

Spring programme
April to June
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# Technical Training and Support Programme 2011



"The Success Ingredient for professional accountants is constant refreshment of our technical skills and knowledge in this demanding, dynamic profession..."

**CPA: The Success Ingredient** 

The Institute's technical training and support team is running a comprehensive training programme to help you stay tuned for HKFRS, HKFRS for Private Entities, Clarified HKSA and Revised Code of Ethics and much more.

These events are specially priced for 2010-11 as part of the Institute's programme to enhance technical training and support services for members.



In 2010, the Institute's Technical Training and Support team launched a new training programme covering topical areas on HKFRS, HKFRS for Private Entities, the Revised Code of Ethics, and the Clarified HKSA. With the support of our members, over 90% of the events held were fully booked and feedback from members show that the sessions are highly regarded and well received.

Our mission to help members keep up to date with the most recent updates and latest developments in financial

reporting, audit and business assurance, and to refresh their knowledge and technical skills will continue in 2011.

The Technical Training and Support Programme 2011 has now been developed. Again, we need your support to make it a success.

**Technical Training and Support Team** 

## **Technical Training and Support Programme 2011**

#### **Technical Update Evenings**

Technical Update Evenings ("TUE") is a series of one and a half hour sessions of topical interest in financial reporting, auditing and ethics. The programme agenda covers current standards with particular emphasis on those which are of most relevance to PAIBs and SMPs.

#### **Training for Audit Staff**

The two-day workshops are designed to be a practical instruction for audit staff on planning and undertaking an audit assignment in accordance with professional standards. These workshops use relevant case studies as practical application guidance.

# HKFRS for Private Entities Workshops

The HKFRS for Private Entities ("PEs") was issued as a new financial reporting option in Hong Kong for PEs on 30 April 2010 with immediate effect. We will take you through the 35 sessions of these standards which simplify the complexity of financial reporting without reducing the value of financial reporting by SMEs.

#### Audit Practice Manual Application Workshops

The one-day workshop is developed to take the participants through the Institute's revised Audit Practice Manual (revised "APM"), in particular the requirements of the Clarified Hong Kong Standards on Auditing and how they affect audit engagements of non-listed entities.

# Auditing and Financial Reporting Forums

External speakers will share their knowledge and experience in their areas of expertise in these forums covering specific topics of interest, newly issued standards, interpretations, exposure drafts and practice notes.

#### The Revised Code of Ethics

The seminars will introduce members to the Revised Code of Ethics, effective 1 January 2011. Practical application guidance on particular independence issues and on how the code can be applied will be addressed.

# **Programme Timetable**

## From April to June 2011

	April	May	June
Technical Update Evenings (1.5 CPD Hours)	✓	✓	✓
Training for Audit Staff (2 full days with 14 CPD Hours)		✓	✓
Audit Practice Manual Application Workshop (1 full day with 7 CPD Hours)	✓	✓	
The Revised Code of Ethics (1.5 CPD Hours)			✓
HKFRS for Private Entities Workshops (3 full days with 21 CPD Hours)		✓	
Auditing and Financial Reporting Forums (1.5 CPD Hours)	твс	ТВС	ТВС

# You have been invited by ......

## **Technical Training and Support Team**



Chris Joy Executive Director Standards and Regulation



Steve Ong Director Standard Setting



Winnie Chan Associate Director Standard Setting



Ambrose Wong Manager Standard Setting



Ben Lo Manager Standard Setting



Eky Liu Manager Standard Setting



... to join us for all of these events

## **Technical Update Evenings**

Technical Update Evenings (TUE) is a programme of regular evening training sessions held by the Institute to provide comprehensive training to members to build up knowledge on current financial reporting and auditing issues. In each session, TUE aims to help members explore key areas of complexity within the standards and to increase members' abilities to deal with issues arising from the application of standards and get more knowledge on new topics.

The programme covers current standards but puts particular emphasis on those that have been identified as having particular application issues.



## Programme schedule

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TUE No	Date	Topic
137	19 April 2011 (Tuesday) - FULL	HKAS 12 Income Taxes and latest updates
138	26 April 2011 (Tuesday) - FULL	Practice Note 740 Auditor's letter on Continuing Connected Transactions under the Hong Kong Listing Rules (Re-run)
139	3 May 2011 (Tuesday) - FULL	New and revised Accounting Standards/Guidance 2010/2011 (Re-run)
140	31 May 2011 (Tuesday) - FULL	HKSA 600 (Clarified) Special Considerations - Audits of Group Financial Statements (Including the Work of Component Auditors)
141	14 June 2011 (Tuesday) - FULL	Accounting Bulletin 4 "Guidance on the Determination of Realised Profits and Losses in the Context of Distributions Under the Hong Kong Companies Ordinance"
142	21 June 2011 (Tuesday) - FULL	HKFRS 9 Financial Instruments and latest updates

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer here for descriptions of other competencies and ratings.

<sup>##</sup> All Technical Update Evenings are held from 7:00pm to 8:30pm

## **Training for Audit Staff**

The learning objectives of this two-day audit workshop are to enable your audit staff to:

- Develop a basic understanding of an audit conducted in compliance with Hong Kong Standards on Auditing
- Understand the risk assessment process in a risk-based audit approach and be able to plan audit work to meet the audit objectives
- Perform appropriate audit procedures, including tests of controls and substantive procedures for common financial statements areas
- Record audit work in sufficient clarity and detail and understand how to deal with audit findings and/or errors arising during the course of the audit

The workshops will be organized in an interactive learning mode where participants will be guided to work through case illustrations. Discussions amongst the participants will be encouraged.



Programme s	chedule	Download Application Form	Apply on-line
Date	Topic	Time	Deadline for Applications
5 May 2011 (Thursday) 6 May 2011 (Friday)	Training for Audit Staff W (FULL)	/orkshop 9:00 am – 5:0	0 pm   29 April 2011
16 June 2011 (Thursday) 24 June 2011	Training for Audit Staff W (FULL)	/orkshop 9:00 am – 5:0	0 pm 10 June 2011

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer here for descriptions of other competencies and ratings.

(Friday)

## **Audit Practice Manual Application Workshops**

The Institute's revised Audit Practice Manual (revised "APM"), which was issued in November 2010, has been updated to address the requirements of Clarified Hong Kong Standards on Auditing which are effective for audits of financial statements for periods beginning on or after 15 December 2009.

- Sessions will be held to introduce the revised APM and the new requirements under the Clarified Hong Kong Standards on Auditing and how they affect audit engagements of non-listed entities.
- The training workshops are planned to refresh audit skills in risk assessment and risk response. Sessions on how to navigate the excel based audit programmes contained in the revised APM will also be included.

Participants are required to bring along their revised APM (either hardcopy or softcopy) for illustrations.



### Programme schedule

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15 April 2011 (Friday)	Audit Practice Manual Ap Workshop - FULL	plication	9:00 am – 5:00 pm		13 April 2011
12 May 2011 (Thursday)	Audit Practice Manual Ap Workshop - FULL	pplication	9:00 am – 5:00	pm	9 May 2011
23 May 2011 (Monday)	Audit Practice Manual Ap Workshop - FULL	plication	9:00 am – 5:00	pm	19 May 2011

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# The revised Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants

The HKICPA Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) was revised in June 2010 to maintain convergence with the revised Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants. The Code is revised to clarify the requirements for all professional accountants and significantly strengthen the independence requirements for auditors. The Code is effective from 1 January 2011.

The revised Hong Kong Code maintains the principles-based approach supplemented by detailed requirements where necessary, resulting in a Hong Kong Code that is robust but also sufficiently flexible to address the wide-ranging circumstances encountered by professional accountants.

Additional guidance is also included on the provisions governing acceptance of any payment in an agent-principal relationship under the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance.



## Programme schedule

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Date	Topic	Time	Deadline for Applications
28 June 2011 (Tuesday)	The Revised Code of Ethics	6:30 pm – 8:00 pm	24 June 2011

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## **HKFRS for Private Entities Workshops**

The HKFRS for Private Entities (HKFRS for PEs) was issued with effect from 30 April 2010. Workshops will be organized for the purpose of assisting members with the implementation of the new HKFRS for PEs.

The HKFRS for PEs workshops will take place over three days. Each day will be broken down into a number of sessions. Each session will include plenary instruction followed by group break-out exercises and feedback. The agenda of the workshops is based largely on IASB training materials with practical guidance on application of all sections of the standard.



## **Programme schedule**

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Date	Topic	Time	Deadline for Applications
19 May 2011 (Thursday)	HKFRS for Private Entities Workshop (FULL)	9:00 am – 5:00 pm	13 May 2011
20 May 2011 (Friday)			
26 May 2011 (Thursday)			

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## **Auditing and Financial Reporting Forums**

Auditing and Financial Reporting Forums are organized by the Institute as part of the fifth long range plan 2007-2011, to enhance public recognition and support for the Institute's role as the standard setter on financial reporting, auditing and professional ethics in Hong Kong.

#### Events already held in 2011:

- Lunch Forum on Amendment to HKAS 12 Income Taxes, 17 January 2011
- Financial Reporting Forum 2011 Stay tuned for developments of HKFRS and IFRS Meeting with IASB Member, Dr Zhang Wei-Guo, 1 March 2011

### Language

English

#### Competency &

Financial Accounting and Reporting / Auditing and Assurance /Ethics

#### Rating

Intermediate Level\*

#### **CPD Credit Hour**

Depending on type of Forum

#### Fee

Depending on length of Forum

#### Venue

HKICPA Training Centre 27/F, Wu Chung House, Wanchai

# Other services provided by the Institute's Standard Setting Department and Technical Training and Support Team

#### TechWatch

A monthly publication with the objective of updating members on the latest technical developments in auditing, code of ethics, financial reporting and business <a href="http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/standards-and-regulations/technical-resources/techwatch">http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/standards-and-regulations/technical-resources/techwatch</a>

Small and Medium-sized Practitioners and Small and Medium-sized Enterprise Resource Centre

Specifically created to assist the SMP and SME sectors to access technical publications and knowledge on an effective basis

http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/standards-and-regulations/technical-resources/smp-and-sme-resource-centre

Financial reporting and auditing alerts

Alert to draw members' attention to topical financial reporting and auditing issues that should be given particular attention

http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/standards-and-regulations/technical-resources/financial-and-auditing-alert

Staff summary of newly issued financial reporting standards

Provide members with an overview of requirements in relation to new Hong Kong Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Institute

http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/standards-and-regulations/technical-resources/staff-summary

> Technical enquiry system

Members can submit technical queries by email on standards issued by the Institute and where appropriate, examples will also be provided to assist members' understanding on issues related to auditing, code of ethics or financial reporting

https://app1.hkicpa.org.hk/professionaltechnical/policy/content.php

HKFRS for Private Entities Information Centre

Specially created to assist members and other stakeholders to have an easy access to information in relation to the HKFRS for Private Entities

http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/standards-and-regulations/standards/hkfrs-pe-info-centre

# **Technical Update Evenings**

## April - June 2011

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# **Training for Audit Staff**

## May - June 2011

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(Tick as appropriate)	Event Code		Workshop		Enrolment deadline		
(FULL)	WAS110505	5 Mag	y 2011 (Thursday) & 6 May	<i>i</i> 2011 (Friday)	29 April 2011		
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# **Audit Practice Manual Application Workshops**

April - May 2011

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(Tick as appropriate)	Event Code	Audit Practice Manual Application Workshop	Enrolment deadline
	APM110415	15 April 2011 (Friday) - FULL	13 April 2011
	APM110512	12 May 2011 (Thursday) - FULL	9 May 2011
	APM110523	23 May 2011 (Monday) - FULL	19 May 2011

Admission Fee:			HK\$ 420 per person (HKICPA members) HK\$ 680 per person (Non-HKICPA members)									
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# The revised Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants

June 2011

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# **HKFRS for Private Entities Workshops**

May 2011

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