

Polytechnic University Honours MTR Operations Director with Professorship

Hong Kong Polytechnic University is honouring the decades of engineering excellence of MTR Operations Director Mr Andrew McCusker by appointing him as an Adjunct Professor at the University for a term of three years.

Professor McCusker will provide guidance and advice to the Department of Electrical Engineering in the area of Transportation Engineering. The appointment is the latest example of the close cooperation between Hong Kong Polytechnic University and the MTR Corporation, which share the common goal of developing high caliber engineers to meet the future needs of Hong Kong.

“Hong Kong Polytechnic University and the MTR Corporation share years of engineering experience and a wealth of knowledge in constructing and maintaining safe, efficient, and reliable railway systems, ” said Professor McCusker. “It is truly an honour for me to continue this tradition of close cooperation and share my experience with the next generation of Hong Kong engineers.”

Hong Kong Polytechnic University conducts the Adjunct Professor programme to enable the University to seek expert advice from prominent industrialists, professionals, and community leaders.

“The appointment of Professor Andrew McCusker as an Adjunct Professor of the Department of Electrical Engineering will greatly enhance our already strong Electrical Engineering programme,” said Professor S L Ho, Chair Professor and Department Head of the Electrical Engineering Department. “We are excited to have him join our team.”

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MTR Operations Director Mr Andrew McCusker is appointed as an Adjunct Professor at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University by the Head of the Electrical Engineering Department and Chair Professor S L Ho.



Biography



MTR Operations Director Andrew McCusker

63, has served as the Operations Director since December 2005. Mr. McCusker has more than 40 years of experience in the operating, engineering and projects fields in Defence, Power, Water and Rail Industries. He joined the Company as Operations Engineering Manager in 1987, and since then has been posted to other responsible positions, including Operations Engineering Design Manager, Project Manager (Operations) and General Manager (Operations). He was appointed Deputy Operations Director in March 2004 and Acting Operations Director in October 2005. Mr McCusker holds a degree in Mechanical Engineering from the Kensington University in the United States and is a chartered member of both the Institution of Mechanical Engineers of the United Kingdom and the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (UK). In 2007, he was awarded the prestigious Steve Maxwell Leadership Award from the Australian Asset Management Council.