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The pioneering contributions of a City University of Hong Kong (CityU) professor have landed him a coveted US award for Outstanding Scholarship in Public Sector Human Resources.

Professor David Rosenbloom, Chair Professor of Public Management in the Department of Public and Social Administration, was recently granted the Award for Outstanding Scholarship in Public Sector Human Resources by the Section on Personnel Administration and Labor Relations of the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA).

Professor Rosenbloom, who is among the first US scholars to conduct extensive research on the constitutional rights of public employees and on the politics of public personnel administration, was in Miami to accept his award at the 2009 conference of ASPA.

The award reflects a lifetime of achievement in his field. One of Professor Rosenbloom's early works, *Federal Service and the Constitution* (1971), was cited by the US Supreme Court as an authoritative history of the free speech rights of public employees.

Lifetime contribution to public management recognised

Professor Rosenbloom said the changes that had occurred in his career were dramatic. "Things we first advocated in the early 1970s, such as equal employment opportunities, were views at the time as being quite radical but public policy today is taking this area even further forward," he said.

Professor Rosenbloom's *Federal Equal Employment Opportunity* (1977) remains one of the most comprehensive analysis of the development of equal employment opportunity programmes in the US federal government. He was also one of the first scholars to work in the area of representative bureaucracy.

Even as Professor Rosenbloom's work branched out broadly into other areas of public administration over the years, he continued to be a leading researcher in the fields of public sector human relations law, politics, and labour relations. Professor Rosenbloom was elected to the US National Academy of Public Administration in 1986.

Professor Rosenbloom received ASPA's Dwight Waldo Award for Outstanding Contributions to the Literature and Leadership of Public Administration through an Extended Career in 1999.



城大教授憑傑出 公共管理研究獲表彰

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香港城市大學（城大）公共及社會行政學系David Rosenbloom講座教授憑公共行政人力資源領域的開拓性研究成果，獲得美國公共行政學會人事管理和勞工關係科頒發的公共行政人力資源傑出學術獎。

Rosenbloom教授於邁阿密舉行的美國公共行政學會2009年會議上獲得獎項，他是首批一直對公務員憲法賦權及公共人事行政管理政治進行廣泛深入研究的美國學者之一。

這一獎項對他在專業領域的終身成就和貢獻予以肯定。Rosenbloom教授的早期著作*Federal Service and the Constitution* (1971) 素享盛名，曾被美國最高法院引述，並成

為公共行政人員在言論自由權利方面的權威性歷史依據。

Rosenbloom教授表示，在他的職業生涯中，社會不斷變化。「我們早在1970年代初倡議的事情，如平等僱傭機會，雖然當時看似頗為激進，在今天的公共政策下已得到很大拓展，」他說。

Rosenbloom教授撰寫的*Federal Equal Employment Opportunity* (1977) 對於美國聯邦政府就平等僱傭機會計劃和發展進行廣泛且全面的分析及研究，他也是首批參與美國聯邦政府代表性官僚制度研究的學者之一。

即使Rosenbloom教授多年來的研究已擴展至公共行政其他領域，但他仍十分關注於公共行政人力資源法律、政治及勞工關係方面的前沿研究。Rosenbloom教授於1986年當選為美國國家公共行政學院院士。

1999年，Rosenbloom教授榮獲美國公共行政學會頒發沃爾多獎 (Dwight Waldo Award)，以表彰他對公共行政文獻及領導管理的傑出貢獻與卓越成就。

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