

From ship to shore



THE HISTORY OF Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Company Limited, a forerunner of Hutchison Whampoa Limited (HWL), is as long and rich as Hong Kong itself. The company was established in 1863 to acquire docks and repair yards at Whampoa on the Pearl River, and dry docks on Hong Kong Island.

Then... The Hung Hom dockyard in Kowloon established a worldwide reputation as one of the largest ship repair and shipbuilding enterprises in Asia. By 1960, it was servicing ships from no fewer than 23 different countries and nine navies.

Now... Whampoa Garden was completed in 1991 and was HWL's first "Garden City" development comprising 88 residential blocks. Today it sits alongside the Wonderful Worlds of Whampoa shopping centres, The Harbourfront twin office towers, Harbourfront Landmark residential and commercial building and the spectacular Harbour Plaza Hong Kong.

