

The British Computer Society (Hong Kong Section) **Mentorship Programme 2008**

The British Computer Society (Hong Kong Section) was established in 1990 as a local representation of BCS in Hong Kong. The Section has been active in the ICT community and has participated in many ICT Events in the past years. It has maintained a very close and mutually respected relationship with other ICT professional bodies within Hong Kong and China.

The **Mentorship Programme 2008** being organized by the newly established Young Professionals Group welcomes all tertiary education students under Information & Communications Technology (ICT) related curriculum, or fresh graduates with less than two years work experience.

Objectives

1. To provide an opportunity for ICT students and fresh graduates to understand the business environment and interact with senior ICT professionals from different fields in Hong Kong.
2. To provide our young members with exposure to different fields in ICT, e.g. software development, support, networking, etc., as well as guidance to shape their career paths.
3. To nurture a new generation of ICT professionals and promote sustainable development of ICT industry in Hong Kong.

Benefit for the Mentees

- ✓ Guidance for their future career development
- ✓ Up-to-date information about today's working environment
- ✓ Receive a certificate of conformation for completing this programme
- ✓ Recommendation letter from their mentors upon their consent and discretion

Period

Nov 2008 – Mar 2009

Contents

1. Kick-off Ceremony/Meeting (Nov/Dec 2008)
This event kicks off the programme, and let mentors and mentees to meet.
2. Regular Meetings (Dec 2008 – Feb 2009)
Any kind of meeting between mentors and mentees. 1-2 meetings per quarter is recommended (around 1.5 - 2 hours per meeting).
3. Corporate Visit (Jan 2009)
Joint visit for all mentors and mentees, suggested destination can be leading corporate of one of the mentors. Can also join into pre-defined visits of BCS (HKS), if any.
4. Closing Forum (Mar 2009)
Sharing from Mentors and Mentees.

Eligibility

1. ICT Students (university or tertiary institutions); Or
2. ICT Graduates with 1 to 2 years working experience

Criteria of selecting the participants

1. Extra-curricular activities including voluntary working experience
2. Working experience
3. Interview Session (Group Interview, optional)

Criteria of gaining the certificate

1. Participation of kick-off ceremony, mentorship meetings, evaluating period and closing forum is a must
2. Satisfactory performance, which is evaluated by the mentors

Application Deadline

15 Nov 2008

Application Procedure

1. Download and complete the application form from the website below:
www.bcs.org.hk/ypg/
2. Submit the form to mentorprogramme@bcs.org.hk

Enquiry

Email: mentorprogramme@bcs.org.hk

About British Computer Society (BCS)

Established in 1957, BCS is a world leading institute for IT professionals. With a worldwide membership of 64,000+ members in over 100 countries, BCS is the qualifying body for Chartered IT Professionals (CITP). BCS was incorporated by Royal Charter in 1984. Its aims are to promote the study and practice of computing and to advance knowledge of and education in IT for the benefit of the public. BCS is also a registered charity. BCS awards Chartered IT Professionals (CITP), is licensed by the Engineering Council to award Chartered Engineer status (CEng) and Incorporated Engineer status (IEng); and by the Science Council to award Chartered Scientist status (CSci).

Mentors of BCS(HKS) Mentorship Programme 2008

Name	Title / Company	Title / Association
Dr. FT Chan	Associate Professor, HKU SPACE	Past Chairman, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Dr. PT Ho	Acting Director, Computer Centre, University of Hong Kong	Chairman, Information Discipline Advisory Panel, HK Institution of Engineers (2005-08)
Ir. Dr. George Sze	Managing Director, Systems Integrators (Asia) Limited	Chairman, HKIE IT Division
Mr. C.S Ng	Chairman & CEO, Computer and Technologies Holdings Ltd	Founding Chairman, Information & Software Industry Association
Mr. Carl Yau	Director, Portalvision Ltd	Public Relations Director, Information & Software Industry Association
Mr. Duncan Chiu	Chairman, Far East Holdings International Ltd	
Mr. Fritz Chiu	Principal Consultant, IT Industry Development Division, Hong Kong Productivity Council	Vice Chairman, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (HK Section Computer Chapter)
Mr. Henry Chan	Director, GTI Technology Ltd	Hon. Treasurer, Hong Kong Mainland Software Industry Cooperation Association
Mr. Henry Cheung	Manager (Hong Kong), Ansaldo STS Hong Kong Ltd	Chairman, Institute of Engineering and Technology, Hong Kong (2007-08)
Mr. Jacky Cheung	Director, Gennett Technologies Ltd.	Founding President, Chamber of HK Computer Industry
Mr. Joseph Law	Project Manager, Ricoh Hong Kong Ltd.	Director of Professional Development, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Mr. Peter Choi	Director, Palapple (Hong Kong) Limited	Director of Young Professional Development, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Mr. Raymond Woo	General Manager, 2Fi Business Solutions Limited	Past Chairman, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Mr. Ricky Wan	MIS Director, Wah Shing Toys Co. Ltd.	Director of Member Services, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Mr. Ringo Chan	Director, Partner Software Ltd	Hon Chairman, Hong Kong Mainland Software Industry Cooperation Association
Mr. Spencer Tao	Deputy General Manager, PolyU Technology & Consultancy Co., Ltd.	Vice-President, Concordia Hong Kong Foundation
Mr. Vincent Chan	Partner, Technology & Security Risk Services, Ernst & Young	President, Information System Audit & Control Association (Hong Kong Chapter)
Mr. Walter CT Yeung	Chairman, Nenglong Software Technology Co., Ltd	Vice-Secretary, The Hong Kong Trade and Economic Association
Mr. William Li	Head of Information Technology, Vocational Training Council	Past Chairman, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Ms. Anna Wong	Vice-President, Concordia Hong Kong Foundation.	
Ms. Rossana Ho	Service Principal, HP Services	
Ms. Satti Wong	CEO, International Transport Information Systems Ltd	Hon. Chairman, Information & Software Industry Association

Ms. Viny Tong	Project Manager, HP	Hon. Secretary, British Computer Society (HK Section)
Prof. K.F. Wong	Associate Dean, Engineering Department, Chinese University	President, Hong Kong Information Technology Joint Council
Prof. Simpson Poon	Assistant Executive Director (Mainland Projects), Vocational Training Council	Vice-President, Internet Professional Association

Advisers of BCS(HKS) Mentorship Programme 2008

Name	Title / Organization
Mr. Cao Guo Ying	Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the HKSAR
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Dr. Carlye Tsui, BBS, MBE, JP	Founding Chairman and Hon. Adviser, British Computer Society (Hong Kong Section)
Mr. Anthony SK Wong, JP	Special Advisor, Innovation and Technology Commission, HKSAR Government
Mr. Reggie Wong	Chairman (2007-09), British Computer Society (Hong Kong Section)

Supporting Organizations



UK Trade & Investment



The Chamber of Hong Kong Computer Industry



Hong Kong & Mainland Software Industry Cooperation Association



Hong Kong Information Technology Joint Council



Hong Kong Institute of Engineers, IT Division



Information and Software Industry Association