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### **CIC BIM Competition 2019 Wrapped Up Successfully**

Hong Kong • 19 June 2019 - The Construction Industry Council (CIC)'s first CIC BIM Competition 2019 (Competition) was wrapped up successfully and the award presentation ceremony was held at CIC BIM Space on 16 June 2019. There are two categories in the Competition: Open Category and Tertiary Student Category. The judging panel consisting of members from the professional bodies of the industry selected "Zeta Team" and "BuslMan Team" formed by students of The University of Hong Kong as the champion of Open Category and Tertiary Student Category respectively.

Speaking at the ceremony, Ir Dr. Richard PANG, Director - Industry Development, CIC said: "The Competition is one of the highlights of the BIM Year initiatives of the CIC with an aim to promote BIM technology to the tertiary students and construction industry practitioners in Hong Kong through a collaborative and competitive learning approach. Eight tertiary educational institutions formed teams to participate in the Tertiary Student Category competition, in which some of the teams were composed of students from different disciplines. Through this Competition, we hope to strengthen the knowledge of new generation on BIM and provide relevant trainings to students."

Ar. Ada FUNG, Chairperson, Committee on BIM said: "Despite the tight schedule of the competition, the submissions of both categories are of high quality. For the Open Category, the designs are mature, functional and aesthetic, and the neighboring environment has been considered into the design blended with sustainability elements. For the submissions of Tertiary Student Category, BIM technology has been fully utilised and the architectural designs are new and unique. I look forward to seeing these students joining the construction industry in future, making a contribution to the professions."

The Champion of Open Category, "Zeta Team", has successfully demonstrated how BIM could deliver an innovative design based on open standards and workflows, bringing out the benefits of using BIM. Meanwhile, the Champion of Tertiary Student Category, "BuslMan", has also demonstrated a collaborative effort of using BIM technology in a



comprehensive way and a great sense of creativity on the modern architectural design. CIC will sponsor the winning team to attend an international conference held in Singapore.

There are two categories in the Competition: Open Category and Tertiary Student Category. Each participating team should consist of at least 3 to 5 members from more than one discipline. The theme of the Competition is "BIM for Design Collaboration". Participants are required to prepare a design for redeveloping a campus into a "Digital Design & Construction Centre". There are two rounds of competition for Tertiary Student Category. Nine teams selected by judging panel running for the 2<sup>nd</sup> round competition were required to made amendments on the 1<sup>st</sup> round submission onsite within 12 hours.

More details of BIM can be found at www.bim.cic.hk.



## **CIC BIM Competition 2019 - List of Winning Teams**

## **Open Category**

Awards	Team	
Champion	Zeta	
1 <sup>st</sup> Runner-up	A.C.I.D.	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Runner-up	CLP Power Hong Kong Limited	
	Gammon Construction Limited	

#### **Tertiary Student Category**

Awards	Team	Institutions
Champion	BuslMan	The University of Hong Kong
1 <sup>st</sup> Runner-up	ACE Team	City University of Hong Kong
2 <sup>nd</sup> Runner-up	Deadline Fighters	Chu Hai College of Higher Education and
		The Hong Kong University of Science and
		Technology
Merit	Cattle	City University of Hong Kong
	ConstrucTopia	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
	Sole Idea	Technological and Higher Education Institute
		of Hong Kong
	StrucDeBuild	City University of Hong Kong
	Team ASAP	Chu Hai College of Higher Education and
		The Hong Kong Institute of Vocational
		Education
	Vireality	Technological and Higher Education Institute
		of Hong Kong





(From left) Ir Dr. Richard PANG, Director - Industry Development, Construction Industry Council presents the award to the champion team of Open Category



Ar. Ada FUNG, Chairperson, Committee on BIM presents the award to the champion team of Tertiary Student Category





Group photo of the judging panel and winning teams of Open Category



Group photo of the judging panel and winning teams of Tertiary Student Category



#### **About the Construction Industry Council**

The Construction Industry Council (CIC) was formed in 2007 under the Construction Industry Council Ordinance (Cap. 587). The CIC consists of a chairman and 24 members representing various sectors of the industry including employers, professionals, academics, contractors, workers, independent persons and Government officials.

The main functions of the CIC are to forge consensus on long-term strategic issues, convey the industry's needs and aspirations to the Government, provide professional training and registration services, and serve as a communication channel between the Government and the construction industry.

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