

## The Hon Jasper Tsang Yok-sing, GBS, JP

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The Hon Jasper Tsang Yok-sing, GBS, JP is the current President of the Legislative Council of HKSAR and a member of National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference. He was the Founding Chairman of the Democratic Alliance for the Betterment and Progress of Hong Kong (DAB).

Mr Tsang received his primary and secondary education at St. Paul's College and graduated from the University of Hong Kong with a bachelor's degree in mathematics in 1968 and a master's degree in education in 1983. He began his teaching career at Pui Kiu Middle School, and became the principal of the school in 1986. He left his position in 1998 to become a full-time politician. Mr Tsang's involvement in politics began in 1976, when he was appointed a member of the Guangdong provincial committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference. He became a member of the Conference's national committee in 1993. Mr Tsang took an active part in the consultative activities when the Hong Kong Basic Law was drafted in the late 1980s and was subsequently appointed to the committee responsible for the preparatory work for the establishment of Hong Kong.

Mr Tsang generously devoted his time to public service. He was a member in a number of government committees, statutory bodies and education institutes, to name a few, Commission on Strategic Development of the Central Policy Unit, Securities and Futures Commission, Airport Authority, and The Open University of Hong Kong. Mr Tsang likes reading and Chinese Calligraphy in leisure time.