

2017 USFHK Taekwondo Competition

The HKUST Men's and Women's Taekwondo Teams participated in the **2017 USFHK Taekwondo Competition** at Shaw Sports Complex, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University on 26th February 2017. This competition consisted of one-on-one Taekwondo sparring matches strictly followed the World Taekwondo Federation Sparring Rules. Only student-athletes who are black belt holders are qualified to compete in the competition.



All team members and the supporters take a group photo with the coach, Miss Celia DAO (seven from the left at the front row)



Polo lands a kick on his opponent's head

There are more than 150 top studentathletes from different universities in Hong Kong joined this event, showing how vigorous and competitive the matches had been. Participants were divided into various weight divisions ranging from Fin-weight to Middle-weight. Singleelimination tournament was adopted in each weight division.

Out of the 12 HKUST Taekwondo team members, 7 males and 5 females, have participated in this competition. Two of them showed remarkable performance and won a medal in their own weight divisions.



(Men's Lightweight Division)
prepares himself for his final match



TAM, Yat Hei (Year 2, CIVL) wins Bronze Medal in Men's Feather-weight Division



CHOI, Ka Hei Polo (Year 3, IELM) captures the Silver Medal in Men's Light-weight Division