

## Institute News

**75<sup>th</sup> CHARTERED GOVERNANCE Hong Kong  
YEARS ANNIVERSARY**

**HKCGI Sustainability Governance Academy (Academy)**

**Become an HKCGI Sustainability Professional**

All accredited HKCGI Reporting Certificate holders can join the Academy free of charge to promote sustainability and for peer-to-peer networking and sharing.

HKCGI, with 75 years of history, now sets another milestone by establishing the Academy to promote sustainability-related advocacy, education and research.

Our objectives are to build a platform that recognises the knowledge and expertise acquired by the ESG Reporting Certificate holders, facilitates knowledge update through publications and continuous training, and enables the sharing of experience and regulatory and practical concerns, providing a voice for like-minded individuals to advocate sustainability policies and practices.

Our vision is to be the go-to resource and leading voice in ESG/sustainability governance and reporting.

**Benefits of Being a Sustainability Professional**

- Priority enrolment to webinars, workshops, and special events
- Opportunities for networking with people who share your enthusiasm for sustainability
- Being kept informed of the most recent advancements in sustainability and ESG governance
- Demonstration of expertise to employers or prospective employers
- Contribute to shaping regulatory policy in sustainability governance
- One free annual update seminar on sustainability

For more information and to register, click the link below.

Get Started with HKCGI  
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To be recognised as a powerhouse on sustainability and ESG concerns.

### Exciting Development!

On 31 July 2024, after the Institute's Climate-related Disclosure Update seminar (next post), '**HKCGI Sustainability Governance Academy**' will be launched at HKEX Connect Hall with a cocktail reception.

The Academy aims to be a major powerhouse that influences governance regulations and practices in the Chinese mainland and Hong Kong, including through its affiliation with The Chartered Governance Institute.

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## Climate-related Disclosure Update

31 July 2024 (Wednesday)

Seminar (Hybrid mode)

5.00pm – 6.30pm

Cocktail reception

6.30pm – 7.15pm

In this seminar, HKEX regulators and senior sustainability leaders will explain and discuss the latest changes in the ESG Reporting Guide (which will be renamed the ESG Reporting Code). The seminar will be followed by the launch of the '*HKCGI Sustainability Governance Academy*' at HKEX Connect Hall and a cocktail reception.

Please register *on or before 30 July 2024 (2.00 pm)*.

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## HKCGI Foundation Course Series:

### *Listing Rules – Key Continuing Compliance Obligations*

This training series serves as a refresher for governance professionals and enhances directors' and senior management's understanding of their core continuing compliance obligations under Chapters 13, 14 and 14A of the Listing Rules. There will be speakers from HKEX, leading lawyers and governance professionals. **Session 2 – Notifiable Transactions (Chapter 14)** of the Listing Rules Foundation Course Series, will be held on 31 July 2024 at 1.45 pm.

Please register **on or before 30 July 2024 (2.00 pm)**.

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## CSP Foundation Training Series: Statutory Records of Hong Kong Private Limited Companies

Monday 29 July 2024  
6.45pm – 8.45pm

Focusing on Hong Kong private limited companies, this CSP Foundation Training Series with Ms YT Soon FCG HKFCG(PE) as speaker, will give an overview of basic concepts and compliance matters in six specified areas during six online sessions. Session 3 on **Statutory Records of Hong Kong Private Limited Companies**, will be held on 29 July 2024 at 6.45 pm.

Please register **on or before 28 July 2024.**

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## Nominations for HKCGI Prize 2024

Nominations are now open for the HKCGI Prize 2024. This is an opportunity to recognise individuals who have made significant contributions to the Institute, Chartered Secretarial and Chartered Governance Profession over a substantial period. Members are invited to submit nominations to the Secretariat on or before **30 September 2024.**

For enquiries, please contact Melani Au at (852) 2830 6007 or email: [member@hkcgj.org.hk](mailto:member@hkcgj.org.hk).

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# Calling for Nominations of HKCGI Prize 2024

**2023**  
Dr Anthony Neoh  
QC SC JP FCG HKFCG

**2022**  
Suzanne Soom  
FCG HKFCG

**2021**  
April Chen  
FCG HKFCG

**2020**  
Ada Chang  
FCG HKFCG

**2019**  
Edith Sooh  
FCG(CS), CGP  
HKFCG(CS), CGP(PE)  
Past International Director,  
CSI, Past President of HKCGI  
Chartered Secretarial  
and Governance Institute of  
China (Hong Kong Branch)

**2018**  
Peter Greenwood  
FCG HKFCG  
Former HKCGI  
Member and CSI  
Council

**2017**  
Natalia Song  
FCG HKFCG  
Past President  
HKCGI

**2016**  
Gordon Jones  
BBS FCG HKFCG  
Former Chairman of  
Heritage

**2015**  
Anthony Rogers  
GBS QC JP FCG HKFCG  
Former Secretary of the  
Court of Record of Hong Kong

**2014**  
Neil McNamara  
FCG HKFCG  
Past President  
HKCGI

**2013**  
Edwin Ng  
FCG HKFCG  
Past President  
HKCGI

**2012**  
John Brewer  
Past Chairman  
The Association of the  
Institute of Chartered  
Secretaries and  
Administrators in Hong Kong

**2011**  
Doris Wong  
BBS JP FCG HKFCG  
Past Chairman  
The Association of the  
Institute of Chartered  
Secretaries and  
Administrators in Hong Kong

**The Hong Kong Chartered Governance Institute Prize 2024**

The Hong Kong Chartered Governance Institute Prize will be awarded to a member or members who have made significant contributions to the Institute, and the Chartered Secretary and Chartered Governance Profession over a substantial period. Awarders are bestowed with the highest honour – recognition by their professional peers.

For details, please visit [www.hkcgj.org.hk](http://www.hkcgj.org.hk) or contact Melani Au: (852) 2830 6007, or email: [member@hkcgj.org.hk](mailto:member@hkcgj.org.hk)



June 2024

Retirement - A Sustainability Governance Issue:

## RETIREMENT AGE & A MANAGED PROCESS



The Institute released a survey report titled '***A Sustainability Governance Issue: Retirement Age & A Managed Process***', drawing insights from approximately 1,300 respondents.

The report was featured in the South China Morning Post [HERE](#).

With the ageing population, and based on respondents' views, the report advocates for 65 and beyond (or 65+) as the preferred retirement age for adoption by Hong Kong organisations.

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### Membership/Graduateship/Studentship Renewal for Year 2024/2025

The renewal notice and debit note for the financial year 2024/2025 were emailed to all members, graduates and students. The payment should be settled as soon as possible, and **no later than Monday 30 September 2024**.

To renew online, please click [HERE](#).

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### CGQP June 2024 Examinations

Candidates absent from the CGQP June 2024 examinations due to illness or health reasons can apply for examination postponement by submitting relevant medical certificates and/or supporting documents. All applications must be submitted to the Institute before 12 July 2024.

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### Update of the CGQP studentship policy

The updated CGQP studentship policy will take effect from 1 July 2024.

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**Forthcoming Activities**

**Professional Development**

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03/07/2024

**New Treasury Share Regime – Overview and Practical Impacts**

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08/07/2024

**Going Abroad – Notarisation Requirements and Company Secretarial Practices**

[Enrol](#)

10/07/2024

**Board Governance and Investigation as an Effective Governance Tool**

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[Upcoming ECPD webinars/seminars](#)

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**Membership**

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06/07/2024

**Summer Sports Series – Indoor lawn bowls**

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13/07/2024

**Soft Skills Training Series – Session 4 – Practical  
Application and Communication Skill Development**

[Enrol](#)

25/07/2024

**Stay Healthy and Fabulous – Beauty & networking  
workshop**

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## Reminders

**Learning support for CGQP examinations preparation**

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**CPD Declaration for 2023/2024 (Deadline: 31 July 2024)**

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**Update on CPD policy**

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**Practitioner's Endorsement Application 2024/2025**

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**Individual Package 2024/2025**

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**Corporate Package 2024/2025**

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**Application for concessionary subscription rate for 2024/2025 (Application deadline: 30 June 2024)**

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Annual renewal for the financial year 2024/2025-  
Deadline: 30 September 2024

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Election to [Associateship](#) and [Fellowship](#) application  
deadlines in 2024

Fee schedule in 2023/2024 and 2024/2025  
[Studentship](#), [Membership](#), [Graduateship and Affiliated  
Person](#)

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Express® Platinum Credit Card

A limited-time welcome offer is currently available for  
members, graduates, and students, with exclusive rewards  
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## Featured Job Openings

### Officer

The Hong Kong Chartered Governance Institute

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If you are hiring, please click [HERE](#) for details.

## Other News and Activities

### HKIRA 10th Investor Relations Awards Conference & Presentation Luncheon

The Hong Kong Investor Relations Association (HKIRA) will host the HKIRA 10th Investor Relations Awards Conference & Presentation Luncheon at Conrad Hong Kong on 4 July 2024. IR peers and industry professionals will exchange insights at the Conference.

For details, please click [HERE](#).

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