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## CRISIS BRINGS OPPORTUNITIES

Annual Report

Year ending 31 March 2021

### Introduction

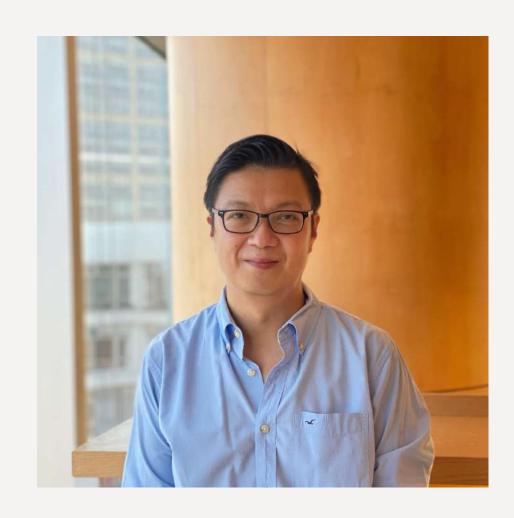
The COVID-19 pandemic has changed various aspects of life, work, education, entertainment, and also the ways of volunteering. The crisis is resulting in heightened demand for NGOs' services at the same time as many are seeing dramatic reductions in capacity with the social distancing measures.

As the crisis brings opportunities, we launched micro-volunteering programs, various home-based and small groups DIY volunteers services. We provided extra support and guidance to our NGO partners and volunteers, assisting them to adapt to unexpected situations. We also worked on the incentive program by collaborating with WeWork and HRCA, to encourage our volunteers to give and gain during difficult times. Moreover, we kicked off two new projects with The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust - the Jockey Club Community Channel (JCCC) fon community information and Stakeholder Relationship Management (SRM) Solution for NGOs, to support NGOs on digital transformation. We further worked on our 2nd year Volunteer Movement project with the Social Welfare Department this year.

And finally, we are delighted to announce that with the new projects, we relocated our office and tripled the size of our team, which marked a significant growth of Social Career in this year.



### Message from the CEO



Dear Volunteers and Friends,

Social Career recorded another amazing year in 2020-2021 with significant growth on volunteers, volunteer services, and hours as well as NGO partners. Despite the overwhelming situation of the pandemic, it prompts us to rethink how the way of volunteering operates with our strength and the aid of technologies and that is "Crisis brings opportunities". With all the efforts, we had a productive and successful year.

On behalf of Social Career, I am grateful to have our NGO partners, government department, the Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust, corporates, and individual volunteers for their generosity, commitment, and support, which we have benefited greatly. We very much hope that we can count on the partnership and support in the years ahead. And more importantly, we wish the two new projects of Social Career - JCCC and SRM could assist all the stakeholders in our community to achieve further success.

Lastly, I would like to express my gratitude and appreciation to our broad members and colleagues, who have always been the strongest asset of Social Career. In the years ahead, Social Career would strive to bring our experience together to inspire more people to engage in their second career.

Matthew Tam, Chief Executive Officer

### **Mission and Vision**

The mission of Social Career is to educate the general public in volunteerism and involvement in social causes and services. To achieve this mission, we devote our knowledge and experience of applying the latest information technology to develop a platform that helps non-profit organizations and enterprises with social missions to encourage and manage long-term and skill-based volunteering activities.

Our vision is to be in a world where everyone has a second career outside of their work. Everyone deserves an opportunity to develop a second career that we are truly passionate about. We call this our Social Career. You can have a fulfilling Social Career regardless of your profession, education or your social status; it is about who you are and your impact on society through volunteering. Your Social Career will carry on even after you have retired from your day job.



### Impact we made

We inspired



85,375 volunteers

We onboarded



772 NGOs

We engaged



690,318 hours

As of 31 March 2021,

- 772 NGO partners have published 14,018 volunteer recruitment posts via Social Career NGO Admin Dashboard
- 46,767 Active Volunteers have submitted 132,859 volunteer job applications on Social Career
- Our volunteers have attended 77,634 sessions of volunteer services

### **Highlight projects**

#### 1-minute mask delivery micro-volunteering project

To strengthen community support during COVID-19, we have launched various micro-volunteering opportunities for the public to volunteer in various ways from wherever they are, by using smartphones, the internet, or helping those in need in their community. 1-minute mask delivery project was organized in November, under the 4th wave of COVID-19 infections, enabling us to send surgical masks to those in need in the most efficient ways. With the strong volunteer network, this campaign had received overwhelming responses and further connected our community for positive causes.

#### Stakeholder Relationship Management (SRM) Solution for NGOs

With the funding support from The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust, we expanded our volunteer platform to an all-in-one Stakeholder Relationship Management (SRM) solution that addresses and solves NGO-specific pain points through the latest technology. The SRM project will last for 3 years, covering various management systems for NGOs. It affirmed our efforts, not only helping the general public to become committed volunteers but also supporting NGOs to utilize the latest information technology and maximize the community impact.



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### **Our works**

#### **Volunteering via DIY Workshops**

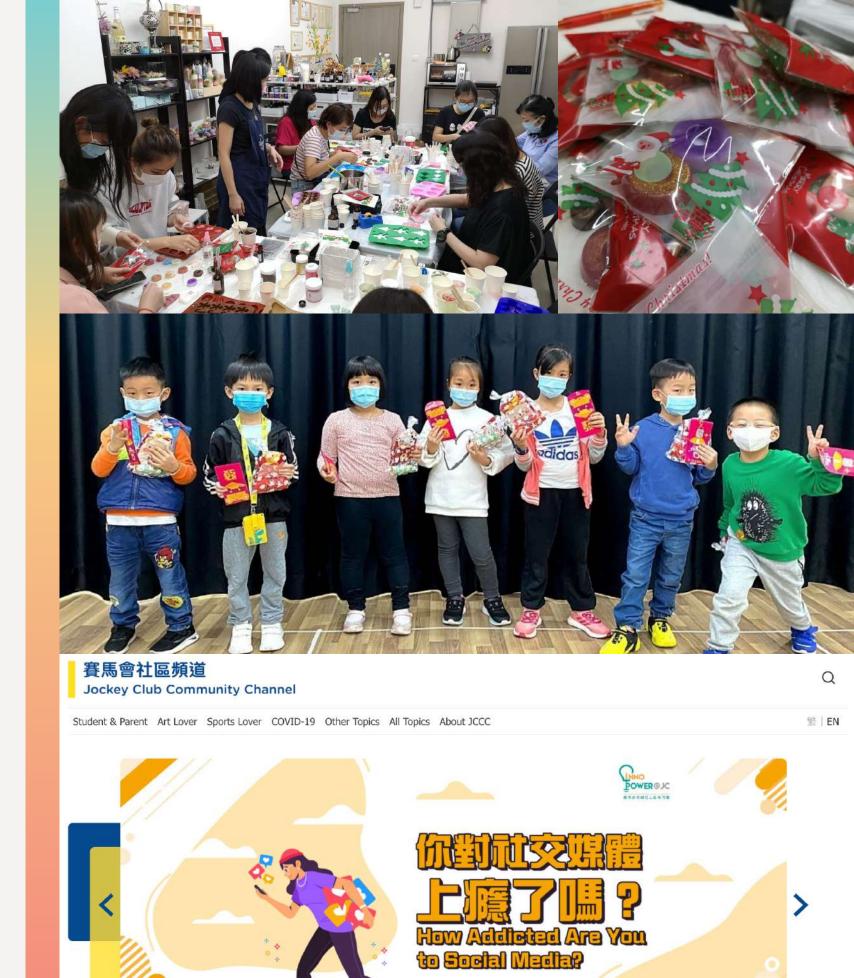
To encourage volunteers to take part in services during the pandemic, we organized a series of workshops with NGOs and private workshop owners. Workshops were either hosted in small groups or at home with all materials provided. Our workshops included soap and lipstick making and festive decorations designing, allowing volunteers to learn something new and help the community in a fun way. The final goods were sent to elderly and lowincome families as gifts during the difficult time.

#### **Jockey Club Community Channel (JCCC) Project**

We are honored to be the contractor of The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust for the JCCC project on its website maintenance, marketing, and public relations works. Through this online publishing platform, we further helped the general public to get all the latest information, learning materials and leisure contents developed by NGOs and community partners.

#### **Incentive Program**

Thanks to the support from WeWork and Happy Retired Charity Action, we have successfully expanded our incentive program this year to recognize and encourage volunteers' continuous involvement and engagement.



### Funding Sources and Financial Summary

Social Career has been developing and operating the SRM and Volunteer Management Platform, which are sponsored by The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust. Social Career has also been running multiple projects supported by various partners including The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust and the Social Welfare Department. Below is the financial summary according to our audited financial report highlighting our major income sources and expenses.

Fiscal Year Period: 1 Apr 2020 - 31 Mar 2021

INCOME	HK\$	EXPENSES	HK\$		
Donation for Volunteer Platform Operation	3,250,102	SRM and Volunteer Platform	10,087,153		
Donation for SRM Solution for NGOs	7,406,236	JCCC Online Platform Project	1,578,815		
Project Fee for JCCC Online Platform	1,578,000	HKJC COVID-19 Emergency Fund Project	82,283		
HKJC COVID-19 Emergency Fund (Refund)	(11,392)	Other Projects	2,079,777		
Miscellaneous Donation Income	72,743	Administration	501,190		
Project and Subscription Fee Income	2,471,502		14,329,218		
Event Income	9,185	Total Expenses			
Government ESS Subsidy	486,000				
Sundry Income	5,586	SURPLUS FOR THE PERIOD	938,744		
Total Income	15,267,962	Accumulated Surplus	1,764,098		