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Fields of Specialty in Buddhism:

Dr. Wong learned Buddhism under Master Tam Shek Wing (談錫永) in the Vajrayana Buddhism Association for more than 15 years. He studied the view and practices of Nyingmapa following the lineage teaching of Dudjom Rinpoche.

Lecture courses in Buddhism:

Dr. Wong taught in the University of Hong Kong for 20 years on graduate and post-graduate courses and in the Centre of Buddhist Studies on the master degree courses since 2004, covering broadly the teaching of fourfold dependent origination, Maitreya Yogacara and the philosophy of Tathagatagarbha, the centrality of which was also found in Mayahana sutras and teachings.

The title of courses are :

The foundation, path and result of enlightenment : fourfold dependent origination and profound prajna paramita,

The Buddha Mind : an introduction to Tathagatagarbha.

Dr. Wong taught on honorary capacity in the Renmin University of Peking 北京人民大學國學院 on The Teaching of Nyingmapa from February to April in 2009.

A public lecture on “Zen and Sakura : Tathagatagarbha and Japanese traditional culture” was delivered in the Hong Kong Heritage Discovery Centre at March 2010.

Publications :

Editorial Work :

Member of editorial board for “Series of guidance for Buddhist Sutras and commentaries”,

傳統文化典籍導讀, 談錫永主編, 中國書店出版, 修訂版編輯委員,

Member of Editorial board for “The Monograph Series in Sino-Tibetan Buddhist Studies” in association of the School of Chinese Classics at Renmin University of China and The Sino-Tibetan Buddhist Studies Association in North America.

Articles on architecture and Buddhism :

無實有的城市空間, 香港建築師學報, 2003, 第 34 期, 28-29 頁

城市的無常與生機, 香港建築師學報, 2003, 第35期, 30-31頁

週遍時空幻城市, 香港建築師學報, 2003, 第 36 期

尋找城市真面目, 香港建築師號報, 2004, 第37期, 36-37頁

緣起與風水 – 看城市建設環境, 戰國策, 2003, 第 13 期, 48-55 頁

Conference presentations

“A Profound Insight into Nagarjuna’s Mulamadhyamakakaria – The Interpretation of the Theory of Dependent Origination into its Fourfold Meanings”, 2004 Second Annual Hawaii International Conference in Arts and Humanities

“A view of the spread of SARS in high density conditions with particular reference to the underlying control due to building code”, (with reference to the doctrine of dependent origination), 2004 Second Annual Hawaii International Conference in Arts and Humanities

“The practice of four-fold dependent origination for entering into non-conceptuality”, 2005 Third Annual Hawaii International Conference in Arts and Humanities

“Architecture and Feng Shui as Phenomena of Dependent Origination”, International Symposium on Scientific Feng Shui & Built Environment 2005”

Consultancy Work on Buddhist Architecture

Design for Western Monastery 西方寺, Lo Wai, Tsuen Wan, Hong Kong

Renovation for Tung Lin Kok Yuen 東蓮覺苑, No. 15 Shan Kwong Road, Happy Valley, Hong Kong