

# Study Tour to CK Life Sciences

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Biotechnology has a relatively short history compared with other knowledge-intensive industries, but it is heralded by many as one of the key growth drivers offering enormous opportunities and immense potential in innovation and wealth creation.

According to a report released by the World Health Organization, average life expectancy will rise to 73 years by 2025, and the number of people aged over 65 will make up 10% of the total world population. These trends send a clear message that there will be growing demand for sophisticated medical and healthcare products in the future.

To find out more about this young industry and learn about upcoming developments, the Chamber organised a study tour to CK Life Sciences on March 16. Alan Yu, Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, for CK Life Sciences, told members that the outfit has already developed more than 100 product applications to compete in the nutraceutical and pharmaceutical markets with a potential value of around US\$250 billion. 🌸

與其他知識型行業相比，生物科技是一門較新的行業。然而，很多人認為這行業將是未來經濟的主要動力之一，並具有優厚的創新和創富潛力，能為企業帶來龐大機遇。

世界衛生組織發表的報告預期，人類平均壽命到2025年將延長至73歲，而65歲以上的人將佔一成全球整體人口。這些趨勢顯示，人們對優質醫藥及保健產品的需求將不斷擴張。

本會於3月16日率團前往長江生命科技國際有限公司位於大埔的科研基地參觀，以深入瞭解這門新興行業及其未來發展。長江生命科技國際有限公司副總裁及營運總監余英才表示，該公司至今已成功開發逾100項保健及醫藥產品方案，市場的潛在價值達2,500億美元。 🌸

Alan Yu (left) introduces the wide range of products that CK Life Sciences has developed.

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