



Dr Peter Newbery

Executive Director

Youth Outreach

Peter Newbery has been involved in youth work in Hong Kong for more than 40 years. In 1991 he founded a new and innovative youth service called “Youth Outreach” which has since developed from a single residential center with 8 staff housed in an old tenement in Mongkok to a multi-service agency with more than 150 staff based in a purpose-built 16 story building in Saiwanho. Youth Outreach has pioneered many services for youth that have eventually been absorbed into mainline youth services and much of this has been done without government subvention.

Peter was given the Distinguished Alumnus Award by the Department of Social Work and Social Administration of HKU in 2012. He has received many other awards including the Medal of Honor from the Government of the SAR and the “Servitor Pacis” (Servant of Peace) award from the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See to the United Nations for his work with young people.