

## 旗艦活動 Flagship Programmes

## 龍傳基金 The Dragon Foundation

龍傳基金於2000年成立,致力連繫全球華裔青年,加深他們對中國文化及國家發展的認識,培育他們成為明日領袖,並建立全球網絡。「龍匯100」每年均會挑選100位華裔青年領袖齊集香港,帶領他們到內地進行主題考察活動。今年「龍匯100」主題為「創新生態下的跨文化協作」,100位來自12個國家和地區的青年一同前往廣州、佛山、東莞及深圳,透過參觀創新企業、歷史文化景點及交流活動,深入認識中國創新及可持續發展,同時探索源遠流長的中華文化。民政及青年事務局局長麥美娟更與青年分享香港《青年發展藍圖》的願景與工作方向,並了解青年的看法。



Established in 2000, The Dragon Foundation has a steadfast commitment to uniting Chinese youth around the world, deepening their understanding of Chinese culture and the development of China, nurturing them into future leaders, and fostering a global network. Dragon 100 is an annual event that brings together 100 Chinese youth for a thematic exchange trip to China. This year's focus was on Fostering Cross-Cultural Collaboration in the Innovation Ecosystem. 100 youth from 12 countries and regions had a meaningful visit to Guangzhou, Foshan, Dongguan and Shenzhen.

During their time in China, they visited innovative enterprises, historical and cultural sites, and engaged in exchange activities, gaining a comprehensive understanding of China's innovation and sustainable development while immersing themselves in the rich Chinese culture. While they were in Hong Kong, the Secretary for Home and Youth Affairs, Miss Alice Mak, shared the vision and initiatives of the Youth Development Blueprint with them and listened to their opinions.



高鐵青年號 Youth High Speed Rail Trip





高鐵令香港與內地交通變得便捷,青協與龍傳基金每年均合辦「高鐵青年號」,帶青年乘坐高鐵前往內地考察。今年以「文創體驗行」為主題,率領300位青年到湖南省長沙市,體驗沉浸式劇場、參觀文創產業園、嶽麓書院及橘子洲等歷史名勝,並探索工程機械製造和農業科技的發展。是次活動接近七成青年第一次乘坐高鐵,八成半第一次到訪長沙,大部份青年均表示對沉浸式劇場體驗印象深刻。

Thanks to the high-speed rail, travel between Hong Kong and the Mainland has never been easier and faster. The Federation and the Dragon Foundation co-organised Youth High-Speed Rail Trip every year, taking youth on visits to cities in the Mainland. This year we took 300 youth on a cultural and creative experience journey to Changsha, Hunan Province. They had opportunities to participate in an immersive theatre performance, explore cultural and creative hub, visit the esteemed Yuelu Academy, the iconic Juzizhou Island and a heavy-duty vehicles enterprise. Among the participants, 70% had never taken the high-speed rail and 85% visited Changsha for the first time. Many youth were deeply moved by the immersive theatre performance, stirring feelings of admiration and prompting thoughtful reflection.



Since 2011, China Week has been held annually to offer young people the chance to delve into Chinese culture and China developmental landscape through engaging programmes. This year, our focus was on exploring poverty alleviation in China from two perspectives: awareness and action. Our activities encompassed a seminar where youth could delve into China's remarkable accomplishments in poverty alleviation efforts, a screening of the documentary My People, My Devotion, which narrated compelling tales of villages overcoming challenges and fostering local economies, and a field study trip to Qingyuan, Guangdong, where young participants immersed themselves in rural life and witnessed firsthand the initiatives for poverty alleviation in action. We are glad that participating youth enjoyed the activities and had deeper understanding of poverty alleviation work in China.



## 內地事務 Mainland Affairs



內地事務辦公室於2022年成立,推動本會內地工作的發展,並協助香港青年更好地了解粵港澳大灣區發展所帶來的機遇。過去一年,內地事務辦公室接待了33個內地拜訪單位共253名訪客;前海香港青年發展中心接待了97個拜訪單位共1,586名訪客。內地事務辦公室積極參與香港與內地城市的合作峰會,協助本會其他單位與內地聯繫,冀為香港青年帶來更多機遇。

我們今年成立香港青年協會前海香港青年發展中心,這是我們在粵港澳大灣區設立的首個常設服務窗口,服務涵蓋三大方向,首先是人才發展,支援香港青年在大灣區就業、創業,同時開展青年領袖及義工培育;其次是舉辦特色交流團,促進兩地青年廣泛交往;三是致力於青年工作專業化,協助兩地社工和義工服務融合發展。



Our Mainland Affairs Office (MAO) was established in 2022 to enhance the Federation's services in the Mainland and help young people in Hong Kong better understand the opportunities arising from the development of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (GBA). Over the past year, MAO has hosted visits from 33 groups from the Mainland, totalling 253 visitors. Additionally, our Qianhai Hong Kong Youth Development Centre has hosted visits from 97 groups from the Mainland, totalling 1,586 visitors. We have actively participated in meetings between Hong Kong and Mainland cities, facilitating communication between our service units and mainland units, and exploring opportunities that are beneficial to the youth in Hong Kong.

This year, we established the HKFYG Qianhai Hong Kong Youth Development Centre, our regular service hub set up in the GBA Area. The services offered encompass three main areas: talent development initiatives supporting Hong Kong youth in employment and entrepreneurship, alongside providing youth leadership and volunteer training; organizing distinctive exchange programmes to facilitate interactions between youths from both regions; and professionalising youth work, aiding the integration and development of social work and volunteer services in both regions.