



## MEDIA ADVISORY

**WHAT:** Goodwill Southern California (GSC) hosts visiting artists from Hong Kong

**WHO:** Hong Kong artists with disabilities, their families and counselors

**WHEN:** Tuesday, August 12, 2014

**WHERE:** 9am – 10:40am Goodwill L.A. Campus – 342 N. San Fernando Road, L.A. 90031  
11am – 12:45pm Goodwill Community Enrichment Center at Fletcher Square -  
3150 N. San Fernando Road, L.A. 90065

**WHY:** After kicking off the opening of a special exhibit on Friday, August 8 at the Chinese American Museum, entitled Transpacific Ties: Bridging Hong Kong and Los Angeles through Art, a group of Hong Kong artists will visit GSC to tour their facilities and learn about their mission services in Los Angeles, as both groups represent achievements made by individuals with disabilities. The Hong Kong artists were introduced to GSC by Dr. Gay Yuen, President of the Friends of the Chinese American Museum (FCAM).

**CONTACT:** To join the tour and meet the Hong Kong artists, please contact Sasha Itzikman at 323-979-9395 or [sitzikman@goodwillsoCal.org](mailto:sitzikman@goodwillsoCal.org).

### **About Goodwill Southern California**

*Transforming lives through the power of work, Goodwill Southern California (GSC) serves people with disabilities or other vocational challenges, as well as businesses, by providing education, training, work experience and job placement services. Each year, GSC prepares and places thousands of individuals into sustainable employment through programs and services offered at three campuses, five Career Resource Centers, three WorkSource Centers, Deaf, Youth and Veteran Employment Programs throughout Los Angeles (north of Rosecrans Ave.), Riverside and San Bernardino counties. GSC supports its mission with proceeds generated from 79 retail stores and 44 attended donation centers. Charity Navigator, an independent charity evaluator has awarded GSC its highest four-star ranking for 13 consecutive years; largely due to the fact GSC spends 93 percent of its budget on programs and services. Committed to caring for the earth, in 2013 GSC diverted 67.4 million pounds of reusable or recyclable goods from landfills. Goodwill is Good For Everyone! 888-4-GOODWILL [www.GoodwillSoCal.org](http://www.GoodwillSoCal.org).*

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