



Anniversary Walkathon

Fundraising for “Chung Chi Theological Education Fund” and “Construction of Teaching Building for Myanmar Institute of Theology”

Fundraising Objective

In response to the needs of churches and the next generation of scholarships, DSCCC has been preparing to expand our teaching team. The Chung Chi Theological Education Fund (CCTEF) has been set up for the recruitment of teaching staff. The donation received over the previous four years has been solely spent on the recruitment and salaries of three Assistant Professors. However, we need to raise more funds to secure the new staffing cost and to ensure a smooth transition between new teachers and those who are going to retire. **The fundraising target for the future three years is HK\$7 million.**

Myanmar Institute of Theology (MIT) has raised almost 90% of the total cost of its 90th anniversary building which has been under construction. However, due to the severe impacts of COVID-19 and the civil war, both construction and fundraising projects have been suspended causing an increase in the construction cost. Approximately HKD1.6 million is still needed to complete the construction. We have a very close relationship with MIT and Myanmar's theological education. Over the years we have admitted students from Myanmar and some of them became teachers at MIT and other seminaries in Myanmar after acquiring theological training here. **25% of the raised funds from the Walkathon this year will be donated to support the building construction cost of MIT while the balance will be donated to the Chung Chi Theological Education Fund.**

Fundraising Target of this Year

HK\$1 million

Fundraising Means

This year's fundraising activities will include a physical Walkathon and Self-initiated Challenge. Local and overseas students, teachers, alumni, and all our friends are welcome to take part in the event.

Activity 1: Fundraising Walkathon and Carnival

12 March 2023 (Sunday)

Gather time: **3:00pm**

Gather venue: **Divinity School Chapel**

Rundown

2:30pm–3:00pm Gather, register, and submit forms at Divinity School Chapel

3:00pm–3:30pm Thanksgiving service, Kick-off ceremony, and Group Photo-taking at Chapel

3:30–4:00pm Walkathon

4:30–6:30pm Carnival: Booth Charity Sale, basketball match, music concert at Theology Building and

Basketball Court

6:30–8:30pm Big Bowl Feast dinner at Chung Chi Tang [Registration for Big Bowl Feast Dinner](#)

Activity 2: Self-initiated Challenge

Participants can decide the challenge item(s) in order to raise funds for Divinity School.

Online registration **before 10 Feb 2023** [Online Registration for Self-initiated Challenge](#)

Challenge Process/Result(s) Submission **before 24 Feb 2023**

The committee will contact you and follow up. Challenge results will be showcased on the Walkathon's social media (Facebook and/or Instagram) and/or on the event day of the Walkathon.

How to Join?

1. Please invite sponsors to support you in Walkathon and/or completing your challenge item(s). (Form sees below)
2. Self-initiated Challenge: Please decide your challenge item(s), then **complete** [Online Registration for Self-initiated Challenge](#) **before 10 Feb 2023**. Please record the **process** with your choice of documentary methods (e.g. photos, videos, a screen capture of your walking miles, etc.) **and send it to us before 24 Feb 2023. If you join the challenge in form of a group, only the team leader needs to submit the application form.**
3. Regardless of whether you choose to participate in Walkathon or Self-initiated Challenge, fundraising takes the individual as a unit. Participants must complete the sponsorship form and **submit it by mail or visit the School's general office on or before 10 March, or submit the form and payment on Walkathon Day.**

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Email: events@theology.cuhk.edu.hk

Website: <https://theology.cuhk.edu.hk/walkathon2023>

Updated information, please follow our Facebook and Instagram (Content in Chinese)

<https://www.facebook.com/dscccwalkathon>

<https://www.instagram.com/dscccwalkathon>

Walkathon Sponsor Form

Staff
 Alumni
 Student, Programme: _____
 Other

Name: _____ (Block letter) Title: Prof./ Dr./Rev./ Mr./Ms./Other: _____

Contact No.: _____

Email: _____

Donation Receipt(s): By post, Mailing, Address:

Collect at General Office

OFFICE USE ONLY	
CHECKER: _____	No: _____
DATE: _____	RECEIVED BY: _____
TOTAL AMOUNT: _____	
PAYMENT METHOD: CASH/ CHEQUE/ OTHER: _____	

I will join the Challenge of:

- 1. Walkathon
- 2. CLSS Self-initiated Challenge
- Not able to attend the event but I would like to donate and support the divinity school

Sponsor's information

- If the form is not sufficient for the application, it can be copied and used.

Name of Sponsor	Contact No.	Amount (HKD)	Receipt required	Name of Sponsor	Contact No.	Amount (HKD)	Receipt required
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Stamp for Completion:			Signature of Participant:		TOTAL AMOUNT:		

- 1) If you submit it by mail or in person to the office, please print this page and return it with the sponsorship payment on or before 10 March or submit to the "payment counter" on 12 March.
- 2) For donation over HK\$100 may require for an official receipt for tax deduction. Please fill "YES" in the

box of "Receipt" you need a receipt. Receipt(s) will be issued and sent to participants within 3 months after the event.

3) If you submit the form more than once, please fill in a new form and indicate the submission date.

Please collect the donations from your sponsors and submit the donations to Divinity School by ONE of the following methods:

Cash: Please submit to the General Office of Divinity School of Chung Chi College during office hours. DO NOT send cash by post.

Cheque: Please make cheques payable to "**The Trustees of Chung Chi College**" and write "**2023 Walkathon**" on the back of the cheque, then post the cheque with the sponsorship form to Divinity School of Chung Chi College.

Bank or Automated Teller Machine (ATM): Please transfer your donations to the bank account of **The Trustees of Chung Chi College** (Hang Seng Bank, Account number: **283-174001-001**) then post the **original copy of your bank slip** together with sponsorship form to the Divinity School of Chung Chi College. (Please avoid transferring several times for the convenience of accounting.)

Online Bank Transfer: Please collect all donations and transfer to the bank account of **The Trustees of Chung Chi College** at once (Hang Seng Bank, Account number: **283-174001-001**) then email the transfer record (save file in PDF or screenshot of the completed page, which clearly shows the bank account number, amount, date and time) to events@theology.cuhk.edu.hk. (Please avoid transferring several times for the convenience of accounting.)

Oversea Participant: If you cannot submit the donations though cash, cheques or online bank transfer, please email events@theology.cuhk.edu.hk to contact us for the submission arrangement.

Mailing address

c/o: Walkathon, Divinity School of Chung Chi College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, Hong Kong.