

## **JC-WISE Public Lecture – Is Our Water Sustainable?**

The world's fresh water resources are preciously limited, yet Hong Kong citizens had become accustomed to enjoying the convenience of round-the-clock portable water supply with a simple turn of the tap. We might have forgotten that Hong Kong is inherently a water-short city, and many of us only marginally understand and appreciate the multiple values and functions of our water resources. This lecture will examine the challenges and prospects of water resources management in Hong Kong from the perspectives of conservation ethics and institutional governance, as well as through the lens of a multi-scale approach.