

School Mediation Seminar cum 5th Hong Kong

Secondary School Peer Mediation Competition Final

“Peer Mediation – a Must-have Tool for Schools”

Date: 2 May 2022 (Monday)

Time: 9:15 am – 12:30 pm

Venue: DoJ Function Hall

Mode: Hybrid

(The Seminar will be conducted in Cantonese, with simultaneous interpretation in Putonghua and English)

3 CPD points have been awarded by the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre, the Hong Kong Mediation Accreditation Association Limited, the Hong Kong Mediation Centre and the Mainland - Hong Kong Joint Mediation Center.

The Government spares no effort in promoting the use of mediation as an amicable means to resolve disputes in various sectors. We believe that the culture of mediation should be nurtured amongst students, so that students will appreciate the importance and the usefulness of mediation skills as life skills in resolving conflicts amicably, which will be vital to maintain personal relationships and ultimately construct a harmonious community.

This Seminar first features the 5th Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation Competition Final, in which young aspiring mediators will display their peer mediation skills under spotlight. In the second session of this Seminar, the speakers will explore the common disputes among students that are suitable for peer mediation and how mediation can be used to prevent escalation of school disputes from the perspectives of a mediator, a lawyer, a teacher and a social worker.

Time	Activity
9:15 - 9:25	Opening Remarks Ms Teresa Cheng, GBM, GBS, SC, JP Secretary for Justice, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

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9:25 - 10:05	5th Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation Final - Team 1
10:05 - 10:15	<p>Sharing and Review of the 5th Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation</p> <p>Ms Josephine Ma Lead Trainer for the 5th Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation</p> <p>Ms Eliza Ning Vice Chairlady, District Peace Committee of Rotary International District 3450; 3rd Co-Chairlady and 5th Chairlady for the Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation competition; President Elect, Rotary Club of Hong Kong Harbour</p>
10:15 - 10:55	5th Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation Final - Team 2
10:55 - 11:05	Break
11:05 - 12:05	<p>Armchair Discussion - Peer Mediation in Full Display</p> <p>Moderator</p> <p>Mr WT Wong Vice Chairman, District Peace Committee of Rotary International District 3450; Co-Chairman, Organising Committee for the 1st & 2nd Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation Competition; Past President, Rotary Club of Hong Kong Harbour</p> <p>Speakers</p> <p>Ms Sylvia Siu, JP Chairlady, Joint Mediation Helpline Office; Consultant, Sit, Fung, Kwong & Shum</p>

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	<p>Ms Ip Pui-sze Guidance Teacher, Kwai Chung Methodist College</p> <p>Ms Carrie Ng Senior Social Worker, Hong Kong Family Welfare Society; Accredited Mediator</p> <p>Mr Ronald Sum Partner, Head of Dispute Resolution (Asia), Addleshaw Goddard (Hong Kong) LLP; Council Member of the Law Society of Hong Kong</p>
12:05 - 12:15	Q&A
12:15 - 12:30	Award Ceremony of the 5th Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation Competition