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**CONTROLLING OFFICER'S REPLY**

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Question:

Regarding the exhibitions listed below, please provide information on the overall attendance figures; the attendance figures of full-time students, people with disabilities and senior citizens aged 60 or above; the expenditures involved in the exhibitions; the durations of the exhibitions; and the numbers of related thematic talks and their attendance figures:

- Inventing le Louvre: From Palace to Museum over 800 Years
- Splendours of Dunhuang: Jao Tsung-i's Selected Academic and Art Works Inspired by Dunhuang Culture
- Hall of Mental Cultivation of The Palace Museum – Imperial Residence of Eight Emperors
- Pixar 30 Years of Animation: Hong Kong Celebration of Friendship and Family
- The Legend of Hong Kong Toys
- Longevity and Virtues: Birthday Celebrations of the Qing Emperors and Empress Dowagers
- Miles upon Miles: World Heritage along the Silk Road
- Genesis and Spirit: Recalling Jiangnan
- Eternal Life – Exploring Ancient Egypt

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Reply:

The attendance, expenditure and duration of the respective exhibitions, as well as the number of related thematic talks and their attendance are at **Annex**.

## Major Exhibitions Organised by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department in 2017

Title	Venue	Period	Expenditure (\$'000) <sup>(1)</sup>	Attendance				Thematic Talks	
				Standard Tickets	Concessionary Tickets <sup>(2)</sup>	Free Admission <sup>(3)</sup>	Total	No. of talks	Attendance
Inventing le Louvre: From Palace to Museum over 800 Years	Hong Kong Heritage Museum	26 April to 24 July 2017	9,000	135 860	87 121	132 907	355 888	5	1 274
Splendours of Dunhuang: Jao Tsung-i's Selected Academic and Art Works Inspired by Dunhuang Culture	Hong Kong Heritage Museum	24 May to 18 September 2017	1,054	Free Admission			168 263	2	94
Hall of Mental Cultivation of The Palace Museum – Imperial Residence of Eight Emperors	Hong Kong Heritage Museum	29 June to 15 October 2017	25,000 <sup>(4)</sup>	35 901	31 872	90 465	158 238	4	817
Pixar 30 Years of Animation: Hong Kong Celebration of Friendship and Family	Hong Kong Heritage Museum	18 November 2017 to 5 March 2018	8,500	85 784	48 139	90 657	224 580	2	404
The Legend of Hong Kong Toys	Hong Kong Museum of History	2 March to 15 May 2017	5,607	154 472	85 781	114 195	354 448	6	497
Longevity and Virtues: Birthday Celebrations of the Qing Emperors and Empress Dowagers	Hong Kong Museum of History	2 July to 9 October 2017	18,000 <sup>(4)</sup>	38 215	28 983	92 985	160 183	7	817

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Miles upon Miles: World Heritage along the Silk Road	Hong Kong Museum of History	29 November 2017 to 5 March 2018	14,000	24 776	21 216	58 483	104 475	7	845
Genesis and Spirit: Recalling Jiangnan	Exhibition Gallery of the Hong Kong Central Library	5 to 19 June 2017	1,706	Free Admission			20 227	4	201
Eternal Life – Exploring Ancient Egypt	Hong Kong Science Museum	2 June to 18 October 2017	20,000 <sup>(4)</sup>	295 881	214 227	343 937	854 045	2	347

Notes

- (1) Representing the actual or estimated expenditure borne by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department.
- (2) Including concessionary tickets (50% discount) for full-time students, people with disabilities and senior citizens aged 60 or above as well as group tickets (30% discount). There is no breakdown on concessionary tickets sold to full-time students, people with disabilities and senior citizens aged 60 or above.
- (3) Including visits by museum pass holders, schools, charitable organisations, non-profit making organisations and guests admitted with complimentary ticket.
- (4) Including funding from sponsorship.

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