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香港寶石學協會

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**Guidance Notes for
Mandatory Continuing
Professional Development
(CPD) For
Fei Cui & Diamond
Certified Gemmologist**

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Chapter 1

1.0 Background

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) is an ongoing necessity in the ever-changing technological world in which we live. The practicing professional gemmologists have to remain competent throughout their working careers so that they can properly carry out various duties and roles in the ever-changing complex environment. To this end gemmologists need to take opportunities to update their knowledge and expertise and to develop those personal qualities required to fulfill their roles in industry and in professional community as well.

In line with the global trends of CPD in leading professional bodies and institutions, The Gemmological Association of Hong Kong (GAHK) has considered that there is a need of implementing the mandatory CPD requirements for “Certified Gemmologist” (C.G.) [認可鑑證師] on specific fields of gemstone testing to instill a sense of professional responsibility amongst gemmologists, to strengthen consumer’s confidence on gemstone identification and certification, and subsequently to uphold our reputation as a leading professional gemmological institution in Hong Kong.

GAHK announced the Mandatory CPD Requirements for Certified Gemmologists in August 2006. GAHK’s “Standard Methods for Testing Fei Cui (Jadeite Jade) for Hong Kong” (HKSM/JJT-2006) and **“Standard Methods for Testing Diamond for Hong Kong”** (HKSM/DT-2008) were adopted by the Custom and Excise Department as a key reference of the definition of the Fei Cui and Diamond in the Trade Descriptions (Provision of Information on Natural Fei Cui, Diamond) Order in 2009.

The **“Standard Methods for Testing Fei Cui for Hong Kong”** (HKSM/FCT-2016) was issued in 2016 and the Chinese version of the Standard namely as 香港翡翠標準測試方法 was published in 2018. In 2014 and 2019, the Specification of Competency Standards (SCS) for Testing, Inspection and Certification Industry and the second version of SCS for Jewellery Industry namely as珠寶業《能力標準說明》（第二版） with the Units of Competency (UoCs) of Testing and Certification were announced by the Secretariat of Hong Kong Qualification Framework (HKQF) which is a major initiative by HKSAR Government to support lifelong learning and to enhance the quality and competitiveness of the workforce.

In Autumn 2019, GAHK announced the new mandatory CPD requirements for Certified Gemmologists.

Chapter 2

2.0 CPD Requirements

2.1 Definition

The GAHK CPD Definition: "Continuing Professional Development (CPD) is the systematic maintenance, improvement and broadening of relevant knowledge and skills, and the development of these qualities necessary for the successful carrying out of professional duties throughout a gemmologist's career. In this establishment, it is aimed at enhancing individual worth and thus laboratory performance."

2.2 Scope and Format

CPD covers matters of technical competency and professional knowledge as well as broader studies which are of importance to the Certified Gemmologist (C.G.) on specific fields in the furtherance of their careers, such as latest gemmological knowledge, ISO/IEC 17025 laboratory management system, legal aspects, marketing, advanced equipment, professional ethics and social responsibilities. The format of CPD activities includes, but shall not be limited to, participating the courses, lectures, seminars, conferences, workshops, professional activities and study tours/missions.*

CPD programmes are categorized into the following areas, namely as

- (i) *Knowledge Update,*
- (ii) *Advanced Testing Instrument Update, and*
- (iii) *Understanding on ISO/IEC 17025 Laboratory Management System.*

In fulfilling the requirement of initial registration of Certified Gemmologist (C.G.), GAHK's Fellow Members are required to complete the Essential Specific Training Courses which are recognized by GAHK (see Annex B) and accumulate total 18 CPD-hour in the three above-mentioned areas in past 24 months.

After successful initial registration, the Certified Gemmologists (C.G.) are encouraged to continually update his/her knowledge and adopt a combination of the above-mentioned areas of CPD activities to fulfill the requirements of accumulating 9 CPD-hour in an annual basis under the CPD-hour Accumulation System (CAS).

* The number of CPD hours counted of the CPD activities is subject to the decision of the Board of Directors of GAHK. Knowledge Update Activities held by GAHK and other professional bodies as CPD hours are listed as reference in Annex A.

Chapter 2

2.3 CPD Contents & CPD-hour Accumulation System (CAS)

Subject to the subsequent reviews and in line with GAHK's Certification and Label Scheme's requirement on the laboratory authorized signatory, the CPD requirement currently applies on the testing of Fei Cui and testing/grading of Diamond.

2.4 Initial Registration for Certified Gemmologist on Fei Cui (C.G. Fei Cui) (Chinese: 認可翡翠鑑證師)

For the initial registration of Certified Gemmologist on Fei Cui, the candidate, who should be the Fellow Member of GAHK, has to complete the **Essential Fei Cui (翡翠) Specific Training Courses** which are recognized by GAHK and has progressively accumulated total 18 CPD-hour in the following areas in the past 24 months.

The candidate is required to provide a complete description and record of the CPD activities/courses which he/she has attended in the past 24 months.

(i) *Knowledge Update*

A total of 9 CPD-hour, with a minimum of 4 CPD-hour on Fei Cui testing related activities, have to be accumulated in past 24 months. The attendance of "Essential CPD activities/events/programme" will be counted and considerably regarded in the course of registration.

(ii) *Advanced Testing Instrument Update*

Completion of the specific course of advanced testing equipment training on Fei Cui testing.

(iii) *Understanding on ISO/IEC 17025 Laboratory Management System*

Completion of the awareness seminars of ISO/IEC 17025 Laboratory Management System.

2.5 Initial Registration for Certified Gemmologist on Diamond (C.G. Diamond) (Chinese: 認可鑽石鑑證師)

For the initial registration of Certified Gemmologist on Diamond, the candidate, who should be the Fellow Member of GAHK, has to complete the **Essential Diamond Specific Training Courses** which are recognized by GAHK and has progressively accumulated total 18 CPD-hour in the following areas in the past 24 months. The candidate is required to provide a complete description and record of the CPD activities/courses which he/she has attended in the past 24 months.

(i) *Knowledge Update*

A total of 9 CPD-hour, with a minimum of 4 CPD-hour on Diamond testing and/or grading related activities, have to be accumulated in past 24 months. The attendance of "Essential CPD activities/events/programme" will be counted and considerably regarded in the course of registration.

(ii) *Advanced Testing Instrument Update*

Completion of the specific training course of advanced testing equipment training on Diamond Testing/Grading.

(iii) *Understanding on ISO/IEC 17025 Laboratory Management System*

Completion of the awareness seminars of ISO/IEC 17025 Laboratory Management System.

Chapter 2

2.6 CPD Records

Certified Gemmologists are required to complete and return the CPD Declaration Form (Annex 2) together with the membership subscription advice to GAHK.

2.7 Checking Compliance

Evidence of CPD participation might take the form of records in CPD Log Book “Record of Continuing Professional Development” or a copy of CPD Record Form (Annex 3), receipts/certificates, reports received/ notes taken or attendance lists. A random checking on all Certified Gemmologists will be conducted and members who are selected for checking will be asked to submit their evidences of CPD.

2.8 Exemption of CPD Assessment & CPD-hour Accumulation System (CAS) Requirements of Accumulating 9 CPD-hour in an Annual Basis

Certified Gemmologists, who have fulfilled at least two of the following requirements, are eligible to apply for an exemption of CPD assessment and CPD-hour Accumulation System (CAS) requirements of accumulating 9 CPD-hour in an annual basis.

- (i) *Having substantial amount of proven research works in Fei Cui testing or diamond testing/grading in recent 5 years;*
- (i) *Having significant publications in Fei Cui testing or diamond testing/grading in international or academic journals in recent 5 years.*
- (i) *Having considerable number of presentations, keynote speeches and/or practical workshops in international conferences of gem testing, or in professional seminars in recent 5 years.*

The candidate is required to provide a complete description, proven evidence and record of his/her works in the application. An approval letter of exemption from CAS Requirements for a term of one year will be granted to the successful applicants. In addition, the candidate should have more than fifteen years solid experience in Fei Cui testing or Diamond testing/grading in order to be referred to the GAHK’s Board of Directors for deliberation. The final decision is subject to the decision of the Board of Directors of GAHK.

Chapter 3

3.0 Registration of Certified Gemmologist

Application:

Interested gemmologist shall submit the formal application form (Annex 1) together with the registration fee and annual maintenance fee (*cheque is preferable) to the GAHK's office by post.

Postal Address:

PO Box 97711, T.S.T., Kowloon, Hong Kong

**Cheque shall be made payable to "The Gemmological Association of Hong Kong Limited"*

Initial registration fee:

Total HKD1,500 (Initial registration fee HKD1,200 and annual maintenance fee HKD300)

Annex 1

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Certified Gemmologist Initial Registration Form

(Please complete this CPD Initial Registration Form and return to the GAHK together with the total fee of HKD1,500 for process.)

Name: _____ GAHK Membership No: _____

Field of Registration:

☐ Certified Gemmologist on Fei Cui (CG, Fei Cui). Total registration fee HKD1,500

(Initial registration fee HKD1,200 and annual maintenance fee HKD300)

☐ Certified Gemmologist on Diamond (CG, Diamond). Total registration fee HKD1,500

(Initial registration fee HKD1,200 and annual maintenance fee HKD300)

I declare that I have fulfilled the mandatory CPD initial registration requirements within two years from this date of application.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Annex 2

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Declaration Form

(Certified Gemmologists are required to complete this CPD Declaration Form and return to the GAHK together with the membership subscription payment for record.)

I declare that I have completed the mandatory CPD requirements in the last calendar year from _____ to _____ and my record may be called in for review. (See Annex A)

(Yes / No)*

**Please delete as appropriate*

If yes, please advise your CPD attainment: _____ Hours

If no, please specify reasons:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____ GAHK Membership No. : _____

(in block letters)

Note 1: The mandatory CPD-hour requirements in a calendar year is 9 CPD-hour.

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Record Form

Continuing Education and Training Gained After Certified Gemmologist Registration

[illegible]

Total:

Name: _____ GAHK Membership No.: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Annex 4

CPD Summary to Certified Gemmologist

The GAHK CPD Definition

“Continuing Professional Development (CPD) is the systematic maintenance, improvement and broadening of relevant knowledge and skills, and the development of these qualities necessary for the successful carrying out of professional duties throughout a gemmologist’s life. In this establishment, it is aimed at enhancing individual worth and thus corporate performance.”

Format

The format of CPD activities can include but not be limited to participating and organising of courses, lectures, seminars/symposia, conferences, presentations, workshops and professional activities.

Note:

1. You are encouraged to adopt a ‘balanced’ approach, adopting a combination of CPD activities in fulfilling the CPD-hour Accumulation System (CAS) requirement. In particular, you are encouraged to update your knowledge in gem testing and identification, and laboratory management.
2. Please either complete the CPD log proforma attached or provide a copy of your CPD Log Book for submission to the GAHK; any non-compliance found will automatically be subject to further audit for the following year. Supporting documents and relevant evidence may be called in for review if there are any doubts on any particular item recorded.

Annex A

Referential information of seminars/workshops/activities held by GAHK and other professional bodies (*) in previous years that are eligible for counting CPD hours include:

(1) Knowledge Update

Seminars	Title or topic	Weighting: CPD hour to be counted
Fei Cui	A Launch Ceremony of Hong Kong Standard Testing Methods for Fei Cui and Professional Seminar of Fei Cui Identification, Testing & Advanced Technologies. (Date: 2016/03/04, Speaker: Prof. Ren LU, Organizer: GAHK)	3
	HK Standard Testing Methods for Fei Cui and Fei Cui Identification and Testing Technologies (Date: 2016/03/04, Speaker: Dr Hu Chuyan, Prof Mimi Ouyang, Mr KK Chow, Organizer: HKTDC, GAHK)	3
	Certification and Testing, Professionalization and Internationalization of Business Practice in the Fei Cui Jewellery Industry (Date: 2016/09/17, Speaker: Professor Yang Mingxing, Mr Tommy Tsui and Dr Daniel Nyfeler, Organizer: GAHK, UBM Asia, HKCTC)	2
	Comparative analysis of Fei Cui from three major localities: Myanmar, Russia and Guatemala (Date: 2017/09/16, Speaker: Professor Ouyang, Dr Andreas Burkhardt, Dr Lei , Organizer: GAHK)	3

Annex A

Seminars	Title or topic	Weighting: CPD hour to be counted
Diamond	New Identification of Synthetic & Natural Diamonds and Analysis of Synthetic Diamonds' Supply & Demand in Global Market. (Date: 2019/03/01, Speaker: Dr Joe C.C. Yuen, Organizer: HKTDC, GAHK & IAJMPP as Supporting Organisations)	2
	Beyond Green Diamonds – A Study of Naturally Colored and Treated Diamonds to Solve the Mystery of the Most Difficult Color Origins (Date: 2019/09/17, Speaker: Dr. Thomas Hainschwang, Organizer: Natural Color Diamond Association)	2
	GIC Cultured Diamond Symposium (Date: 2019/09/20, Speaker: Professor Andy Shen and Dr Shu Jun, Organizer: GIC)	2
	GIA iD100®: Expanded Capabilities The GIA Diamond Origin Report: Diamond Traceability Based on Science (Date: 2019/09/17, Speaker: Mr Tom Moses and Dr Wuyi Wang, Organizer: GIA)	1
	Updates on Diamond Prospecting and Mining, and the Magnificent Cullinan Diamond (Date: 2018/11/27, Speaker: Mr Mark R. Cullinan, Organizer: GAHK)	2

Seminars	Title or topic	Weighting: CPD hour to be counted
Gemstone Update & Identification	Jewellery Appraisal and Gemstone Standards: Integrity, Authenticity and Consumer Confidence (Date: 2015/03/07, Speaker: Prof. Ren LU, Mr KK CHOW, Organizer: HKTDC)	3
	How analytics and algorithms change the work of gem labs: a few examples, Gem mining activities in Tanzania and Sri Lanka (Date: 2015/06/27, Speaker: Dr Daniel Nyfeler and Mr Hpone- Phylo Kan-Nyunt, Organizer: UBM Asia Ltd & GAHK)	2
	Gemmology Seminar of Mogok, Myanmar (Date: 2015/05/19, Speaker: Dr Edward Liu, Organizer: GAHK)	1
	'Yellow lead-glass-filled sapphire' and 'To What Extent for Heat Treatment of Ruby' (Date: 2015/09/20, Speaker: Mr Boontawee Sriprasert & Dr Pornsawat Wathanakul, Organizer: GIT)	2
	Consistency through Standards and Great Discoveries (Date: 2016/09/17, Speaker: Dr Daniel Nyfeler and Ms Helen Molesworth, Organizer: Gubelin Gem Lab Ltd)	1
	Ruby and Sapphire Treatments, and Update (Date: 2017/06/24, Speaker: Dr Pornsawat Wathanakul, Organizer: The Gemmological Association of Hong Kong, Co-organiser: GIT)	2

Annex A

(2) Advanced Testing Equipment Update

Workshop	Title or topic	Weighting: CPD hour to be counted
Advance Testing Instrument Update	The New Thinkings in Authentication of Fei Cui (Date: 2015/03/17, Speaker: Prof. Mimi OUYANG, Organizer: Hong Kong Council for Testing and Certification)	1
	Detection of trace elements in coloured gemstones and Fei Cui, State of the Art in non-destructive ED-XRF analysis (Date: 2017/02/24, Speaker: Dr. Andreas Burkhardt, Organizer: GAHK)	1
	Industry Trends and Opportunities for the Gemmological Community in Hong Kong (Date: 2015/07/17, Speaker: Brad Campbell & Michael Goren, Organizer: Sarine Hong Kong Ltd)	1

(3) Understanding on ISO/IEC 17025 Laboratory Management System

Training Class & Seminars	Title or topic	Weighting: CPD hour to be counted
ISO 9001 & ISO/IEC 17025 Seminars	Laboratory Quality Management System Based on ISO/IEC 17025:2017 (Date: 2017/11/04, Speaker: Mr CK Cheung, Organizer: GAHK)	4 (Essential CPD Module for initial registration of CG)
	2015 ISO 9001 & ISO/IEC 17025 Training Class (Date: 2016/07/23, Speaker: Mr Horace Leung, Consultant of HKPC, Organizer: GAHK)	4 (Essential CPD Module for initial registration of CG)
	ISO/IEC 17025 Training Course (Date: 2016/07/23, Speaker: Mr CK Cheung, Organizer: GAHK)	4 (Essential CPD Module for initial registration of CG)

(*) The professional bodies are referred to the offices of international gem testing and professional gemmological training institutes in Hong Kong.

Annex B

Referential information of the Essential Fei Cui Specific Training Course

The **Essential Fei Cui (翡翠) Specific Training Course** shall include, but not limited to, the following teaching and learning modules and activities:

- A. Lecture based modules (classroom activities)
 - Fundamental theory of Fei Cui, definition and nomenclature of Fei Cui and its three members of Jadeite Jade, Kosmochlor Jade and Omphacite Jade
 - Set of visual examination skills and tactile discrimination techniques that enable the learner to recognize the features related to the visual stimulus of Fei Cui test items
 - Classification of natural and treated Fei Cui (Type A, Type B, Type C, Type B+C)
 - The comprehensive testing methodology and testing procedures for item of Fei Cui
 - Basic principles of testing equipment including Fourier Transform Infrared Spectrometer and Infrared Spectrum Fingerprint Identification method
 - The analysis of testing results, data and technical specifications when issuing Fei Cui test reports or test certificates
 - The formats and contents of Fei Cui test reports or test certificates
- B. Hands-on practical modules (classroom activities)
 - Practice the comprehensive testing methods of test items of Fei Cui including visual examination skills and tactile discrimination techniques
 - Use the basic hand-held testing tools and instruments to examine and identify the test item of Fei Cui, treatment types of Fei Cui and visual stimulus of Fei Cui
 - Understanding the operation principles of testing equipment including Fourier Transform Infrared Spectrometer
 - Production procedures of Fei Cui test reports or test certificates
 - Practical sessions (in gem testing laboratory, if achievable)
- C. Other non-classroom activities
 - Onsite visit to gem testing laboratory, jade trade fairs
 - Attend professional seminars, workshops or forums
 - Self-learning with additional learning materials provided
- D. Assessments and examination
 - Coursework & assignment
 - Practical assessment
 - Written examination

Note: Course duration: at least 75 learning hours including lecture and hands-on practical sections, practical sessions in gem testing laboratory, practical assessment and assessment by written examination.

Annex C

Referential information of the Essential Diamond Specific Training Course

The **Essential Diamond Specific Training Course** shall include, but not limited to, the following teaching and learning modules and activities:

- A. Lecture based modules (classroom activities)
 - Basic theory and concepts of diamond, synthetic diamonds and diamond treatments
 - Set of visual examination skills and authenticity identification techniques that enable the learner to recognize the features related to diamond, synthetic diamonds, diamond simulant and imitations
 - Classification of diamond types, synthetic diamonds and treated diamonds
 - Basic principles of testing, authenticity identification and quality grading equipment of diamond
 - The procedures of weight measurement (carat), colour grading, cut grading and clarity grading of polished diamonds and different grading systems
 - The analysis of testing results, data and technical specifications when issuing diamond identification and grading reports or certificates
 - The formats and contents of diamond identification and grading reports or certificates
- A. Hands-on practical modules (classroom activities)
 - Practice the authenticity identification and grading methods of test items of diamond including visual examination skills and identification techniques
 - Use the basic hand-held testing tools and instruments to examine and identify the test item of diamond, diamond stimulus and imitations
 - Understanding the operation principles of authenticity identification and grading equipment
 - Production procedures of diamond identification and grading reports or certificates
 - Practical sessions (in gem testing laboratory, if achievable)
- A. Other non-classroom activities
 - Onsite visit to gem or diamond testing laboratory, diamond and jewellery trade fairs
 - Attend professional seminars, workshops or forums
 - Self-learning with additional learning materials provided
- B. Assessments and examination
 - Coursework and/or assignment (if appropriate)
 - Practical assessment or examination
 - Written examination

Note: Course duration: at least 75 learning hours including lecture and hands-on practical sections, practical sessions in gem testing laboratory, practical assessment and assessment by written examination.

Development and Key Milestones of GAHK Projects of “Standard Methods for Testing Fei Cui for Hong Kong” & “Standard Methods for Testing Diamond for Hong Kong”

香港寶石學協會《香港翡翠標準測試方法》和 《香港鑽石標準測試方法》項目的發展歷程及大事年表

2001 November

二零零一年香港珠寶科技會議 (項目撥款機構：創新及科技基金)
2001 Hong Kong Gem-Related Technology Conference



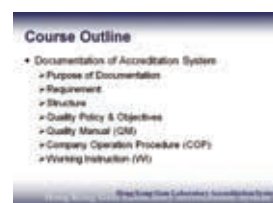
2002-2004

「透過為翡翠及鑽石建立認可寶石認證及標識制度，加強香港作為亞洲寶石貿易及服務中心的地位」
(項目撥款機構：工業貿易署中小型企業支援發展基金)



香港寶石學協會「翡翠及鑽石認證及標識制度計劃」

參加此計劃的寶石鑑定所從翡翠及鑽石認證及標識制度參考手冊，建立自己的運作程序和質量管理系統。鑑定所的鑑定師需要通過ISO知識的培訓課程及嚴格的審核，測試其對ISO/IEC 17025系統的了解及掌握，培訓課程的內容包括：ISO制度的認知、內部審核、寶石鑑定所認可制度ISO文件編寫、儀器校正及實習。



GAHK's "Fei Cui and Diamond Certification and Label Scheme"

2003 July

建立寶石鑑定所認證系統及參考手冊，包括：品質手冊(Quality Manual)、運作程序(Operation Procedures)、工作指示(Working Instructions)



2005-2006

「通過建立符合國際標準ISO/IEC 17025認可的寶石測試實驗室、鑽石及翡翠鑑定師的認可系統，把香港打造成“信任標誌品牌”的國際翡翠鑽石珠寶貿易中心」(項目撥款機構：工業貿易署中小型企業支援發展基金)



香港寶石學協會推行寶石鑒定師專業持續進修計劃和認可寶石鑒定師(Certified Gemmologist)的每年更新登記的制度



2008 March

2008年3月香港寶石學協會《香港標準鑽石測試方法》發布會



2008-2009 April

一套規範實驗室運作的標準系統，確保每一張鑑定證書的每項測試過程、所使用的儀器、負責測試的人員、寶石鑒定所的環境及測試方法都符合國際標準要求，每項產品測試的程序、使用的設備的能力及精準度要求、環境控制的要求標準化，統一校正及檢測儀器的標準物料，統一測試證書所用的標準詞彙，確保測試結果的質素。



2011-2013

【開發一套綜合的翡翠標準測試方法，進一步鞏固“翡翠-香港檢測-香港認證”的品牌形象】(項目撥款機構：香港檢測和認證局)



2013

「翡翠 - 香港檢測、香港認證」：翡翠標準測試方法及認證最新發展研討會



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2014 September

2014年9月香港寶石學協會研討會：翡翠傳承-科學研究和專業教育



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2015 March

2015年3月香港寶石學協會研討會：珠寶估值與寶石標準的根本基礎：誠信、原真性和消費者信心



講者：中國地質大學（武漢）珠寶學院盧勒教授、香港寶石學協會司庫周家強先生

2016 September

2016年9月「翡翠珠寶產業的檢測認證、專業化和國際化的商業實務」研討會



2017 March

2017年3月《香港翡翠標準測試方法》新聞發佈會



Press Conference of GAHK "Standard Methods for Testing Fei Cui for Hong Kong" (English version)



2017 June

2017年6月《香港翡翠標準測試方法》和採用“天然翡翠”為鑒定證書結論新聞發佈會



2018 March

2018年3月香港翡翠鑑定標準及珠寶零售業服務標準的最新發展研討會



講者：中國地質大學（武漢）珠寶學院院長 楊明星教授、國際珠寶業聯盟(CIBJO)主席Gaetano Cavaleri博士



講者：香港珠玉石器金銀首飾業商會理事長黃紹基先生、九龍珠玉石器金銀首飾業商會理事長 劉克斌先生

2018 September

2018年9月香港寶石學協會《香港翡翠標準測試方法》中文版發布會



Press Conference of the Chinese version of GAHK "Standard Methods for Testing Fei Cui for Hong Kong"



2018 November

2018年11月香港寶石學協會委任了八位擔任翡翠標準項目的業界顧問(行業推廣)，協助推廣翡翠標準國際化計劃，提升香港翡翠鑑定行業的國際認受及知名度



香港寶石學協會39週年晚會暨專業會員證書、認可鑑定師證書及英國寶石學協會寶石學文憑頒授典禮



2019 March

2019年3月香港寶石學協會研討會「翡翠標準國際化的全球視點：最新進展，帶來的啟示及商機」



GAHK Seminar on Global Perspectives of Internationalization of Fei Cui Standard: Latest Progress, the Values and Implications

2019 September

2019年9月香港寶石學協會40週年研討會「科學研究，專業實踐和知識創造」



香港寶石學協會主席范肇錦和國家珠寶玉石質量監督檢驗中心(NGTC)副主任何捷簽署合作備忘錄

2019年9月香港寶石學協會成為亞太珠寶標準化技術聯盟(AGA)的創會會員



Preliminary Meeting of Asia-Pacific Gemstone and Technology Standardization Alliance (AGA)

香港寶石學協會《香港翡翠標準測試方法》的國際化最新發展：

國際珠寶業聯盟大會 (CIBJO Congress)於11月18日至20日在中東巴林舉行，大會主席 Caetano Cavalieri博士安排一個焦點會議討論怎樣建立翡翠的國際標準。廖尚宜博士和黃紹基先生(香港珠玉石器金銀首飾業商會理事長，周大福珠寶集團董事總經理)代表香港寶石學協會作了詳細的報告，表達了香港珠寶及翡翠業界的聲音和訴求。CIBJO 主席及參與大會人士對報告內容給予高度的評價與肯定，並接納香港寶石學協會的提案，考慮將"Fei Cui"(翡翠)加入CIBJO Blue Books中。CIBJO Blue Books是一套廣泛為全球珠寶行業接受的寶石分級標準和術語的重要刊物。這是翡翠進入國際珠寶及寶石業界舞臺的里程碑。



CIBJO Congress 2019 conducts a Fei Cui special session, looking to create international standards for trade in jade products.



香港寶石學協會代表團的四位成員。
廖尚宜博士代表歐陽秋眉教授(香港寶石學協會榮譽主席)發言，報告翡翠命名的緣起，提供了詳盡的解釋，及報告了最新研究和翡翠測試標準的發展及其科學研究成果。



廖尚宜博士，CIBJO主席Caetano Cavalieri博士和黃紹基先生



黃紹基先生的發言以市場及消費者對翡翠珠寶的需求為視點，題為"珠寶市場的新動力--翡翠珠寶如何搭配鑽石和彩色寶石"。

2019年11月-12月香港寶石學協會向海關提供量身定制的翡翠和鑽石基礎寶石學培訓課程。

GAHK provides a Tailor-made Basic Gemmology Training Course of Fei Cui and Diamond to the Customs and Excise Department.





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