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Cyberport Continues to Expand into High-potential Markets through Belt and Road Summit

Augmenting Opportunities for AI and Smart City Innovation Unleashing Economic Value from Emerging Industries

HONG KONG, September 9, 2026 - The 11th Belt and Road Summit, jointly organised by the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) Government and the Hong Kong Trade Development Council (HKTDC), is being held from September 9 to 10 at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre. As Hong Kong's digital technology hub and artificial intelligence (AI) accelerator, Cyberport is participating in the Summit for the ninth consecutive year. At the thematic roundtable session, "Innovative and Healthy Silk Road: Working Together to Create a Better Future," Cyberport is sharing its latest achievements in promoting AI applications and advancing health technology development. It is also showcasing the strengths of Hong Kong's innovation and technology (I&T) ecosystem, and facilitating the exchange and connectivity of innovation resources among countries and regions along the Belt and Road.

Simon Chan, Chairman of Cyberport, said: "As the Belt and Road Summit enters its second decade, the global digital and green economies are reaching a critical stage of closer integration. Artificial Intelligence (AI) and health technology are emerging as important drivers of transformation in improving social well-being and smart city development. As Hong Kong's digital technology hub, Cyberport is leveraging Hong Kong's unique strengths as a 'Super-Connector' and 'Super Value-adder' - connecting the world through innovation and technology while empowering industries through technological advancement. Looking ahead, Cyberport will further deepen cooperation with emerging markets along the Belt and Road, including the Middle East, Central Asia and ASEAN, promote the two-way flow of talent, technology, capital and market opportunities, and support innovation and technology enterprises in expanding into overseas markets. Together, we can unlock new opportunities for high-quality development in the I&T industry."

Eric Chan, Chief Public Mission Officer of Cyberport, participated in the thematic roundtable discussion, "Innovative and Healthy Silk Road: Working Together to Create a Better Future." Moderated by **Nicholas Ho, Commissioner for Belt and Road**, the discussion brought together government and industry representatives to explore topics including digital health, artificial intelligence, public health collaboration and innovative applications of traditional medicine, as well as the latest trends in AI and health technology, and how innovative cooperation can promote market development along the Belt and Road. As AI becomes the new infrastructure for economic growth and industrial upgrading,

Cyberport, as a cross-border innovation platform, is committed to facilitating the efficient connection of innovation resources, capital and markets, and accelerating the cross-regional commercialisation of innovative outcomes. Through proof-of-concept initiatives, regulatory sandboxes and pilot programmes, Cyberport helps innovative technologies move from the laboratory into industry. It is also actively advancing cutting-edge areas such as smart mobility and the low-altitude economy, developing innovative application scenarios that leverage Hong Kong's unique strengths and offering practical, scaled innovative models along the Belt and Road.

Cyberport is also co-exhibiting with four community start-ups, namely [HashNut](#), [NeuraEdge](#), [Maxmodal](#) and [Dai3mimi](#), showcasing innovative solutions in Web3 and digital payments, AI-powered education technology, logistics technology and digital innovation. Through Cyberport's platform and the Summit's extensive international network, the participating start-ups will also engage in business matching sessions with potential clients, investors and industry stakeholders, creating opportunities for collaboration, investment and market expansion across Belt and Road markets.

During the Summit, Cyberport presented its latest progress in advancing AI development and industrial applications. In particular, Cyberport is accelerating the development of the largest scale **Artificial Intelligence Supercomputing Centre (AISC)** in Hong Kong, which provides high-performance computing support to local universities and tertiary institutions, research and strategic organisations, government policy bureaux and departments, and start-ups. The Centre aims to accelerate the commercialisation of research outcomes and foster industrial innovation. Meanwhile, **OPC Hub @ Cyberport**, a start-up base designed specifically for one person companies (OPCs), has officially commenced operation. It offers a range of dedicated support for workspaces, access to AI computing power and model resources, cloud services, training and networking opportunities, cybersecurity support, marketing and promotion, investor matching, and industry connections. These services support lean start-up teams in developing products, operating their businesses and expanding into new markets with greater efficiency.

Cyberport is currently home to more than 2,400 innovation and technology enterprises, including over 500 AI and data science companies and more than 400 fintech companies. Together, they form one of Hong Kong's largest AI and fintech communities. Cyberport is also actively expanding its cooperation network, having established partnerships with innovation and technology parks and organisations in the Mainland as well as overseas countries, including Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, Malaysia, Thailand, South Korea, Japan and the United States, among other places. These partnerships promote cross-border innovation and technology collaboration and facilitate connections between markets.

Since its launch in 2016, the Belt and Road Summit has developed into an important platform for advancing regional cooperation, economic and trade relations, and investment around the world. It is also the flagship major event of Belt and Road Week. This year's Summit is themed "Promoting High-Quality Development and Embarking on a New Journey Together." It brings together nearly 100 policymakers and business leaders from countries along the Belt and Road to explore significant business opportunities in areas including financial investment, innovation and technology, professional services, infrastructure, and shipping and logistics, with the aim of promoting international cooperation across multiple sectors.

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During the Summit, **Simon Chan, Chairman of Cyberport** (fourth from left in left image) and **Dr Rocky Cheng, Chief Executive Officer of Cyberport** (third from left in right image) visited start-ups co-exhibiting with Cyberport, namely [HashNut](#), [NeuraEdge](#), [Maxmodal](#) and [Dai3mimi](#), showcasing innovative solutions in Web3 and digital payments, AI-powered education technology, logistics technology and digital innovation.



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About Hong Kong Cyberport

Wholly owned by the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) Government, Cyberport is Hong Kong's digital tech hub and AI accelerator, with a vision to empower industry digitalisation and intelligent transformation, to promote digital economy and AI development, and to foster Hong Kong to be an international AI, innovation and technology (I&T) hub. Cyberport gathers over 2,400 companies, including 30 listed companies and 10 unicorns. 40% of onsite companies' founders come from 28 countries and regions, while Cyberport companies have expanded to over 35 global markets.

Cyberport, with Hong Kong's largest AI Supercomputing Centre and AI Lab as the engine, has been building the AI ecosystem with industry-leading AI companies and over 500 AI and data science start-ups. Through development of tech clusters, namely AI, data science, blockchain and cybersecurity, Cyberport empowers industries across smart city and government, banking and finance, digital entertainment, culture and tourism, healthcare, education and training, property management, construction, transportation and logistics, green environment and more, while hosting Hong Kong's largest FinTech community. Commissioned by the HKSAR Government, Cyberport has implemented proof-of-concept and sandbox schemes, subsidisation for digital tech adoption, industry tech training and start-up incubation, to drive technology R&D, translation and commercialisation, thus propelling digital transformation and intelligent upgrade across industry and society.

Also as "State-level Scientific and Technological Enterprise Incubator" and Hong Kong's key incubator, Cyberport supports entrepreneurs with funding and office space, extensive networks of enterprises, investors, technology corporations and professional services for business growth and expansion to Chinese Mainland and overseas markets, all-round facilitation for landing in Hong Kong, talent attraction and cultivation, ready as a launchpad to take start-ups in any stages of development to the next level.

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