

# Paving the Way for SITizen Entrepreneurs

*An endowed gift from the SCCCCF allows SIT to establish a scholarship to inspire student excellence and it comes with the opportunity to interact with SCCCCI members*

Future recipients of the Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce Foundation (SCCCF) Scholarship will not only be getting financial support for their studies at the Singapore Institute of Technology (SIT) – the SCCCCF Scholarship also comes with a complimentary year-long membership with the Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SCCCCI), giving them the opportunity to rub shoulders with local business leaders.

This is one of the more unique features of the SCCCCF Scholarship, which was made possible with an endowed gift from SCCCCF in September 2016. Beginning in Academic Year (AY) 2017/18 onwards, two scholarships will be awarded each academic year, and will be tenable for up to three years.

To thank them for this gift, Prof Tan Thiam Soon, President, SIT, hosted Mr Roland Ng, President of the 59th Council, SCCCCI, and Mr Adrian Peh, Chairman of the Culture, Education & Community Affairs Committee, SCCCCI for a lunch at the SIT@Dover campus on 12 July 2017. Also present for the lunch was Prof Loh Han Tong, Deputy President (Academic) & Provost, and SIT faculty, staff and students.



*(from left) SIT students, Ms Cheng Wei Bin, Mr Raymond Lim; Prof Loh Han Tong, Deputy President (Academic) & Provost, SIT, Mr Roland Ng, President of the 59th Council, SCCCCI, Prof Tan Thiam Soon, President, SIT, Mr Adrian Peh, Chairman of the Culture, Education & Community Affairs Committee, SCCCCI, SIT student Mr Derrick Teo and Prof Chiew Sing Ping, Programme Director (Civil Engineering), SIT*

At the lunch, Prof Tan said that “the Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce Foundation under SCCCCI has been very impactful in its work in supporting the Singapore community through education, and SIT is truly honoured to count the Foundation as one of our key philanthropic partners.”

Established in 1966, the SCCCCF contributes to the community development of Singapore by promoting educational, cultural, community and charitable activities.



*Mr Roland Ng, President, SCCCCI (left) receives a token of appreciation from Prof Tan Thiam Soon, President, SIT.*



*Mr Adrian Peh, Chairman of the Culture, Education & Community Affairs Committee, SCCCCI (left), is greeted by SIT student, Mr Raymond Lim, from the Sustainable Infrastructure Engineering (Building Services) programme.*