung

Dr. Marco Caboara, Head of the Special Collections, the Digital Scholarship and Archives Manager at Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST) Lee Shau Kee Library gave a talk and shared his journey of turning the antique maps of China into a book, *Regnum Chinae: The Printed Western Maps of China to 1735*, which was published in October 2022.

Little has been written about maps of China before, the only precedent in English being *China in European Maps*, published twenty years ago precisely by this prestigious university thanks to its first librarian Minmin Chang. The book is one of the highlights of HKUST's 'Western Maps of China Project', which started 10 years ago when the Library acquired a large collection of antique maps of China. With the generous funding from Dr. Winnie KO Pui Shuen, an HKUST Honorary Fellow, the collection was digitized, and the team went on to turn it into a book.

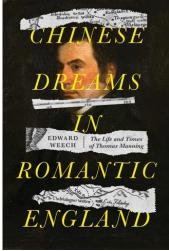
RASHK members can go to order through <u>https://brill.com/</u> by using the discount code 72350, valid until 31 December 2023. Or order by sending e-mail to <u>customerservices@brill.com</u>.

ONLINE TALK

Chinese Dreams in Romantic England: The life and times of Thomas Manning

Dr Edward Weech, Librarian, Royal Asiatic Society in London, UK

Tuesday • 20 June 2023



Dr. Weech's first book, *Chinese Dreams in Romantic England: The Life and Times of Thomas Manning*, published by Manchester University Press in November 2022 is now available for sale on http://manchesteruniversitypress.co.uk/9781526164551

You can use discount code WEECH30 for 30% off.

Manning's archive is online at <u>http://royalasiaticcollections.org/thomas-manning-archive</u>

Of General Interest

Former RASHK Seminar Documents and Monographs



If you are interested in purchasing any of these, which are held in our RASHK office, please email <<u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u>> for further arrangement.

Membership Renewal

2023 Membership Renewal

Members are reminded that membership renewals for 2023 were due on 1 January 2023. If you currently pay by cheque and would prefer the convenience of paying by Direct Debit, please contact the Administrator for a Direct Debit Authorization form on <<u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u>> or click <u>here</u>. Those of you who pay by Standing Order are requested to please ensure that the Order is for the appropriate amount.

Annual	
Hong Kong Resident - Individual / Institutional	HK\$750
Hong Kong Resident - Joint / Family	HK\$1,100
Hong Kong Resident – Student*	HK\$50
* in full-time education – please enclose a photocopy of your s	student ID.
Life	
Life – Single	HK\$10,500
Life – Joint	HK\$15,400
Overseas	
Overseas - Annual	HK\$450
Overseas - Life	HK\$6,300

Membership fee will be 50% off if joining in / after July (not applicable for student membership fees)

Royal Asiatic Society Hong Kong Branch Membership Application Form 2023

Membership Application Form for 2023, please click here.

Direct Debit Authorisation Form, please click here.

Update Membership Information

If any member's personal or correspondence information needs to be updated, please email the details to <u>membership@royalasiaticsociety.org.hk</u>. Updated membership information will help us to deliver new messages and notices accurately to members. Thank you for your cooperation.

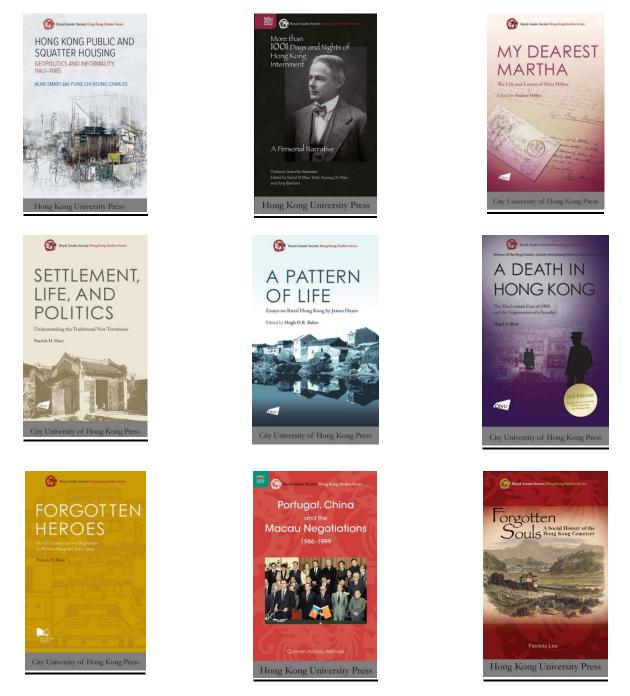
Publications

PUBLICATIONS ORDER FORM

<u>Journals</u> Vols. 1 - 55 Vols. 56 - 62	Price HK\$ \$50.00 each \$200.00 each	<u>Qtv</u>	<u>Order</u>
Books 'Hong Kong Going and Gone'	\$120.00		
<u>Postage & Packaging</u> Hong Kong Going and Gone Full set of Journals All other volumes (per volume)	within HK price on request \$260.00 \$25.00	Overseas (surface price on request price on request \$65.00	/registered)
TOTAL		HK\$	

Publications

ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY HONG KONG STUDIES SERIES



There are now more than thirty five titles in the Royal Asiatic Society Hong Kong Studies Series. The above is a small selection of the titles available from various publishers. A full list follows in the table below. More about the books can be found at <u>https://www.royalasiaticsociety.org.hk/hong-kong-studies-series</u>. On that page there are also links to the different publishers' web pages where full information about each title can be found and books can be purchased.

Both HKU Press and City University Press offer a 20% discount to RASHK Members for Series books. For HKUP simply enter the promo code "20HKRAS" in the shopping cart when you check out. For City University Press ask for the discount when ordering from the Press.

Publication of *1001 Days and Nights* was partially supported by RASHK members to honour Michael Broom. In recognition of this HKUP gives a 30% discount to members for this book.

Title	Author/editor	Publisher	Price (HKD)
A Death in Hong Kong: The MacLennan Case of 1980 and the Suppression of a Scandal.	Nigel Collett	City University Press	НК\$278
A Faithful Record of the Lisbon Maru Incident	Major (Ret'd) Brian Finch, MCIL	Proverse HK and CUHK Press	HK\$310
A Pattern of Life.	Essays by James Hayes, edited by Hugh Baker	City University Press	HK\$238
A Stormy Petrel: The Life and Times of John Pope Hennessy.	P. Kevin MacKeown.	City University Press	HK\$238
Ancestral Images	Hugh Baker	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$350
Cantonese Society in Hong Kong and Singapore	Essays by Marjorie Topley. Edited and introduced by Jean DeBernardi	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$350
Coolie Ships of the Chinese Diaspora (1846-1874)	John Asome	Proverse HK (distributed by CUHK Press)	НК\$320
Custom, Land and Livelihood in Rural South China	Patrick H. Hase	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$350
Early China Coast Meteorology	P. Kevin MacKeown	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$295
East River Column	Chan Sui-jeung	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$180
Escape from Hong Kong	Tim Luard	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$195
For Gods, Ghosts and Ancestors	Janet Lee Scott (not available)	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$195
Forgotten Heroes: San On County and Its Magistrates in the Late Ming and Early Qing.	Patrick H. Hase	City University Press	НК\$238
Forgotten Souls	Patricia Lim	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$420
Governors, Politics and the Colonial Office	Gavin Ure	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$295
Grounded at Kai Tak: Chinese Aircraft Impounded in Hong Kong, 1949–1952	Michael Merry	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$420
Hong Kong Internment, 1942–1945	Geoffrey Charles Emerson	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$175
Hongkongers in the British Armed Forces, 1860-1997	Kwong Chi Man	Oxford University Press	US\$85
Ireland's Imperial Mandarin	Mark O'Neill (not available)	Joint Publishing HK	HK\$188
Israel and China: From the Tang Dynasty to Silicon Wadi	Mark O'Neill (< 10 available)	Joint Publishing HK	HK\$168
More than 1001 Days and Nights of Hong Kong Internment: A Personal Narrative	Chaloner Grenville Alabaster, edited by David St Maur Shiel, Kwong Chi Man and Tony Banham	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$450
My Dearest Martha: The Life and Letters of Eliza Hillier	Edited by Andrew Hillier	City University Press	HK\$278
My Homeland in Another Place	Mark O'Neill, translated by Cheng Han (<mark>not</mark> available)	Joint Publishing HK	HK\$128
Policing Hong Kong – An Irish History	Patricia O'Sullivan	Blacksmith Books	HK\$148

List of titles in the Hong Kong Studies Series

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Portugal, China and the Macau Negotiations, 1986–1999	Carmen Amado Mendes	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$275
Public Success, Private Sorrow	Isidore Cyril Cannon	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$250
Reluctant Heroes	Fung Chi Ming	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$250
Resist to the End	Charles Barman, edited by Ray Barman	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$250
Scottish Mandarin	Shiona Airlie	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$295
Settlement, Life and Politics: Understanding the Traditional New Territories.	Patrick H. Hase	City University Press	HK\$278
Southern District Officer Reports	Edited by John Strickland	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$275
Strong to Save: Maritime Mission in Hong Kong from Whampoa Reach to the Mariners' Club	Stephen Davies	City University Press	HK\$278
The Dragon and the Crown	Stanley S. K. Kwan with Nicole Kwan	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$160
The Lone Flag	John Pownall Reeves, edited by Colin Day and Richard Garrett	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$320
The Peak: An Illustrated History of Hong Kong's Top District	Richard Garrett	Blacksmith Books	HK\$188
The Six-Day War of 1899	Patrick H. Hase	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$195
War and Revolution in South China: The Story of a Transnational Biracial Family, 1936-1951	Edward J.M. Rhoads	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$490
Watching Over Hong Kong	Sheilah E. Hamilton	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$195
東江縱隊 (East River Column)	陳瑞璋	Hong Kong University Press	HK\$150

The following is a list of Titles that are not in the HKSS, but the RASHK was involved in their publishing

Price (HKD)	HK\$100	HK\$195		HK\$310	HK\$260	HK\$380
Publisher	Joint Publishing HK	Hong Kong University Press	RASHK and Oxford University Press	Joint Publishing HK	Joint Publishing HK	Joint Publishing HK
Author/editor		Carl T. Smith	Julian F. Pas (Ed.) <mark>(not available</mark>)	Patrick H. Hase and Elizabeth Sinn	Patrick H. Hase and Elizabeth Sinn	Veronica Pearson and Ko Tim-Keung <mark>(not available)</mark>
Title	Hong Kong: Going and Gone; Western Victoria	Chinese Christians, Elites, Middlemen and the Church	The Turning of the Tide; Religion in China Today	Beyond the Metropolis; Villages in Hong Kong	In the Heart of the Metropolis: Yaumatei and Its People	A Sense of Place; Hong Kong West of Pottinger Street

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