

# Accountants' role in combating money laundering and terrorist financing

## 打擊清洗黑錢及恐怖分子融資活動 - 會計師的角色

#### About the seminar

Accountants, lawyers and other "designated non-financial businesses and professions" (DNFBP) are seen as playing an important role internationally in combating money laundering and terrorist financing. The Financial Action Task Force (FATF), the international standard setter in this area, looks to DNFBPs, in addition to financial institutions, as a vital part of the defence against this form of criminal abuse of the financial system. DNFBP, therefore, need to be alert and implement effective controls, including customer due diligence and record keeping, to assist them in documenting and reporting suspicious transactions.

This update seminar, one of a series initiated by the Security Bureau for DNFBP, aims to:

- Provide an overview of the latest AML developments in Hong Kong and internationally.
- Enhance understanding of the statutory obligations and practices of suspicious transaction reporting.
- Provide a forum for discussion of matters of common concern on AML compliance and reporting.

### **Programme**

Session language : English Cantonese

Session code : EAML151008 CAML151008

Date : Thursday, 8 October 2015 Thursday, 8 October 2015

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Time : 10:30 a.m. – 12noon 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Venue** : Lecture Theatre,

Hong Kong Central Library,

Causeway Bay

Fee : Free

Enrolment Click to enrol for EAML151008

(Online enrolment only) (English)

**Enrolment deadline**: 16 September 2015

**Participants** : HKICPA members. Members in practice are encouraged to attend.

**Competency**: Ethics and regulations

Rating : Foundation

CPD hour : 1.5 hours

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer <a href="here">here</a> for descriptions of the various ratings.

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### Rundown

Session	English	Cantonese
Registration	10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Opening address	10:30 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.	3:30 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.
	Ivy Cheung Vice President, HKICPA	Mabel Chan Vice President, HKICPA
Presentations:		
<ul> <li>Anti-money laundering and counter-financing of terrorism – be our gatekeeper</li> </ul>	10:40 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	3:40 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.
	Kevin Lai Assistant Secretary for Security, Narcotics Division, Security Bureau	Cyril Mak Assistant Secretary for Security, Narcotics Division, Security Bureau
- Suspicious transaction reporting: legal obligations and protection, statistics and case examples	10:50 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.	3:50 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.
	Arthur Hon Senior Inspector Joint Financial Intelligence Unit Hong Kong Police Force	Arthur Hon Senior Inspector Joint Financial Intelligence Unit Hong Kong Police Force
- Experience sharing session	11:20 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.	4:20 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.
	Hokee Fu Director, Regulatory Advisory Services, PwC	Sharon Lee Manager, AML and Sanctions Services, KPMG
		Coco Yeung Assistant Manager, AML and Sanctions Services, KPMG
Panel discussion / Q&A	11:40 a.m. – 12:00 noon	4:40 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

### **Notes**

- 1. Enrolments are accepted on a first-come-first-served basis. No telephone reservation will be accepted.
- 2. Each member can enrol for one session only.
- 3. The closing date for enrolment is 16 September 2015.
- 4. Confirmation will be sent by e-mail on or before 6 October 2015 unless your enrolment is unsuccessful.
- 5. Please click here for bad weather arrangement.

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