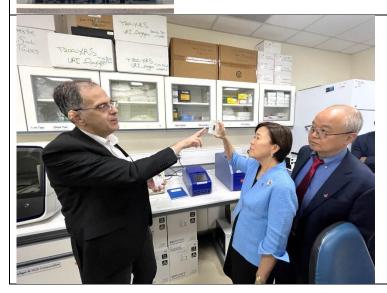


A group photo of the HKUST delegates, including President Prof. Nancy Ip (back row, sixth left), Vice-President for Institutional Advancement Prof. Wang Yang (front left), with the senior management of the University of Sharjah, including Chancellor Prof. Hamid M.K. Al Naimiy (back row, sixth right), and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Prof. Youssef Al Haik (front right), after the two parties sign partnership agreement.



The delegation of HKUST visits the Research Institute for Health and Medical Sciences at the University of Sharjah.



Prof. Rifat Hamoudi (left) from the University of Sharjah introduces his latest research outcomes to Prof. Nancy Ip (middle) and Prof. Wang Yang at the Molecular Genetics Lab.



The Dubai Future Foundation (DFF) representatives explore collaboration opportunities with the HKUST delegation on areas including innovation, knowledge transfer and entrepreneurship.



HKUST Vice-President for Institutional Advancement Prof. Wang Yang (front left) and DFF Deputy CEO Mr. Abdulaziz Al Jaziri (front right) sign the collaboration agreement under the witness of HKUST President Prof. Nancy Ip (back left) and DFF CEO HE. Khalfan Belhoul (back right).



The HKUST delegation visits Dubai Future Labs to learn of UAE's latest development in AI and robotics.



The delegation also visits the Museum of the Future for its immersive display on the possible futures.



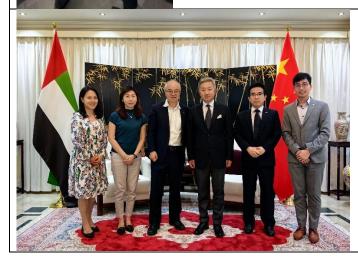
A group photo of the HKUST delegation with the Khalifa University (KU) President Prof. Sir John O'Reilly (fifth right) and its other senior management.



The HKUST delegation visits KU's Advanced Research and Innovation Center, which researches on aerospace engineering, advanced manufacturing, health and energy technologies.



Prof. Nancy Ip (middle) discusses with KU President Prof. Sir John O'Reilly (left) and a researcher from KU at the university's Body Museum, which promotes healthy lifestyle and at the same time, showcases the technology of preserving human bodies through plastination.



The HKUST delegation meets with Mr. Zhang Yiming (third right), the Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the People's Republic of China to the UAE.



The delegation hosts an alumni gathering to foster connections and strengthen ties.