

Closing Remarks from the HKIUD Conference 2018 Organizing Committee Chairman



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On behalf of HKIUD, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to our world-class speakers, generous sponsors, and esteemed supporting organizations. This is the third international conference we have organized since 2012, and all your support has made this year's event the most meaningful one to date. We are truly honoured.

At HKIUD, we believe addressing the ageing population from an urban design perspective needs cooperation on both technical and policy levels, and from multiple disciplines. As professionals and policy makers, we must unite and consider the how urban design impacts upon Active Ageing.

A conference becomes a success only if participants arrive. They are the lifeblood of a conference. Thus, we do express our sincere thanks to all of you who has come today in person or via the internet. We hope the insights and views shared today will help all of us in facilitating a better built environment that benefits ourselves, our families, and our future generations.

This conference is never the end, but a beginning. We will consolidate and publish the findings from today's discussion and continue working closely with the government, -Industry-Academics-Research sectors in raising our urban design standards to accommodate our ageing population and benefit the wider public. We look forward to your joint efforts with us.

Last but not least, may I take this opportunity to thank our organizing committee members who have kindly taken up the important roles, and made my job never been easier.

Thank you.