

## **Curriculum Development Council Committee on Applied Learning (2013-2015)**

### **Gist of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meeting**

**Date of meeting: 5 March 2015**

#### **Salient points of the discussion:**

1. The progress on development and implementation of Applied Learning courses, including the launch of the application for the 2015-17 cohort, the development of Applied Learning Chinese (for non-Chinese speaking students), the promotion activities and funding arrangement, was reported.
2. Regarding the medium-term review, members' views on the draft recommendations were invited. Members agreed on the direction of development of Applied Learning. Also, the progress of the piloting of early course commencement at Secondary 4 and the accreditation of Applied Learning courses under the Qualifications Framework was reported. The Applied Learning extension programme for workplace experience was also presented.
3. Regarding the development of Applied Learning courses (including Applied Learning Chinese (for non-Chinese speaking students)) which would be delivered commencing in the 2016-18 cohort or thereafter, the Committee endorsed the recommendation for invitation to submission of course proposal for further consideration and exploration.