## Biography of Prof. Kelvin K.C. Ng

Professor Ng graduated from the University of Hong Kong in 1995. He specializes in hepatobiliary and pancreatic surgery and liver transplantation. He joined the Department of Surgery, The University of Hong Kong since 1996. He became Associate Professor in the Department of Surgery, The University of Hong Kong in 2016. He subsequently joined the Department of Surgery, The Chinese University of Hong Kong as Professor of Surgery in 2019. He is a fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh and the American College of Surgeons. He is the council member of Hong Kong Society of Gastroenterology and Hong Kong Society of Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Surgery. Internationally, he has been the treasurer of International Society of Digestive Surgery Asia-Pacific (ISDS-AP) and Asia-Pacific Digestive Week Federation (APDWF).

Professor Ng's main research interests are in the field of liver cancer management and liver transplantation. His clinical researches in liver cancer range from minimally invasive surgery for early cancer to local ablation therapy for advanced disease. He was awarded the postgraduate degree of Doctor of Philosophy on the study of local ablation therapy in animal models and the degree of Master of Surgery on the study of clinical applications of radiofrequency ablation for liver cancer. He has authored and co-authored over 130 peer-reviewed articles in international journals, including *Gastroenterology*, *Hepatology*, *Annals of Surgery*, *British Journal of Surgery*, and *Radiology*. He is the editorial broad member of international journals, including *The Surgeon*, *Medicine®* and *Frontiers in Oncology*. He has delivered numerous invited talks in various regional and international conferences on his research work. Based on his academic achievements, he has received academic awards, including Gold Medal for Best Original Research, John Wong Young Surgeon's Award, Young Investigator Award, the G.B. Ong Travelling Fellowship, Presidential Award, International Guest Scholarship and Carlos A. Pellegrini's Travelling Fellowship by American College of Surgeons.