

FINANCIAL INCENTIVE SCHEME FOR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

** Please note that you must come <u>in person</u> to the HKSI Institute's office to submit the paper application form together with the FIVE classes of supporting documents. Submission by post / by courier will NOT be accepted. Alternatively, you may also consider submitting an online application. Please apply from

https://www.wamtalent.org.hk/eng/reimbursement-form-reminder.html.

Application Procedures – Paper Application Form

Please read the instructions below carefully before submitting the application form.

Step 1: Read the "Notes for Applicants"

 "Notes for Applicants" can be downloaded from: https://www.wamtalent.org.hk/eng/professional training/downloads.html.

Step 2: Complete the application form and prepare the FIVE classes of supporting documents

- To complete your application, you should SIGN on this application form as well as the Deed of Undertaking (Annex A). Then, prepare the following documents:
 - (i) a copy of your Hong Kong Identity Card;
 - (ii) a copy of the certificate issued by the course provider certifying that you have completed the course to the satisfaction of the provider;
 - (iii) the <u>original</u> receipt of the course fee payment issued by the course provider (with name of applicant, name of the course attended and course date);
 - (iv) a documentation of the personal bank account for direct credit of reimbursement in the form of a copy of the front page of the bank passbook, bank account statement, a bank debit card or a blank personal cheque. The copy must show clearly the name of the bank, the account number and the name of the account holder which must be identical to the name shown on (i) above;

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- (v) a) for in-service practitioners currently under employment, the <u>original</u> company letter issued by your employer, with an authorised signature duly signed and the employer's company chop stamped, certifying that:
 - you are in full-time employment with the employer on the commencement date of the course attended; and
 - you have not received any form of subsidy or financial assistance for the 80% of the course fees to be reimbursed under the Financial Incentive Scheme for Professional Training ("Scheme") from the employer.
- (v) b) for financial service licensees in between jobs, either: an employment verification letter from the last employer (if available); or the applicant's licence/registration number given by the relevant authority (i.e. SFC, HKMA, Insurance Authority, MPFA or HKICPA). A sample company letter can be downloaded from https://www.wamtalent.org.hk/eng/professional_training/downloads.html.

Step 3: Submit application documents IN PERSON to HKSI Institute

- You should submit the duly signed application form and all required documents as specified in Step (2) above <u>in person</u> to the HKSI Institute's office at Room 510, 5/F, Wing On Center, 111 Connaught Road Central, Hong Kong during office hour. You will be requested to present your Hong Kong Identity Card for identification purpose.
- The completed and duly signed paper application form together with the required supporting documents must be submitted to the HKSI Institute's office within FOUR months from the last day of the course attended.

The date of receipt of completed application form and all required supporting documents by the HKSI Institute will be regarded as the date of application.

Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.

(Note: Different course providers may have different definitions of course end date. Applicants are advised to check with the corresponding course provider(s) for clarification where necessary.)

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Step 4: Verification of data in application form and acknowledgment of receipt of documents

- Data filled in by the applicant on the application form will be verified by cross-checking with the documents as specified in Step (2), in order to ensure that the details in the application form have been completed correctly. An acknowledgment receipt of documents will be issued to the applicant after the verification of data is completed.
 - (Note: An acknowledgment of receipt of the application does not warrant an approval of the application. Your application will be further reviewed to ensure that the eligibility criteria under the Scheme are met. We may request you to provide additional information where necessary for further processing.)
- All documents submitted are not returnable. Applicants are advised to retain copies for their own reference.

Step 5: Review application results

- Your application will be input into our online application system. An email with an
 application number generated by the system will be sent to you within seven working
 days from the date of receipt of your application form.
- If your application is approved, payment will be made by direct credit to the bank account specified in approximately 10 weeks from the date of receipt of the paper application form, subject to complete and satisfactory supporting documents being provided.
- You may enquire about the application status online via www.wamtalent.org.hk.

Should you have any further questions, please contact us at training@wamtalent.org.hk or call us at +852 3120 6100.

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Application number		[For Office Use Only]
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Application Form for Reimbursement of Course Fees

Applicants should print and sign this application form as well as the Deed of Undertaking (Annex A), then submit them together with the FIVE classes of supporting documents <u>in person</u> to the HKSI Institute's office within four months from the last day of the course attended to complete the application process.

I, the person whose particulars appear in Section A below ("Applicant"), hereby apply to the HKSI Institute for the reimbursement of 80% of the course fees paid as stated in Section B below (amount of course fees as stated in the attached original receipt(s) issued by the course provider(s)), subject to a maximum of \$10,000 per person throughout the period of 1 October 2016 to 31 March 2023.

All definitions set out in the "Notes for Applicants" with respect to the application for reimbursement of course fees under the Scheme shall apply to this Application Form. The "Notes for Applicants" can be downloaded from https://www.wamtalent.org.hk/eng/professional_training/downloads.html.

Section A – Personal Particulars		
Name in English^:		
Name in Chinese^: ^ As shown on the Applicant's Hong Kong Identity Ca	ard	
Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY):		
Sex:	☐ Male	☐ Female
Hong Kong Identity Card Number: Residential Address#: # Post office box number or hostel address is not acceptable		
E-mail Address:		
Contact Telephone Number:	-	
Highest Education Level Achieved: (plea □ Primary School or below □ □ Degree □	Secondary School	☐ Diploma to Associate
must be identical to the name shown on the Applic If your account number is:	l in Hong Kong Dollar or accepts cant's Hong Kong Identity Card. ount no.: 123456789 Please in	ement: Hong Kong Dollar transactions. Name of account holder put 001002123456789

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Section B - Course Information

Information filled in below should be the same as that shown on the course attendance record and receipt. Please refer to the list of Eligible Training Programmes via www.wamtalent.org.hk or make enquiry to the HKSI Institute's office at +852 3120 6100.

Course 1				
Name of Course Provider:				
Programme Name:				
Course Name:				
Course Period:	From:	(DD/MM/YYYY)	То	:(DD/MM/YYYY)
Actual tuition fees paid by (Amount of course fees as stated in the administration fees, examination fees)	he attached original re			Other charges such as registration fees, e excluded)
Course 2				
Name of Course Provider:				
Programme Name:				
Course Name:				
Course Period:	From:		То	1
		(DD/MM/YYYY)		(DD/MM/YYYY)
Actual tuition fees paid by (Amount of course fees as stated in the administration fees, examination fees)	he attached original re		-	Other charges such as registration fees, e excluded)
Course 3				
Name of Course Provider:				
Programme Name:				
Course Name:				
Course Period:	From:	(DD/MM/YYYY)	То	:(DD/MM/YYYY)
Actual tuition fees paid by (Amount of course fees as stated in the administration fees, examination fees)	he attached original re			Other charges such as registration fees, e excluded)

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Course 4				
Name of Course Provider:				
Programme Name:				
Course Name:				
Course Period:	From:	(DD/MM/YYYY)		To:
Actual tuition fees paid by (Amount of course fees as stated in the administration fees, examination fees)	he attached original rec	eipt issued by the cours		ler. Other charges such as registration fees, uld be excluded)
Course 5				
Name of Course Provider:				
Programme Name:				
Course Name:				
Course Period:	From:			То:
		(DD/MM/YYYY)		(DD/MM/YYYY)
Actual tuition fees paid by (Amount of course fees as stated in the administration fees, examination fees)	he attached original rec	eipt issued by the cours	-	ler. Other charges such as registration fees, uld be excluded)
Course 6				
Name of Course Provider:				
Programme Name:				
Course Name:				
Course Period:	From:	(DD/MM/YYYY)		To:
Actual tuition fees paid by (Amount of course fees as stated in the administration fees, examination fees)	he attached original rec	eipt issued by the cours	•	ler. Other charges such as registration fees, uld be excluded)

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Section C - Employment Information

Employment information covering	each course commencement	date
Company Name:		
Office Address:		
Human Resources Department Em	nail:	
Human Resources Department Tel *HKSI Institute may contact the employer to ve	•	
Department:		
Position:		
Year(s) of service in the position:		
Year(s) of service in the industry:		
Job Nature: (please tick in the appropriate	box)	
□ Accounting & Finance □ Fund Management □ Information Technology □ Investment Banking □ Risk Management □ Others (Please specify)	☐ Credit Analysis ☐ General Administration ☐ Insurance ☐ Legal and Compliance ☐ Trust	 ☐ Financial Consulting ☐ Human Resources ☐ Investment Analyst ☐ Marketing & Public Relations ☐ Underwriting
Securities and Investment on	(DD/MM/	
☐ Signed Application Form☐ Copy of HKID Card☐ Copy of Attendance Certificate	☐ Signed Deed of Under☐ Original Course Fee Re☐ Copy of Bank stateme	eceipt
Signed by:		
Applicant	- i	HKSI (staff in charge)
Name of Applicant	_	

*Please note that acknowledgment of receipt of the application does not warrant an approval of the application. Your application will be further reviewed to ensure that the eligibility criteria under the Scheme are met. We may request you to provide additional information where necessary for further processing.

Your application will be input into our online application system. An email with an application number generated by the system will be sent to you within seven working days from the date of receipt of your application form.

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Section D - Declaration

In consideration of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("Government") as represented by the Financial Services and the Treasury Bureau and the HKSI Institute, considering and/or approving this application for reimbursement of course fees in the Programme, I with particulars set out in Section A of this Application Form hereby acknowledge, confirm, undertake, warrant, declare and agree with the continuing effect as follows:

☑ I declare that:

- (a) I am a Hong Kong resident and lawfully employable in Hong Kong; and
- (b) on the commencement date of the course attended, I am in full-time employment with:
 - a financial institution licensed with or registered by the Securities and Futures Commission ("SFC") under the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap.571); or
 - ii) a financial institution licensed with or registered by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority ("HKMA"); or
 - iii) an insurer authorised or any insurance intermediaries licensed under the Insurance Ordinance (Cap. 41); or
 - iv) a firm or corporate practices registered with the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("HKICPA"); or
 - v) a trust company registered under Part 8 of the Trustee Ordinance (Cap. 29) or any trustees approved by the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Authority ("MPFA") under the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Ordinance (Cap. 485); or
 - vi) a trust or company service provider licensed by the Companies Registry under the Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorist Financing Ordinance (Cap. 615); or
 - vii) a recruitment agency engaged by any of the employers mentioned in clause i) to vi) above to provide personnel with proof; or
 - viii) a member company of a group of which the relevant subsidiary is an eligible employer in clause i) to vi) above:
- (c) all information provided by me in this application is complete and true to the best of my knowledge;and
- (d) I have not been granted any other form of subsidy or financial assistance for 80% course fees of the course(s) as listed in Section B of this application from any publicly-funded schemes or my employer(s).

✓ I understand that:

- (a) the HKSI Institute will rely on the information provided by me in this application form to determine my eligibility for receipt of reimbursement of course fees from the Institute and to assess the amount of reimbursement; and
- (b) the HKSI Institute has the right to review my application and adjust the amount of reimbursement if necessary. I undertake to refund to the Institute any overpayment made to me upon demand.

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Section D - Declaration (cont'd)

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- (a) for the purpose of processing my application and/or verifying the information provided, course provider(s), my employer(s) or other government departments and organizations concerned may release my personal data to the HKSI Institute; and
- (b) the HKSI Institute may use my personal data for purposes of activities relating to (i) the processing, vetting and reviewing of the application, reimbursement of course fees, follow-up on employment status; (ii) activities relating to the recovery of payments (if any); and/or (iii) opinion survey, statistics, research, report and promotion purposes, etc.

V	I have read and fully understood the contents of the "Notes for Applicants"* and this application form. I accept and agree to abide by the rules and terms related to the reimbursement of course fees laid down by the HKSI Institute. I understand that I will be liable to criminal prosecution if I knowingly or wilfully furnish false or misleading information in connection with this application.
	* "Notes for Applicants" can be downloaded from https://www.wamtalent.org.hk/eng/professional-training/downloads.html .

Signature of Applicant	
Name of Applicant	 Date

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ANNEX A:

<u>Deed of Undertaking by the Applicant</u> <u>For the Application of Reimbursement of Course Fee</u> (to be completed and executed as a Deed)

To: The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administration Region ("Government")

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Goveri subjec	sideration of the above application and granting of reimbursement of course fees to me by the nment in the sum of 80% of the course fees paid as stated in Section B of the Application Form, to a maximum of HK\$10,000, I,, holder of Hong Kong Identity Card with residential address* at
	and telephone no do agree and undertake as follows:
1)	to refund in full all moneys (including all associated administrative fees incurred by the HKSI Institute) received by me to the Government immediately or with such time as may be specified by the Government, if I
	a) fail to meet any of the requirements as stipulated in Eligibility of the Notes for Applicants; orb) knowingly or wilfully furnish false or misleading information in connection with the application; or
	 c) have been granted any other form of subsidy or financial assistance for 80% course fees of the courses listed in Section B of the Application Form from any publicly-funded schemes or my employer(s).
2)	to notify the HKSI Institute of any change in any information submitted in relation to the application or if any such information is no longer applicable, true, accurate or complete and of any material change in circumstances affecting my eligibility for the reimbursement of course fees or otherwise the application.
3)	To provide employment proof to the HKSI Institute, whenever requested, in order to satisfy the reimbursement of course fees requirement as stipulated in Eligibility of the Notes for Applicants and be subject to checking of the employment status by the HKSI Institute and the Government.
Notes the Go contra Deed o related	ning this Deed of Undertaking, I understand that I am bound by the terms and conditions of the for Applicants* and the Application Form and I have entered into a contractual relationship with overnment, and that the HKSI Institute shall bear no liability whatsoever in the event of a breach of ct by any of the contractual parties. I have also read and fully understand the terms listed in this of Undertaking, and also agree to the use of my personal data for activities/publications/matters d to the handling of the application and enforcement of this Deed of Undertaking. I acknowledge have been told to seek independent legal advice on this Deed of Undertaking.
Signed	I, Sealed and Delivered by: (signature of Applicant)
Name	in BLOCK letters:
HKID C	Card No.:
Date:	
# Post of	fice hox number or hostel address is not acceptable.

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