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1. Positions at Chinese Community Social Services Centre Inc. (CCSSCI):

- 1) Co-founder of Chinese Community Social Services Centre Inc. (1992)
- 2) President - Chinese Community Social Services Centre Inc. (1997 - current)
- 3) Secretary - CCSSCI - On Luck Community Chest (2004 - current)

2. Education / Occupation:

- 1) Northcote High School, Melbourne University, R.M.I.T.
- 2) Hawthorn Institute of Education
- 3) Retired TAFE teacher in Mathematics, Statistics, Chemistry and Quality Management

3. Involvement in relevant organizations and networks:

With nearly 50 years of experience on a voluntary basis, I have been involved in a wide cross-section of organisations, government and non-government, mainstream, multicultural and ethno-specific. I have demonstrated capacities to attune to the needs of the community and to convey such needs to the relevant government departments, policy-makers and funding bodies, through funding submissions, advocacy and representation on government committees / consultation forums.

4. Past Voluntary Community Involvement:

- 1) Member - Board of Directors, Manningham Community Health Services Ltd (2007 - 2013)
- 2) Patron - Inner East Primary Care Partnership's Social Isolation Project of Uniting Church Care Options (2009 - 2011)
- 3) Member - Ministerial Advisory Council of Senior Victorians (2007 - 2010)
- 4) Member - Home and Community Care Advisory Committee (Department of Human Services) (2008 - 2010)
- 5) Deputy Mayor - City of Manningham (2008 - 2010)
- 6) Chairman of the Manningham City Council's Access & Equity Committee (2008 - 2010)
- 7) Chairman of the Manningham City Council's Senior Citizens' Reference Groups (2008 - 2010)
- 8) Member - Standing Committee for Local Government and Cultural Diversity (2009 - 2010)
- 9) Member – Municipalities Association of Victoria Human Services Advisory Group (2009 - 2010)
- 10) Member – Ministerial Advisory Council of Cultural and Linguistically Diversity - Human Services (2000 - 2006)
- 11) Director - Migrant Information Centre (Eastern Melbourne) (Ministerial Appointment) (1998 - 2004)
- 12) Member and Promotion Committee Chairman - Board of Management, The Scots' Church, Melbourne (1996 - 2001)

- 13) Member - Ministerial Multicultural Human Services Advisory Council (1999)
- 14) Member - Victorian Ethnic Affairs / Police Liaison Committee (Ministerial Appointment) - 14 years of service (70's - 90's)
- 15) Secretary - Communities Council on Ethnic Issues (90's)
- 16) Vice President - Blackburn English Language School Council (90's)
- 17) Founding Member / Secretary - Asian Australian Resource Centre (80's - 90's)
- 18) President / Vice President / Secretary / Treasurer - Lions Club of Melbourne Cosmopolitan (70's - 90's)
- 19) Member - Victorian Ethnic Affairs Advisory Council (Ministerial Appointment) - 6 years of service (70's - 80's). (Led to the establishment of the Victorian Multicultural Commission in 1983.)
- 20) Committee Member - Ethnic Communities Council of Victoria (70's - 80's)
- 21) Founder / President / Secretary / Treasurer - Australian Asian Community Welfare Association (70's - 80's)
- 22) Founding Member / Constitution Committee Chairman - Federation of Chinese Associations of Victoria (70's - 80's)
- 23) Management Committee Member - Migrant Resource Centre, Melbourne (70's - 80's)
- 24) Member - Monash University Asia Pacific Education Centre Advisory Committee (80's)
- 25) Founding Member / National President - Malaysian Union of Students in Australia (70's)
- 26) State President - Malaysian Students' Union of Victoria (60's - 70's)
- 27) Member - Department of Immigration State Informal Committee (60's)
- 28) President - Overseas Students' Coordinating Committee of Victoria (60's)
- 29) President - Asian Students Association of RMIT (60's)
- 30) President - Junior Australian Asian Association of Victoria (60's)

5. Awards and Major Achievements:

- 1) Australian Centenary Medal (2003)
- 2) Menzies Community Australia Day Award (2015)
- for services and contributions to the community
- 3) Justice of the Peace (1995)
- 4) Victoria's Award for Excellence in Multicultural Affairs – Award for Meritorious Service in the Community (2002)
- 5) Ministry of Ethnic Affairs Medallion
- for service and contribution to the Victorian Ethnic Affairs Advisory Council (1977-1983)
- 6) Certificates of Recognitions
 - 6.1) Certificate of Commendation - Victoria Police
- for dedication and sustained assistance to the Victoria Police in establishing harmonious relations between Police and ethnic communities (1977-1991)
 - 6.2) Certificates of Recognition – International Year of Volunteers (2001)
 - 6.3) Recipient of the Lions Club District Governor's 100% President's Award
- in recognition of 100% performance as Club President
 - 6.4) Presentation by the Asian Australian Community Welfare Association
- in appreciation for service, contribution and support to the Association
 - 6.5) Presentation by Box Hill College of TAFE

- in recognition of service and contribution to its Council
- 7) Established On Luck Chinese Nursing Home at Donvale, the first Chinese-specific Nursing Home in Victoria (2006) and successfully completed an extension to double its size and capacity (2014) - a \$20,000,000 Community Project
- 8) Successfully proposed the Permanent Flying of the Aboriginal Flag at the Manningham Civic Centre (2009)