

# Auditory-Verbal Therapy Summer Internship Program 2020

## Date & Time

**2020 July-August  
every Thursday 7-9:30pm**

## Location

**Online & Activity Room at The  
Education University of Hong Kong**

## About the Course

The Auditory-Verbal Therapy Volunteer Internship Program 2020 will help the freshman understand that Special Educational Needs (SEN) children have the opportunity to listen and speak. Children with SEN can grow to be equals alongside their peers. By increasing expectations, implementing evidenced based therapy, and working with parents, outcomes for SEN children can improve. The desired goal is to increase awareness, understanding, and access to Auditory Verbal therapy. During the summer course freshmen will practice therapy activities and strategies with families. By promoting this knowledge and expertise, other health and education professions will become aware of the benefits of this Listening and Spoken Language Specialty. More families can learn about Auditory Verbal Therapy. The course will be taught in both English and Cantonese.

## Learning Objectives

- To learn different approaches of auditory verbal therapy
- To understand people with hearing and speech impairment
- To broaden the horizons, understand how the industry operates, and receive practicum opportunities

## Recruiting

- People aged between 17-35, college students or working people
- Interested in auditory verbal therapy
- First priority for people with related experience in auditory-verbal therapy, speech therapy, or interacting with children with special needs)

## Enrollment

<https://forms.gle/be3H56FFCVoS8JmE6>

## Contact for more info

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## About the speakers



**Mr James Grosvenor Watson**  
M.Sc., LSLS Certified Auditory-Verbal Therapist



**Ms Clara Ka-Wai Fong**  
M.Edu., M.SpecEd., Auditory-Verbal Therapist, Education Consultant



**Mrs Lea Donovan Watson**  
M.S., CCC-SLP, LSLS Certified Auditory-Verbal Therapist

# Program Details

## July, 2020

Jul 4 (Sat)

Opening from the Organization

Time: 5:30pm-6pm

Venue: Mongkok Community Hall

Location: Mong Kok Complex, 557 Shanghai St, Mong Kok

Jul 9 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 1 - 'Listening and Spoken Language Past & Present'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Jul 16 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 2 - 'Auditory-Verbal Strategies for the Home and Classroom'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Jul 23 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 3 - 'Auditory-Verbal Parent Guidance'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Jul 30 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 4 - 'AVT Teaching Techniques'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

## August, 2020

Aug 1 (Sat)

Practicum

Time: 10:00am-1:00pm

Venue: The Education University of Hong Kong (TKO Campus)

Location: No.1, King Yin Lane, Tseung Kwan O, New Territories

Aug 6 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 5 - 'Experience Books Enhance Auditory-Verbal Living'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Aug 13 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 6 - 'Auditory Support in the Mainstream'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Aug 20 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 7 - 'Assessment Methods in Auditory-Verbal Practice'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Aug 27 (Thur)

WebinarTopic 8 'Case Studies in Auditory-Verbal Therapy'

7:00pm-8:30pm Tutorial (Lea/Jim)

8:30pm-9:30pm Practicum Preparation (Clara)

Aug 29 (Sat)

10:00am-11:00pm - Self Reflection

11:00am-1:00pm - Practicum

1:00pm-1:30pm - Award Presentation (Refreshments)

Venue: The Education University of Hong Kong (TKO Campus)

Location: No.1, King Yin Lane, Tseung Kwan O, New Territories

## About the speakers



### Mr James Grosvenor Watson

**M.Sc., LSLS Certified Auditory-Verbal Therapist**

- 40 years experience in AVT coaching parents of infants and preschoolers who listen with hearing aids or cochlear implants
- Founding board member and past president of Auditory-Verbal International, Inc.
- Past board member of the Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- Life Member of AGBell and often presents at AGBell Association conventions.
- A partner in The Auditory-Verbal Communication Center, Gloucester, MA
- Was a 2015-2016 faculty member of the Univ. of Toronto and Hamad Medical Corp.in Doha, Qatar



### Mrs Lea Donovan Watson

**M.S., CCC-SLP, LSLS Certified Auditory-Verbal Therapist**

- 40 years experience in AVT coaching parents of infants and preschoolers who listen with hearing aids or cochlear implants
- A partner in The Auditory-Verbal Communication Center, Gloucester, MA
- Was a 2015 - 2016 faculty member of the Univ. of Toronto and Hamad Medical Corp.in Doha, Qatar
- Received the AGBell Helen H. Beebe Award for Supervisors of AVT in 2007
- Charter member of Auditory-Verbal International, Inc.,
- Member of American Speech-Language- Hearing Association
- Member of the Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing since 1976



### Ms Clara Ka-Wai Fong

**M.Edu., M.SpecEd., Auditory-Verbal Therapist, Education Consultant**

- 14 years of experience in AVT coaching parents of infants and preschoolers who listen with hearing aids or cochlear implants
- Consultant in Lutheran School For the Deaf, Union Hospital, Otic Foundation and Autism Hong Kong
- Guest Lecturer at The Education University of Hong Kong for the Thematic Course on Supporting Students with Special Educational Needs (SEN) for more than 10 years
- Director at the NGOs of Positive Behaviour Support Academy Asia, Assistive and Learning Technology Association, Distinctive Learning Society, St Theresa Opportunity Centre (Taiwan) and Karuna Battambang Organization (Cambodia)
- Valuable experience of conducting therapy in both face-to-face and telepractice to the children with different syndromes in different countries since 2007
- Conducted relevant seminars, workshops, public talks, online programs and broadcasting in different mainstream, special schools, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and Radio Television Hong Kong