



## MEMORANDUM

To : All SCE Staff

From : SCE Research Management Committee

Date : 29 January, 2021

Subject : Announcement of the Results of Seed Grant Funding Scheme 2020/21

The SCE Research Management Committee (RMC) is pleased to announce the results of the Seed Grant Funding (SGF) Scheme 2020/21. The SGF Scheme was established to provide competitive initial start-up funding for SCE colleagues to carry out preliminary/ exploratory research and investigation to prepare for external grant application. The applications have been reviewed by the Proposal Vetting Panels (PVP) and the Grant Vetting Sub-Committee (GVSC), and the results have been approved by the RMC. Seed Grants have been awarded to the following SCE colleagues.

No.	Application no.	Principal Investigator	Project Title	Grant Awarded (HK\$)
1	SCE/SGF/ 2021/02	Dr. LAM Danny	An experimental study of the effect of a mindfulness training via mobile app on college students' psychological health	\$58,126
2	SCE/SGF/ 2021/05	Dr. PANG Vanessa	Perceptions of Parents, Principals and Teachers on Quality Education under the Kindergarten Education Scheme in Hong Kong	\$99,237
3	SCE/SGF/ 2021/06	Dr. TSUI Martin	From Warmth to Competence: How Digitalization Impacts Consumer Evaluations of Social Enterprises	\$98,348

SCE Dean Prof. Ronald Chung felt that there was a great deal of potential on research activities yet to be unleashed from the SCE staff, and had every confidence that SCE could be just as active and performing in research as the other self-funded institutions or units in Hong Kong, if not more. He also felt that research activities were important not only as a form of staff development, but also to assure that SCE was always ready to offer the most current knowledge to students.

Congratulations to all of the Seed Grant Awardees 2020/21.

SCE Research Management Committee (RMC)