

Participation in International Conferences

Dr. Samuel Hung, the chairman of HKDCS, has represented the society to attend and present in a number of international cetacean conferences and symposiums, including:

- Workshop on “How We Can Survive with Coastal Marine Mammals in Asia” (2010: Tokyo, Japan; Presentation Topic: *Long-term monitoring programme on Indo-Pacific humpback dolphins and finless porpoises in Hong Kong: implications for conservation and management*)
- Symposium on Cetacean Research and Conservation across Taiwan Strait (2008: Wuhan, China; Presentation Topic: *Habitat use of Indo-Pacific humpback dolphins (Sousa chinensis) in Hong Kong*)
- Workshop on “A Decade of Management Plans, Conservation Initiatives and Protective Legislation for Hong Kong’s Pink Dolphins: An Assessment of Progress and Recommendations for Future Management Strategies” (2008: Hong Kong; Presentation Topic: *Review of long-term monitoring of humpback dolphins in Hong Kong*)
- Small Cetacean Subcommittee of the International Whaling Commission (2005: Ulsan, South Korea; Presentation Topic: *A review of the status of finless porpoises (Neophocaena phocaenoides) in Hong Kong waters*)
- Sixteenth Biennial Conference on the Biology of Marine Mammals (2005: San Diego, California, USA; Presentation Topic: *Quantitative analysis of habitat use of Indo-Pacific humpback dolphins (Sousa chinensis) in Hong Kong waters*)
- Eleventh Symposium on Cetacean Ecology and Conservation: Cetacean Ecology and Conservation in Taiwan, Mainland China and Hong Kong (2005: Taipei, Taiwan; Presentation Topic: *Research studies and conservation effort on Hong Kong cetaceans*)
- First Symposium and Workshop on the Conservation and Research of *Sousa chinensis* in Taiwan (2004: Taichung, Taiwan; Presentation Topic: *Conservation of Indo-Pacific humpback dolphins in People’s Republic of China and Hong Kong*)
- Tenth Symposium on Cetacean Ecology and Conservation: Toward a Sustainable Future of Whale-Watching (2004: Taipei, Taiwan; Presentation Topic: *Development of dolphin-watching activities in Hong Kong*)