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**Motivation Letter (Hong Kong Laureate Forum)**

Dear Hong Kong Laureate Forum Selection Committee,

I am writing to express my interest in joining the Hong Kong Laureate Forum. The forum's goal of bringing together scientists from different generations, cultures, and disciplines is something that truly excites me. As a young scientist, I believe collaboration with others who have diverse experiences and perspectives is essential to advancing science.

What I find particularly inspiring about the Hong Kong Laureate Forum is its commitment to supporting the development of young scientists, both in Hong Kong and around the world. I'm passionate about connecting with other young researchers, sharing ideas, and learning from each other. I believe these global connections will be invaluable for both personal growth and the advancement of scientific progress.

Additionally, I'm eager to contribute to the forum's mission of cultivating an interest in science and technology among the younger generation in Hong Kong. Growing up in a fast-changing world, I understand how important it is to make science more accessible and inspiring for students. Through the forum, I hope to take part in efforts to encourage young people to explore different fields of science and technology.

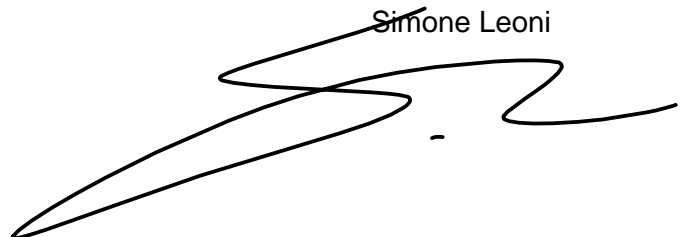
Finally, I am excited by the opportunity to collaborate with various sectors—academia, industry, and government—to promote science education and exchanges. I believe that the more we work together across these sectors, the more we can strengthen the scientific community and inspire future generations.

Being part of the Hong Kong Laureate Forum would be an incredible opportunity to learn, contribute, and help shape the future of science and technology. Thank you for considering my application, and I look forward to the chance to be a part of this inspiring initiative.

In advance, I thank you for considering my application.

Best regards,

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