



## Meeting Workshop Group Representatives

The second meeting with QP workshop group representatives was successfully held in the evening of 30 March 2007 at the Institute's Members' Lounge. A total of 31 representatives, accounting for 79 per cent of those who accepted our invitation, attended the meeting. An experienced workshop facilitator also participated in the event.



The gathering aimed at (i) providing a communication platform between QP candidates and the Institute; and (ii) encouraging views on how to improve the QP in a cordial atmosphere.

The meeting lasted for about two hours and was conducted in two parts. The first part was a relaxing cocktail reception where representatives took the chance to get acquainted with each other together with the secretariat staff of the Student Education and Training Department and workshop facilitator. The second part was a break out discussion forum. Representatives were divided into two smaller groups of 15-16 persons in order to facilitate group sharing and discussion. It started immediately after a warm welcoming speech by the Director of Student Education and Training at the end of the cocktail reception.

The representatives were very proactive in raising questions and sharing their views on the QP. It was a great opportunity to clarify any misunderstandings and explain the position of the Institute to the representatives. The views and suggestions collected from the meeting would be forwarded to the Examinations Board for consideration to help exploring future plans and policies for the QP.

We would like to thank the workshop group representatives and workshop facilitator for their immense contribution in making the gathering a great success. We were particularly pleased to note that the representatives found the evening very enjoyable and shared the view that it was a good channel for mutual understanding and networking.

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