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# Where do emerging diseases come from?

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Date : Tuesday, 31 March, 2015  
Time : 4:00 pm – 5:30pm  
Venue : Lecture Room 18, Academic Building 1,  
City University of Hong Kong

Professor Joe Brownlie is Emeritus Professor of Veterinary Pathology at the Royal Veterinary College, London. He has made key contributions to the understanding of many infectious diseases, including Bovine Viral Diarrhoea Virus, Bovine Immunodeficiency Virus, Foot-and-Mouth Disease, Bluetongue and Canine Infectious Respiratory Disease. He is also widely considered as one of the most authoritative experts on emerging disease threats to the UK.

In 2005 he was appointed veterinary expert member of the Coordination team (4 members) of Professor Sir David King's **Foresight programme on 'Detection and Identification of Infectious Diseases' programme**. As such, he represented veterinary science and veterinary issues, particularly for the future risks and technologies over the next 25-30 years.

Furthermore, the Foresight programme has looked at the issues of new and emerging diseases in UK, sub-Saharan Africa and China. The follow up has been opportunities to work within a comparative 'One Medicine' framework. Professor Brownlie has worked strongly to position veterinary science in both this framework and in Africa. This has developed into the **Southern African Centre for infectious Diseases and Surveillance (SACIDS) of which he is a Director**.

He has published over 150 research papers, presented internationally at over 320 meetings and supervised 32 PhD students. He has received a number of distinguished national and international awards for his work.

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**All are welcome !**

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