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## **Young Lo Pan Award Presentation Ceremony 2018**

Hong Kong · 25 July 2018 – Today the 13<sup>th</sup> day of the 6<sup>th</sup> month of the lunar calendar is Lo Pan Patron's Day. Organised by Hong Kong Kwong Yuet Tong and co-organised by the Construction Industry Council, the Vocational Training Council and the Hong Kong Institute of Construction Managers, the "Young Lo Pan Award Presentation Ceremony" was held this morning at the Lo Pan Temple, which is located at Ching Lin Terrace, Kennedy Town. The Award aims to recognise young talents with outstanding performance and dedication in the construction industry, as well as to encourage more potential young people to join and ultimately contribute to the booming construction industry. The Ceremony was officiated by Mr. LIU Chun-san, Under Secretary for Development, HKSAR.

The Young Lo Pan Award includes three categories: "Engineering Management", "Skilled Practitioners" and "Traditional Crafts". The awardees were selected based on their management or skill performance at work, continuing studies, knowledge and integrity on safety work procedures and interview performance, etc. The judging panel was composed of members from both the organiser and co-organisers. A number of awards were presented this year, including ten Young Lo Pan awardees, six traditional craft awardees, "Occupational Safety and Health Award", "Construction Manager Award", "Construction Award" as well as the "Excellent Young Lo Pan Award" for the Young Lo Pan awardee with the highest scores among all and the "Excellent Traditional Craft Award" to be presented for the most outstanding winner among the traditional craft awardees.

The awardee of "Excellent Traditional Craft Award" KOO Chun-kin is only 16 years old and is the youngest among all competitors. He is currently a "Bricklaying and Tiling" course student of the Hong Kong Institute of Construction and will be graduated in August this year.

A total of five female candidates were awarded with "Young Lo Pan Awards" and "Construction Manager Award", showing that female practitioners can also perform with excellence.



Mr. LIU Chun-san, Under Secretary for Development, HKSAR, delivering a speech



Mr. CHAN Ka-kui, Chairman of CIC(right), presenting Young Lo Pan Awards



"Excellent Traditional Craft Award" KOO Chun-kin is a student of "Bricklaying and Tiling Course" of the Hong Kong Institute of Construction



TANG Kai-yiu, Awardee of "Excellent Young Lo Pan Award"



Young Lo Pan Awardees and Traditional Craft Awardees posed for a group photo

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