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Professor Cheung Tai-chiu (張大釗教授) was born in Hong Kong, and had his primary and secondary education in Hong Kong, Macao and Guangzhou. In 1949, he joined the Medical School of Lingnan (嶺南) University, Guangzhou, and the Yan-jing (燕京) University, Beijing for formal western medical education. From 1951 to 1956, he worked as a teacher in Medicine at the Shanghai First Medical College and graduated in Internal Medicine. He then joined the Second Affiliated Hospital of the Medical College of Wu-han University as a teacher.

During the national movement that required all doctors to learn TCM in 1959 - 1962, Professor Cheung received his formal TCM education at the Hu-bei College of TCM and graduated with distinction commendation awarded by the Ministry of Public Health. From 1965-1982, he was assigned to the Hu-bei College of TCM and its affiliated hospital and engaged in research on integration of traditional and western medicine.

In 1982, he joined the Medical School of Jinan University and engaged in teaching, research and clinical services. He is very well known in liver cancer research and has published extensively. During his academic career in Jinan University, he was appointed as Professor, Associate Dean of the Medical School, Chief Physician and Chief Executive of the affiliated Hua-chao Hospital.

Professor Cheung is among those few medical professionals in Hong Kong who received formal education in both western and Chinese medicine. He is a very distinguished TCM educator during his services in China, a renowned specialist and researcher in Medicine, especially liver cancer. After his retirement from Jinan University in 1989, Professor Cheung remains active in teaching and clinical services in Hong Kong. He serves as members of the Advisory Committees of the School of Chinese Medicine of HKU, CUHK and BU. Editor of the Magazine East-West Integrated Medicine. He is a member of the Health and Medical Development Advisory Committee, and the Chairman of the Chinese Medicine Practitioners Board of the HK SAR Chinese Medicine Council.
