OSHK applying OSI Affiliate Membership

**Affiliate Member Application (User Community):** Open Source Hong Kong (OSHK)

1. **Required documentation.**

   ✓ Letter of Introduction  
   ✓ Signed Affiliate Agreement

2. **Founding documentation formalizing organization, e.g. by-laws.**

   ✓ Certificate of registered society under Society Ordinance in Hong Kong  
   ✓ Open Source Hong Kong (OSHK) Constitution

3. **Association memberships, partnerships, etc. (if applicable) with international, national, professional and/or affiliated organizations.**

   Hong Kong Creative Open Technology Association Limited is our current event partner to organise some of community events, eg. Hong Kong Open Source Conference, PyCon Hong Kong.

   OSHK is also in charge of Hong Kong Python User Group and PyCon Hong Kong as caretaker.

4. **Mission statement describing purpose and goals.**

   From point 1 to 5 of OSHK Constitution

   1. Open Source Hong Kong (開源香港) (in short form: OSHK) is a organisation which is aimed to connect and promote global open source technology.
   2. “Open Source” is the term originated in computer software development, which means the source code of computer programs are released to the public in a open license.
   3. Open Source Hong Kong is also aimed to promote development of open technology and digital creative culture, for examples (but not limited to), open data, open hardware, creative commons.
   4. To achieve aims listed in this constitution, Open Source Hong Kong organise meetings, seminars, conferences, online discussions and others activities.
   5. OSHK Members acknowledges and agrees the philosophy and concept of open source software development.

5. **Publicly available release of events/activities, e.g. meetings, conferences, etc.**
Hong Kong Open Source Conference since 2013
PyCon Hong Kong since 2015
Open Data Day Hackathons in Hong Kong since 2014
GNOME Asia Summit 2012
And more Talks, Workshops, Meetups, Hackathons in HK & Asia listed on
https://opensource.hk/events/

6. Documented approach for participation by the public.

Voting and Regular membership is available. https://opensource.hk/membership/

Many OSHK events are open for public to attend.

7. An active community:

Methods for current and interested individuals/organizations to join and participate in your community

Mentioned in Question 2,5,6 for individuals/organisations to join participate in our community (event & membership).

Active participation from multiple contributors, i.e. individuals and organizations other than founders (contributions may be other than programming/technology)

Members of OSHK include contributors of (not limit to):
Free Hong Kong Fonts (Kingman Leung)
GNOME Foundation (Sammy Fung)
Hong Kong Wordpress User Group (Nicholas Yau)
LibreOffice (Kingman Leung)
Mozilla Foundation (Sammy Fung)
Python Software Foundation (Sammy Fung)
Stroke 5 Chinese Input Method (Kingman Leung)

8. References from other open source projects, ideally a current OSI Affiliate Member.

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