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**Boston/London/Warsaw – 30 September 2025 –** <u>Paradigm Publishing Services</u>, a division of <u>De Gruyter Brill</u>, has entered into a partnership with two leading university presses in Hong Kong: the Hong Kong University Press (<u>HKU Press</u>) and the City University of Hong Kong Press (<u>CityUHK Press</u>).

HKU Press, established in 1956, publishes around 35 new book titles a year, primarily in English, but also many important titles in Chinese. HKU Press is particularly renowned for its titles in Asian Studies, including cultural studies, film and media studies, history, art, architecture, literary studies, and anthropology. A key strength is bilingual publishing in both Chinese and English, reflecting the press's roots in Hong Kong while maintaining a global perspective. Hong Kong Studies, China Studies, and Southeast Asian Studies are also among our core strengths and areas of focus.

"We are delighted to partner with Paradigm to make our extensive and unique collections available to a wider international audience, strengthening the global presence of research from Hong Kong and the region," said Michael Duckworth, Publisher of HKU Press.

CityUHK Press was founded in 1996 and publishes 30 to 40 books per year in three main categories: academic titles, professional books and general interest/social concern titles. The works cover a wide range of fields including business, history, cultural studies, education, law, political science, science and engineering. Books published in the social sciences focus on China studies, Hong Kong studies, Asian studies, politics, and public policy.

"Our goal is to produce works of social impact, regional and international significance, and lasting value. The partnership with Paradigm will give us exposure across Asia and beyond and allow us to showcase excellent scholarship from Hong Kong," said Edmund Chan, Director, CityUHK Press.

"At Paradigm, we are determined to ensure that a diverse collection of voices can be heard and that university presses flourish. Our partnerships with two important Hong Kong institutions confirm this and we look forward to additional opportunities in Hong Kong,

China and the rest of the APAC region," said Steve Fallon, Managing Director of Paradigm Publishing Services.

A number of titles from HKU Press are already available through Paradigm and titles from CityUHK Press will be available from January 2026.

To learn more about Paradigm – including the company's services, history, and mission, vision, and values – visit <a href="https://paradigmpublishingservices.com/">https://paradigmpublishingservices.com/</a>.

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