

HKICPA seminar:

Computer Ethics: a risk and an anti-risk mechanism

Accountants rely on the computer. Failing to identify ethical issues surrounding the computer or neglecting these issues runs the risk of adverse consequences. In the case of accounting, it means a dangerously incomplete decision of audit, fatal damage to professional reputation, irrecoverable ruin of the business, to name a few. Stressing that economic efficiency is not enough (a risk) and social acceptability is equally important (anti-risk).

Programme Code: S140416S

This seminar aims to alert the *netizens* including the accountants to the potential dangers of abusing the computer, and to introduce Computer Ethics and explain how it may help to reduce that abusive behavior. The topics will be expounded by such real live cases as the familiar Octopus saga, Snowden affair, "Do no evil (起你底)", and others.

Date Wednesday, 16 April 2014

Time 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Venue Hong Kong Institute of CPAs,

27/F., Wu Chung House, 213 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

Format Seminar (interactive lecture supplemented by local and international cases)

Language English

Fee HK\$430 for HKICPA member or student; and IA/ HKIAAT member or student

HK\$420 for online enrolment HK\$700 for non-member

Objectives • Introduction of computer ethics

• Discuss/debate of some real live cases to reflect common abuses over the cyberspace

and their effects on the business and finance functions

Tips to prevent abuses

Speaker Prof Wanbil Lee, President, The Computer Ethics Society

Participants All parties who are interested in computer ethics

Competency Risk management;

Corporate governance; Information technology

Rating Intermediate Level (Please refer to the Institute's online CPD Learning Resource Centre)

CPD hours 3



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