

Mackay speeches for David:

May 29 Press conference: 3 minutes

**Message emphasis: CTOT supports Mackay work as part of Mantra**

- exhibit is example of historic ties between Canada and Taiwan
- Mackay's legacy evident in medicine, education and culture (mantra)
- grateful and encouraged by cooperation between ROM, Shun Ye
- CTOT committed to fostering greater Canada - Taiwan ties, and Mackay projects provide common ground for synergy

May 31 Mackay conference: 2-3 minutes

**Message emphasis: Mackay work, why important**

- CTOT has been assisting various organizations with Mackay-related projects since (?? 8? 9? years ago), has worked before with many of the people gathered here today
- Mackay emblematic of Canada's pioneering spirit, brought to Taiwan through his life and work
- Mantra message - Mackay's legacy evident in medicine (Mackay hospital, development of western medicine), education (established schools still flourishing today) and culture (his ethnological interests, see Shun Ye Museum) — it has grown far beyond his missionary roots, and should be explored from a wide variety of disciplines.

June 2 Shun Ye Opening: 3-4 minutes

**Message emphasis: Broader significance of Shun Ye exhibit**

- start with a quote from From Far Formosa???
- a note on the history of the collection — "In 1893, GLM ... delivered a number of boxes to his alma mater in Toronto, Knox College ... U of T ... that contained ..... And here, today, we see this collection before us."
- grateful of and encouraged by cooperation between ROM and Shun Ye to make the exhibit possible.
- Mackay emblematic of Canada's pioneering spirit, and brought to Taiwan through his life and work. Exhibit will help to solidify Mackay's place in Taiwan's history.
- exhibit is prime example of historic ties between Canada and Taiwan, and of continuing interests that intersect in the form of historic recognition, preservation work and historical research.
- Future directions: Mackay will continue exhibit in Kaohsiung, Taichung, and even to Canada, where it will continue to increase awareness and help renew links he created between Taiwan and Canada over a century ago.

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