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UPCOMING EVENTS

Lunch Seminar - How to strengthen the export credit risk control by accounts receivable management (Free of Charge)
Friday, 18 May 2012, 12:30pm to 2:00pm



Co-organized by CMA Australia, EOS Hong Kong and Ascent Partners, this lunch seminar will cover methods to strengthen Accounts Receivable Management (ARM). Our guest speaker, Mr Cobe Tsang, will share with participants how ARM helps minimizing export credit risk of a company and how it reinforces companies' liquidity for further development.

Registration:

Please email your full name and phone number to info@cmaaustralia.org or contact Ms Shirley Yu at 2574 1555 to reserve a seat.

Abnormal Interview Seminar (Free of charge)
Wednesday, 23 May 2012, 6:30pm to 8:00pm

Are you ready to present yourself effectively in an interview? A free seminar will be conducted on Wednesday, 23 May 2012 at the CMA Australia Hong Kong office.

Ms Zoe Wong, former HR Director of Henderson (China) Investment Co. Ltd, will share with you how to handle different job interviews, help you to capture the sight of recruiters.



Registration:

Please email your full name and phone number to info@cmaaustralia.org or contact Ms Shirley Yu at 2574 1555 to reserve a seat.

Financial Practice & Control for Building Incorporated Owners' Management Committee

Thursday, 7 June 2012, 7:00pm to 9:00pm

As a supporting organization, CMA Australia members will enjoy a special rate to attend this seminar organized by Institutes Financial Accountants (IFA) in Hong Kong.

The aim of this seminar is to enhance participants' knowledge in handling accounting and financial issues related to property management. Guest speaker, Mr Kong Tze Wing James, will cover the following topics:

- Preparation of Annual Budget
- Treatment of accounting record and data
- How the complete accounting record help to achieve effective and efficient property management
- Management of Funds and procedures for payments
- Who are qualified to carry out internal review and audit, and how?
- Annual external auditing and related work

Fees:

HK\$180— CMA Students / Members

Venue:

Joint Professional Centre, Lecture Room B, Unit 1, GF, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong

Registration:

Please submit the registration form and payment to IFA Hong Kong before 1 June 2012. For enquiries, please contact Ms Carol Chau (IFAHK) at 2833 2022.

黃仁龍望任內通過調解例 (大公報 5 月 12 日)

【大公報訊】律政司司長黃仁龍期望，立法會能在本月恢復和通過調解條例草案二讀。他出席一個國際性調解會議時回顧個人過去四年推動調解發展的工作以及期望，指出推動調解不是一個人的工作，並強調在六月份仍有很多工作，不過他並沒有回應有關接任人的問題。



5-Day Intensive - Advanced Certificate in Mediation Skills
24, 30 Jun, 7, 8 & 14 Jul 2012

An intensive workshop series on Mediation Skills has been developed to equip CMA Australia members with knowledge on Mediation and pave the way to become a Mediator and add extra value to your existing credentials. Candidates who have completed this workshop series (total 40 CPD hours) will be entitled to an Advanced Certificate in Mediation.

Those who have successfully completed the relevant exam may become an accredited Mediator with the Hong Kong Mediation Services Limited.

The following topics will be covered:

- 第一日：**介紹各種解決爭議的途徑
對調解/談判認識知多少
調解員的角色
談判的原則
調解的模式
調解的過程 — 個案示範
談判的技巧
對爭議的調查分析
角色扮演 — 社區關係的案例
- 第二日：**雙方面談的技巧
共同領域的建立 (技巧的練習)
焦點解決法
如何訂立協議
單獨會談的運用
調解及焦點解決法的技巧練習
如何建立個人或共同目標
引導當事人自己作出決定的過程
角色扮演 — 商業、工作、社區案例
- 第三日：**初級調解訓練課程複習
了解個人價值觀、偏見及歧視
調解專業守則及操守
調解前的程序
如何訂立議程
角色扮演 — 商業、工作、社區案例

第四日：調解失敗的原因

- 談判員常犯的錯誤
- 提問技巧
- 說話重塑技巧
- 聆聽技巧、肢體語言的運用
- 和解促進技巧
- 組織及談判技巧
- 角色扮演 — 家庭、工作、社區案例

第五日：調解實務

- 僵局、消除最後分歧
- 合同的基本概念，和解協議書及其他有關的文件
- 冊黨調解
- 民事司法制度改革
- 申請成為調解員
- 角色扮演 — 商業、工傷、家庭案例

Date / Time (total 5 days / 40 hours):

- Sun, 24 Jun - 10am to 7pm
- Sat, 30 Jun - 1pm to 10pm
- Sat, 7 Jul - 1pm to 10pm
- Sun, 8 Jul—10am to 7pm
- Sat, 14 Jul—10am to 7pm

Medium: Cantonese

Fees:

- HK\$3,900—CMA Students / Members
- HK\$7,800—Non members

Registration:

Please contact Ms Shirley Yu at 2574 1555 or info@cmaaustralia.org.

To learn the basic concepts and obtain a better understanding of Mediation, you are invited to attend a **FREE seminar on Mediation Skills** to be conducted by accredited mediators, Mr Simon Cheung and Mr Jacky Lai, on the following dates:

- Date: Thursday, 24 May 2012 or Monday, 11 June 2012
Time: 6:30pm to 8:30pm
Venue: CMA Australia Hong Kong Office, 12/F Tai Yip Building, 141 Thomson Road, Wanchai, HK
Registration: Please email your full name and phone number to info@cmaaustralia.org or contact Ms Shirley Yu at 2574 1555 to reserve a seat.

Member-Get-Member Campaign

CMA Australia members are invited to refer your friends, colleagues or peers to join CMA Australia **from now to 1 July 2012**. For each successful nomination, you will be entitled for 2012-2013 membership subscription discounts*.

Step 1: Nominate prospective candidates

Step 2: Candidates to submit the application and program enrolment form (together with your nomination form)

Step 3: For each successful nomination, the Nominator will entitle to the following discounts*:

For more information, please contact us at 2574 1555.

	Discount from the 2012-2013 membership subscription
1 st candidate	HK\$500 discount
2 nd candidate	HK\$1000 discount
3 rd candidate or more	HK\$1900 discount (i.e. full fee waiver)

CONDUCTED / ATTENDED EVENTS

Certificate Presentation Ceremony & Cocktail Party on 13 April 2012

Certificates have been presented to newly qualified members just before our Cocktail Party on 13 April 2012. Over 60 guests, members and friends have joined the cocktail party and enjoyed this networking opportunity. Representatives from Hästens have also shared with participants regarding the tips for quality sleeping.



Guangzhou Education Bureau Representative Tour Visit on 23 April 2012



CMA Australia Greater China Chief Executive, Mr Allen Wong and Honorary Advisers, Ms Zoe Wong and Mr Patric Lee have hosted a sharing session with the Guangzhou Education Bureau (GEB) Representative Tour at CMA Australia Hong Kong office on 23 April 2012. The GEB tour, organized by LCCI, was led by Mr Yu Zhide, Deputy Director—Vocational and Adult

Learning Department of GEB, and joined by principals from major vocational colleges in Guangzhou, was excited to explore further co-operation opportunities with CMA Australia Hong Kong office.