

**THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

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## 1) Introduction

The American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation was established in 1985. Governed by a Board of Trustees composed of past AmCham chairmen, its aims are to raise funds for and contribute to educational, training and other charitable projects. Introduced by the Foundation in 1986, the “**Ira Dan Kaye Community Service Award**”, now in its 31st year, recognizes individuals who have performed *outstanding* service to the Hong Kong community on a *voluntary basis*.

## 2) Nomination Procedure

The Nomination Form can be downloaded from the AmCham website: <http://www.amcham.org.hk>, or obtained from the AmCham Charitable Foundation at [publicaffairs@amcham.org.hk](mailto:publicaffairs@amcham.org.hk) with subject title, “AmCham Charitable Foundation Ira Dan Kaye Community Service Award – Nomination Form”. Closing date is **Monday, July 31, 2017**

## 3) The Prize

The winner will be presented with a check for HK\$30,000 made payable to a charity of his/her choice and an engraved silver plate at an Awards Ceremony Luncheon in the Fall of 2017.

## 4) Past Award Recipients

2016	Dr. Thomas Chan Sze Tong, World Vision Hong Kong
2015	Mr. Mike & Mrs. Kay Rawbone, Hebe Haven Sailability Trust
2014	Sunny Mak, Sunshine Action Ltd
2013	Jeremy H. Greenberg, The Children’s Institute of Hong Kong Limited
2012	Liz Chamberlain, The Samaritans
2011	Dr. Patricia Ip Lai Sheung, Against Child Abuse
2009	Dr. Elizabeth (“Jadis”) Blurton, The Harbour School
2008	Donation to the Salvation Army, HK & Macau Command for Victims of the Sichuan Earthquake
2005	Malcolm & Sally Begbie, Crossroads Foundation
2004	Sister Helen Marie Kenny, Keswick Foundation
2003	John Budge, MBE, JP, Hong Chi Association
2002	Kathy Nichols, Focus on Children’s Understanding in School (F.O.C.U.S.)
2001	Joyce Rasmussen, American Women’s Association and Cecilia Chen, HK Legal Education Trust Fund
2000	David & Wendy Nesbit, Hong Kong Vocational Centre
1999	Bridget Nesbit, Springboard Project Ltd
1998	Sister Maureen McGinley, MBE, the Society for AIDS Care
1997	Amy Tso, the Caritas Jockey Club Lok Yan School
1996	Sharyn Van Reepinghen, The Springboard School
1995	Jonathan Chamberlain, Hong Kong Down Syndrome Association
1994	Peter Newbury, Youth Outreach
1993	Ira Dan Kaye, MBE (Past Chairman of AmCham)
1992	John and Patricia Torgimson
1991	Helen Stephens, Mother’s Choice
1990	Rev Dr Louis Jasper, Lutheran School for the Deaf
1989	Valerie Conibear and Wendy Blackmur, Home of Loving Faithfulness
1988	Father Sean Burke, Helping Hand
1987	Jackie Pullinger, St. Stephen’s Society
1986	Chris Bale, Methodist Study Trust

