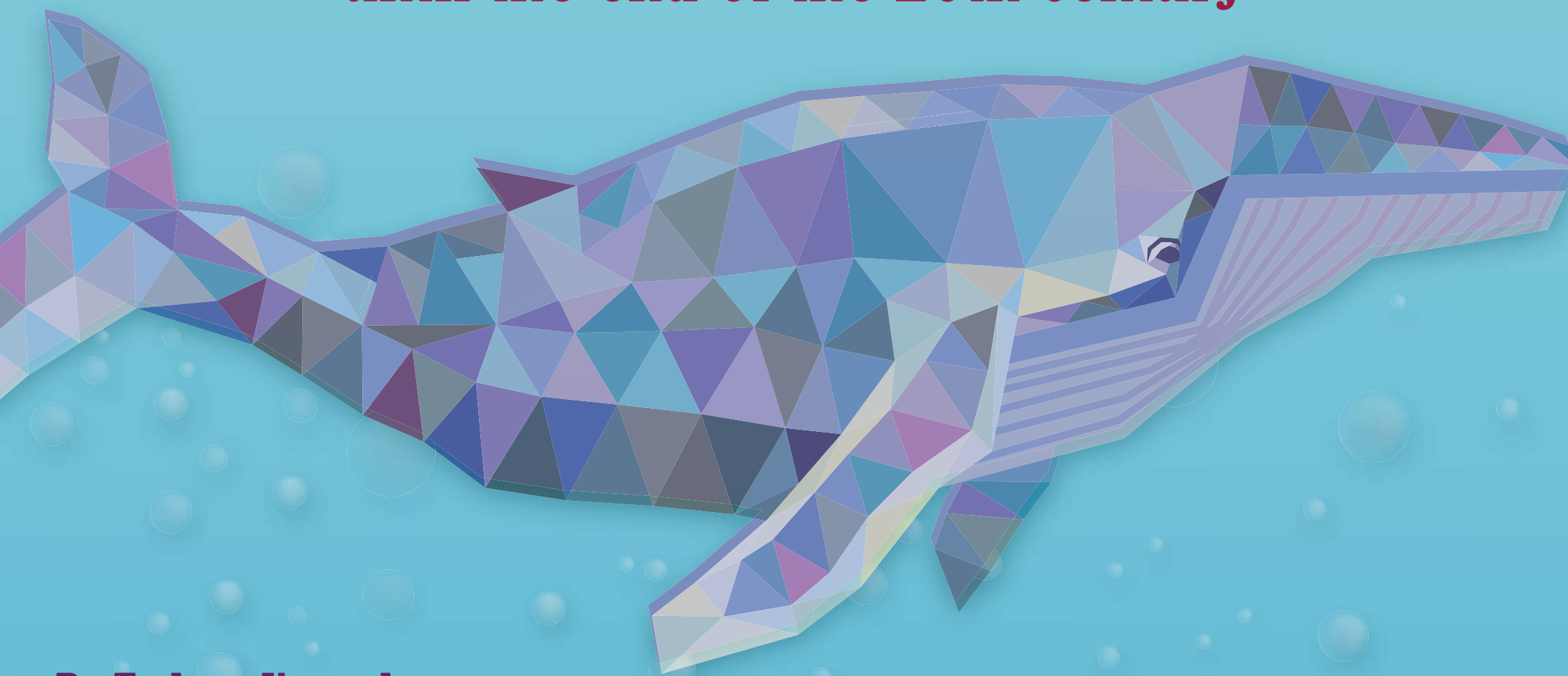


City University of Hong Kong - School of Veterinary Medicine
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Presents a seminar

Eleven metre baleen whale species not recognised until the end of the 20th century



Dr Tadasu Yamada

Dr Yamada, is a world renowned expert in the comparative morphology (anatomy) of aquatic mammals. He began his career at the Niigata University School of Medicine, working in the field of human anatomy. Discovering that the classical description of marine mammal anatomy was severely lagging behind that of human anatomy, Dr Yamada changed his career focus. Since then he has worked tirelessly with marine mammals, focusing on marine vertebrate morphology, systematic comparative anatomy, stranded marine mammals and pathological investigations of marine mammals. He has held the post of Curator in Chief of the National Museum of Nature and Science in Tokyo for more than 2 decades and is now Curator Emeritus of the same museum. He has numerous publications to his name and is known internationally for his expertise with whales.



Date: 7 December (Wednesday)

Time: 11 am

**Location: TYB2-130, 1/F, Block 2, To Yuen Building
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All are welcome