

Ms Linda To
Executive Director, HER Fund

## **Biography**

Linda To is the founding member and the Executive Director of HER Fund. Linda has rich experience in women's rights work and rights-based philanthropy. She is also devoted to the education of young people on gender equality and social justice and has over 15 years of supervising social work students in various universities, mostly practising in women's work setting or community setting. She served as the Board member of International Network of Women's Funds 2010-2013, a global network with over 40 women's funds making grants at international, regional and national level. Linda was the coordinator of Harmony House 和階之家 (1990-94), Hong Kong Women Workers' Association 香港婦女勞工協會 (1994-98), and the Chairperson of Ziteng 紫藤 (2001-03). She is committed to philanthropy for social justice and for advancement of women human's rights.

HER Fund is community fund, registered as charity, established in 2004 in Hong Kong, SAR of China. HER Fund is committed to mobilise resources and invest in advancing human rights and better well-being for women and girls through grant-making, capacity building and resources development. The fund prioritises to make grants on the four themes: Freedom from Violence; Freedom from Discrimination; Freedom from Poverty and Promote Women's Civil Participation and the grantee partners are from the marginalised and less-funded sector in our society. In the past ten years, HER Fund had made over 100 grants to over 40 local women NGOs, alliances and self-organised women's groups.