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Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Dear Ms Baxevanidou,

**Inaugural Hong Kong Laureate Forum  
Meeting of Inspirational Minds**

I am pleased to inform you that the inaugural Hong Kong Laureate Forum will take place on 15-20 November 2021. We would like to invite you to **nominate young scientists from your university to join this exciting Forum.**

20 Shaw Laureates and distinguished scientists listed in the attached leaflet will spend a week in Hong Kong interacting with about 200 selected young scientists from around the world, sharing their views, experience and aspirations in various scientific fields. Noting that your university has solid foundation in scientific research and outstanding performance in nurturing young talents in various disciplines in science and technology, we think you may be interested in nominating young scientists to join the forum.

If you are interested to nominate students/fellows to join the Forum as young scientists, our office would be happy to connect you with the Council of the Hong Kong Laureate Forum to discuss and arrange corresponding nomination channel(s) with your university directly. In this regard, please contact Mr Henry Tsoi, the Assistant Representative of our office, who can be reached at telephone: +32 2775 0088, or email at [henry\\_tsoi@hongkong-eu.org](mailto:henry_tsoi@hongkong-eu.org).

Undergraduates, postgraduates and PhD graduates in Astronomy, Life Science and Medicine, Mathematical Science or other closely related subjects, aged 35 or below, may also apply to join the Forum themselves. More information about the Forum and the application procedures can be found in the enclosed pamphlet, and the official website of the Forum at <https://www.hklaureateforum.org/en/>.

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Please feel free to contact us if you have questions.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Eddie Cheung', written over a vertical line.

**Eddie Cheung**  
**Special Representative for**  
**Hong Kong Economic and Trade Affairs**  
**to the European Union**