

Introducing 2005 HKBU Honorary Doctorate Recipients: An Exhibition

**Mr. Andrew Sia -
Doctor of Business Administration,
honoris causa**

**謝安如先生 -
榮譽工商管理博士**

A successful entrepreneur, Mr. Andrew Sia is Managing Director of ACE Style Intimate Apparel Limited, one of Hong Kong's largest undergarment manufacturers.

The mission of Sia's company is to produce quality products while observing the ethics of Christianity, humanity and environmental responsibility.

Apart from offering scholarships, Mr. Sia has devoted much time and effort to the work of the University, such as serving on HKBU's Advisory Committee on Graduate Employment, and also an honorary fellow of a student residence hall and a career mentor.

**Professor Peter Townsend -
Doctor of Social Sciences,
honoris causa**

**唐信教授 -
榮譽社會科學博士**

製衣業翹楚謝安如先生是益德內衣有限公司行政總裁。他是位成功的企業家，擁有高尚的商業操守，在生產高質素產品之餘，亦同時恪守基督教、人文及環保責任的道德標準。謝先生在內衣製造業界獲公認具創意精神，亦非常關心業界的福祉與發展。他創立了香港內衣業聯會，推廣內衣及相關行業的研究及加強會員的溝通與合作。謝先生又熱心學生事務，除提供獎學金外，亦在百忙中抽空擔任浸大畢業生就業諮詢委員會成員，學生舍堂榮譽顧問及專業導師。

A world renowned scholar in the study of poverty, Professor Peter Townsend is currently Centennial Professor of International Social Policy at the London School of Economics.

In the 1960s, Professor Townsend proposed the concept of relative poverty, which has since established itself as the basis for the study and measurement of poverty in the developed world. His ground breaking work, "Poverty in the United Kingdom" published in 1979, has now become standard reading for poverty studies.

Professor Townsend has served in various capacities on a wide range of international bodies, including the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO), World Health Organisation (WHO), International Labour Organization (ILO) and European Union (EU).

Professor Townsend was invited to address the Poverty Summit in Hong Kong last year. He was also invited by the Chief Executive of the HKSAR to advise on the eradication of poverty in the territory. Professor Townsend has been conferred honorary doctorates by seven universities in the UK.

唐信教授是國際著名的貧窮研究學者，現任倫敦經濟學院國際社會政策教授。六十年代他提出「相對貧窮」概念，現已成為富裕社會研究及量度貧窮的基礎。七九年他出版突破性著作《英國貧窮情況》，成為有志研究貧窮問題人士的必讀書刊。唐信教授參與多個英國國內及國際組織的工作，如聯合國、世界衛生組織，國際勞工組織，及歐盟等。去年，他應邀在港舉行的貧窮高峰會議上發表演說，又獲香港特區行政長官邀請，為滅貧提供意見。唐信教授曾獲英國七所大學頒授榮譽博士銜。