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| **Prof CHIEN Wai-tong**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong | An Evaluation of the Effectiveness of Adherence Therapy for Patients with Schizophrenia: A Randomized Controlled Trial (10111671)  
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| **Prof Richard CHOY Kwong-wai**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong | Clinical Application of an Established Target-enrichment Massively Parallel Sequencing Method for Genetic Screening and Diagnosis of Hereditary Hearing Loss Patients with Normal array CGH Result (01120256) |
| **Prof JIN Dong-yan**  
The University of Hong Kong | Roles of Epstein-Barr virus-encoded miR-BART microRNAs in viral persistence and transformation of epithelial cells (12110962) |
| **Prof Stephen TSUI Kwok-wing**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong | Whole Exome Sequencing to Dissect the Genetic Factors behind Developmental Delay and Learning Difficulties (01120596) |
| **Prof Eliza WONG Lai-yi**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong | Validation and valuation of the preference-based health index using EQ-5D-5L in the Hong Kong population (11120491) |
| **Prof Vincent WONG Wai-sun**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong | Dietary determinants of endotoxemia and nonalcoholic fatty liver disease - A population study (11120621) |
| **Excellent Health Promotion Project Awards** |
| **Dr Derek CHEUNG Yee-tak**  
The University of Hong Kong | Promotion and brief intervention of smoking cessation at the smoking hotspots (06130205) |
| **Dr TANG Hoi-yin**  
Kwai Chung Hospital | A training workshop for foreign domestic workers caring for elderly with dementia at home (28140014) |
| **The Most Promising Young Researcher Awards** |
| **Dr Jasper CHAN Fuk-woo**  
The University of Hong Kong | Epidemiology, seroprevalence, and clinical manifestations of immunodeficiency due to autoantibody against interferon gamma in Hong Kong (13121342) |
| **Dr Alexander LAU Yuk-lun**  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong | Neutralizing antibodies to interferon-beta therapy in Chinese patients with relapsing and remitting multiple sclerosis: a pilot study (01120486) |
| **Best Poster Awards** |
| **Dr Larry CHOW**  
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University | The use of a novel synthetic flavonoid to improve bioavailability of paclitaxel: a pharmacokinetic, mechanistic and in vivo efficacy study (02131036) |
| **Prof Benjamin John COWLING**  
The University of Hong Kong | Intra-season waning of influenza vaccination effectiveness in children (HKS-18-E18) |
| **Dr Esther LAU Yuet-ying**  
The Education University of Hong Kong | Effects of sleep disturbances on disrupted affective cognition in individuals with depression (12132951) |
| **Dr Peggy OR Pui-lai**  
The Education University of Hong Kong | School children: An active role in disease prevention (29150014) |