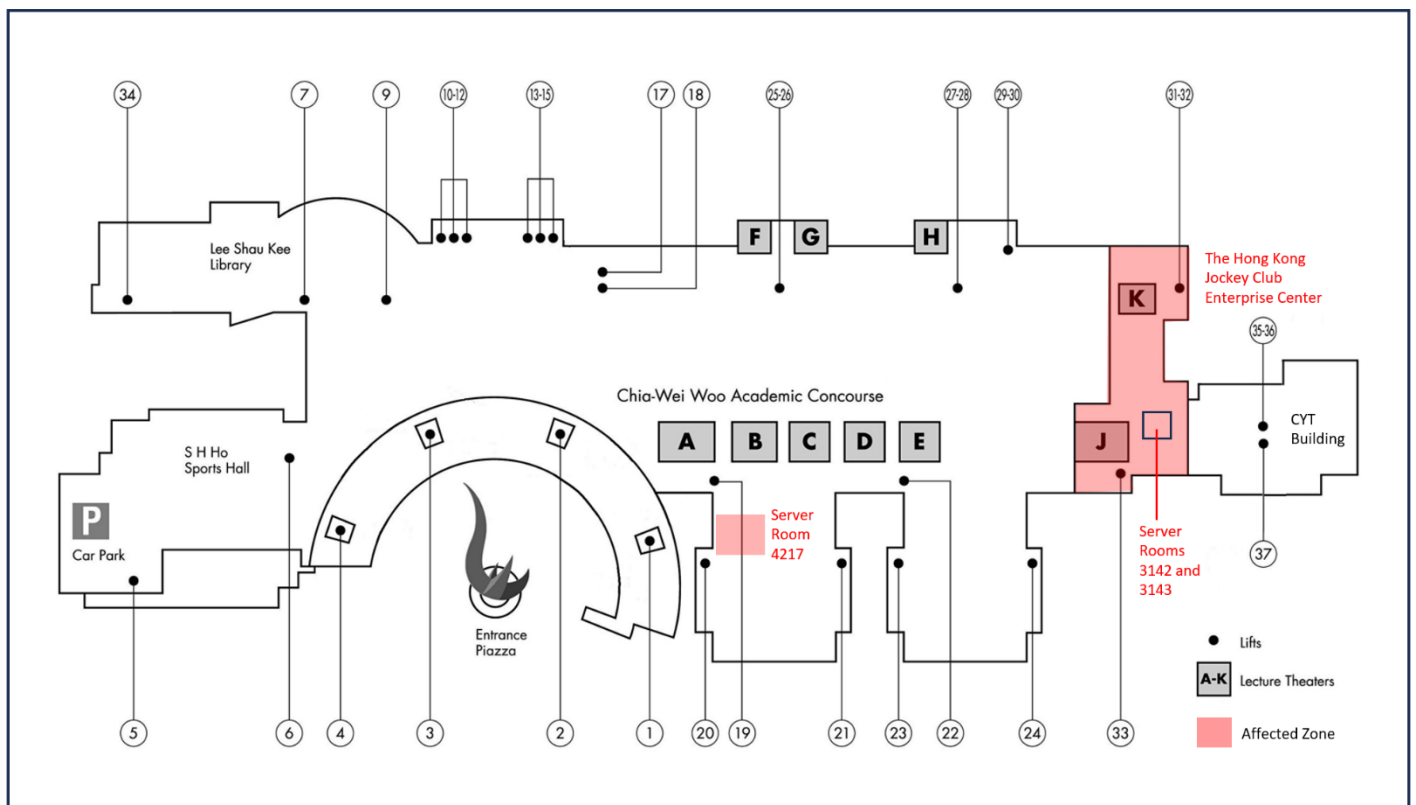




### **Suspension of Electricity Supply to Enterprise Center and Zone J Room 4217 (Server Room) on 23 August 2026 and 30 August 2026 from 9am to 6pm for 5-Year Periodic Electrical Inspection and Testing**

Dear Members of HKUST,

We would like to inform you that CMO will conduct a mandatory 5-year periodic inspection and testing of electrical installations (referred to as WR2) on 23 August 2026, from 9am to 6pm, and on 30 August 2026, from 9am to 6pm. This inspection and testing will primarily take place in the Enterprise Center. The purpose of this inspection and testing is to ensure the safety and reliability of the electricity supply on our campus, in compliance with the Electricity Ordinance (Chapter 406).



As a result of the power supply outage during the WR2 inspection, the following facilities and equipment within the affected areas will experience disruptions, as summarized below.

| Date                                                              | Suspension Time | Affected Area                                                           | Affected Facilities and Equipment                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 23 Aug 2026<br>(Sunday)<br><br>and<br><br>30 Aug 2026<br>(Sunday) | 9am to 6pm      | Enterprise Center Building<br><br>and<br><br>Server Room 4217 in Zone J | <p>During the power shut down in the affected buildings, the systems/facilities in the following will be disrupted.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All lighting (both normal and essential), power sockets, air-conditioning, chilled water HVAC systems, mechanical ventilation, fire services, CCTV surveillance, security systems, fresh and flushing water supply, etc.</li> <li>• Auto-door and e-lock control system. Door may become unlocked during power outage, and we recommend that affect departments/offices use mechanical keys or additional locks to secure the doors where necessary before the test. Internet connectivity, network equipment, Wi-Fi access, and computer workstations.</li> <li>• Classrooms and lecture theatres.</li> <li>• Lifts 31, 32 and 33.</li> <li>• Closure of public corridors on all floors of Enterprise Center, except for the one at Main Academic Concourse.</li> <li>• Laboratory-related facilities and equipment, including air conditioning supply, virtual stack fans (serving Zones EC,K and L), BBQ exhausts, fume hoods, cold rooms, clean rooms, bio-safety cabinets, compressed air supply, deionized water supply, etc.</li> <li>• Server room 4217 in Zone J (managed by Department of Computer Science &amp; Engineering)</li> <li>• Server rooms 3142 and 3143, including all associated systems, such as FS automatic fire alarm panels, Novec 1230 fire suppression system, MVAC and UPS systems (managed by ITSO)</li> </ul> |

To ensure an uninterrupted operation of critical facilities and equipment, such as essential laboratory instruments, air conditioning systems (e.g. CRAC units), data centre servers, etc., CMO will collaborate with the affected end users to provide temporary backup power, if necessary, to maintain acceptable operating levels during this period.

If you have any questions or require technical assistance, please feel free to contact

- 1) Mr. TS Cheung (CMO) at x6560 (or email: [cheungts@ust.hk](mailto:cheungts@ust.hk)) for overall arrangement of power suspension.
- 2) Mr. WK Li (CMO) at x6890 (or email: [eowkli@ust.hk](mailto:eowkli@ust.hk)) for laboratory-related matters.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your cooperation.