

Dr. Geoffrey Alton Craig Herklots

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Dr. Geoffrey Alton Craig Herklots (香樂思) (1902 – 14 January 1986), British botanist and ornithologist, was an Active Member of Hong Kong Rotary Club (香港扶輪社) in the 1930-40s holding the Classification “Education – Science” when he was Reader in Biology of the University of Hong Kong (香港大學).

Herklots was a Reader in Biology from 1928 until he was captured when the British Crown Colony Hong Kong surrendered to the Imperial Japan during the Pacific War, and he was held as a Prisoner of War at Stanley Camp (赤柱拘留營) (1941–1945). After the War was over he returned to London and joined the Colonial Service. From 1953 to 1960 he was Principal of the Imperial College of Tropical Agriculture in Trinidad, The Caribbean.

Herklots is commemorated in the name of an orchid, “*Eria herklotsii* Crib”.

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