



HONG KONG ACADEMY OF MEDICINE
香港醫學專科學院

Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

**A Place for Lifelong Learning.
Through the Lens of Fellows and Trainees.**

Submit your best shots of the Academy Building

**DEADLINE
EXTENDED**

The Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building Photography Competition (the “Competition”) aims to engage Academy Fellows and specialist trainees of the 15 specialty Colleges in capturing the best angle of the Academy Building from their perspectives and to enhance their sense of belonging to the family through the process.

With its unique statutory role in specialist education and training, the Academy is the hub for their professional development and their home for lifelong learning. Hopefully, through participation in this competition, Fellows and specialist trainees could take a break from their busy schedule and develop an interest in photography, one of the hobbies that is good for the body and mind.

The Academy Building has recently undergone a “face makeover” with maintenance and repair for the external wall completed in August 2020 to give it a new fresh look.



Entry period

0900hrs, 15 August 2021
to 1700hrs, 14 November 2021
(Hong Kong standard time)



Theme

Exterior architectural photography of the Academy Building and the relationship with its surrounding environment



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Entrants

- ◇ The Competition is open to all Academy Fellows and specialist trainees of the 15 specialty Colleges.
- ◇ Judging Panel and their immediate family members are not eligible to enter the Competition.



Submission requirements and guidelines

- ◇ Each entrant may submit up to two (2) entries but no entrant may win more than one prize.
- ◇ Photographs can be taken with digital camera or mobile phone.
- ◇ All entries must be no smaller than 2MB and no larger than 5MB each. Files should be in RGB jpeg format.
- ◇ Only entries submitted online will be eligible and no printed or film submissions will be accepted.
- ◇ A submission must be an original photograph taken and owned by the entrant, and has not been sold, published or entered in other competitions.
- ◇ Please download and read the **Terms and Conditions** carefully.



Boundaries of the Academy Building



Source: GEOINFO MAP, The Government of the Hong Kong SAR



How do I enter?

Please submit your photographs online.
Link: <http://page.hkam.org.hk/PhotoCompetition2021>



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Selection and judging criteria

Prizes will be decided by the Judging Panel consisting of professional photographer(s), Academy Officers and Secretariat. Judging will be based on the following criteria:

- ◇ Communication of the theme
 - relevancy, denotation and vividness of message (30%)
- ◇ Creativity and innovation
 - Choice of elements and uniqueness (25%)
- ◇ Technical merit
 - Skills of photography (25%)
- ◇ Visual impact and aesthetic sense
 - Photographic vision (20%)



Results and notifications to winners

The results will be announced on the Academy website in November 2021. All winners will be informed via their registered emails on prize presentation arrangement.



Prizes

- One (1) Gold Prize
 - ◇ Cash prize of HK\$6,000 and a certificate
- One (1) Silver Prize
 - ◇ Cash prize of HK\$4,000 and a certificate
- One (1) Bronze Prize
 - ◇ Cash prize of HK\$2,000 and a certificate
- Three (3) Honourable mentions
 - ◇ Cash prize of HK\$500 and a certificate for each winner



Enquiries

Please contact the Academy's Social Subcommittee Secretariat by email at connect@hkam.org.hk

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Terms and Conditions

By entering the Competition, each entrant agrees to be bound by these terms and conditions and the rules of the Competition, which is free to enter.

Submissions

Each entrant may submit up to two (2) entries in RGB jpeg format (each be at least 2MB but not exceed 5MB in size) but no entrant may win more than one prize.

Each entry does not contain personally identifiable information.

Only entries submitted online will be eligible and no printed or film submissions will be accepted.

Submissions must be received before the closing deadline of 1700hrs, 14 November 2021 (Hong Kong standard time).

By entering the Competition, each entrant:

- ◇ confirms that his / her entries are their wholly owned creation. The entry must not have been sold, published or entered in other competitions.
- ◇ warrants that his / her entries do not infringe any copyrights, trademarks, contract rights, or any other intellectual property rights of any third person or entity.
- ◇ grant the right to the Academy to retain the entries and edit, use or exhibit them on any publicity materials, means and events for any purpose. Prior consent from the entrants is not required and no copyright royalty shall be paid to the entrants.
- ◇ consents to the use of their personal data by the Academy for the administration of the Competition.

Judging

Entries for different prize categories will be selected as per the judging criteria. The results will be announced on the Academy website in November 2021.

In the event of any dispute regarding the rules, conduct or the results of the Competition, the decision made by the Academy and Judging Panel shall be final.

Disclaimers

The Academy and Judging Panel assume no responsibility or liability for any misdirected or incomplete entries arising from computer errors, viruses or other cases outside its control.

The Academy disclaims any legal disputes or liabilities of using and publishing the photographs, and entrants shall indemnify the Academy and Judging Panel against any losses they might suffer as a result of any photographs that entrants submit breaching third party rights.

The Academy reserves the right to add, cancel or amend the terms and conditions of the Competition at any time without prior notice.