



## HONG KONG ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING SCIENCES Inaugural Distinguished Lecture



**Professor Chung-Jen Tan** is the Chief Executive Officer of the Hong Kong R&D Center for Logistics and Supply Chain Management Enabling Technologies, which conducts research and develops relevant technical solutions to serve the industries in Hong Kong and the Pearl River Delta region. He is also the founding director of the E-Business Technology Institute of the University of Hong Kong.

### Hong Kong Academy of Engineering Sciences

Founded in 1994 by eight distinguished engineers in Hong Kong under the leadership of The Hon Sir SY Chung, GBM FEng JP, the Hong Kong Academy of Engineering Sciences is an organisation of Hong Kong's most eminent engineers of various disciplines and leaders of the profession with distinguished achievements in engineering sciences or applications. It aims to promote the advancement of science, art and practice of engineering for the benefit of the public, and to pursue excellence in all fields of engineering.



### LOGISTICS AND TECHNOLOGY

Does **Hong Kong** still have the

# innovative edge?

cum book launch of

## “HKAES – The First 15 Years”

**HONG KONG** has long been a world-class logistics hub with advanced and efficient container port and air cargo operations. However, as Hong Kong and the Pearl River Delta region's economies become increasingly integrated, with the majority of the manufacturing operations in the region either owned or operated by Hong Kong corporations, logistics operations in Hong Kong must serve the entire region. As modern manufacturing and logistics operations are heavily dependent on advanced technologies, the challenge for Hong Kong to maintain its leading position in logistics is intertwined with its ability to carry out continuous innovation in developing and adopting technologies to provide solutions for every business sector on the supply chain.

In this lecture, Professor Chung-Jen Tan will discuss some major issues facing the logistics and related industries in Hong Kong, and illustrate how researchers together with industries are developing leading edge technologies and solutions to meet the new challenge.

This special occasion will also mark the launch of "**HKAES – The First 15 Years**", a book that summarises the Academy's activities in its first 15 years.

Join us and glean the insight.

**Monday, 2 November, 6:30pm**

**Lecture Theatre**

G/F, Hong Kong Central Library  
Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

**PROGRAMME**

<b>6:30 pm</b>	Welcome address by <b>Ir Francis Bong</b> , HKAES President
	Opening speech by Guest of Honour <b>Ir Dr the Hon Raymond Ho Chung-tai</b> , Legislative Council Member
	<b>Book launch ceremony</b>
	Lecture by <b>Professor Chung-Jen Tan</b>
<b>7:45 pm</b>	Vote of thanks by <b>Professor Roland Chin</b> , Chairman of the Research Grants Council
	End

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