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The Institute of Management Consultants Hong Kong (IMCHK) is the professional chapter and qualifying body for management consultants in Hong Kong. IMCHK was established in 2000, aiming at setting and maintaining high standards of quality, independence, objectivity, and integrity for Certified **Management Consultants** (CMC) originating in Hong Kong and Macau. IMCHK is representative of Hong Kong in the International Council of Management Consulting Institutes (ICMCI). ICMCI has over 60,000 CMC members worldwide.



President's Message

Leaves are changing colour, Autumn is calling!

Congratulations again to all the winners in the ISO 20700:2017 Use Case Competition organized by IMCHK; and they were awarded certificates and cash prizes in our last Annual General Meeting held on 24 September 2022. It was indeed encouraging to see that the winners had benefited from the use of the ISO 20700 Self-declaration Checklist in their consulting projects and made a difference. Going forward, we will be promoting the Checklist to subject-matter experts such as auditing professionals, compliance practitioners who might want to get into management consulting in their career transformation.

The new term of Council has identified a number of initiatives, e.g. building a platform for IMCHK members to provide pro-bono consulting services to small-medium enterprises for resolving contemporary issues such as ESG / sustainability in their business operations. In this issue, we have extracted external articles listing the world's top ESG and sustainability management consulting firms and hope you find it useful to explore this space.

Following the gradual relaxation of COVID-19 restrictions, the Council has planned to hold an in-person Christmas Gathering Dinner on 15 December 2022. Event details will be announced soon, so please save the date and register for it.

Looking forward to catching up in person! Best regards Daniel Chan President, IMCHK



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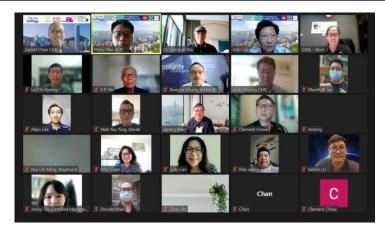
IMCHK Activities

AGM 2022

- 24 September 2022, Saturday 10:30 am - 12:00 noon (via Zoom)

Agenda: 1.To receive from the Council and adopt a report of the activities of the IMCHK for the preceding year; 2. To approve the audited accounts of the IMCHK; 3. To authorize the Council Members to appoint an Auditor and fix the Auditor's remuneration; 4. To elect the Council for October 2022 to September 2024; 5. A.O.B. AGM 2022 also present the IMCHK Awards 2022 for the best use of ISO ISO700:2017 Self-declaration Checklist.

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IMCHK Webinar: Building Trusted Relationships and Becoming a Trusted Consultant

- 17 September 2022 Saturday 10:30 am - 12:00 noon (Via Zoom)

Program Outline: (1) Explore the key elements that underpin the ability to grow and maintain trust; (2) Learn the Trust Equation template; (3) Understand how to attain the status of Trusted Advisor; (4) View the impact of culture on the trust process; (4) Focus on Dr. Robert Cialdini's 6 Principles of Social Influence. Speaker: Eric Sampson, Forward Focus Consulting

IMCHK Webinar: How to Start and Sustain a Successful Management Consulting Business

- 13 August 2022 Saturday 09:15 am - 10:45 am (via Zoom)

Starting a consulting business requires clients, and sustaining it requires grit, tenacity, trust from your clients, and most of all, that entrepreneurial drive. Program Outline: (1) How to beat competitors who are bigger, stronger, and more reputable? (2) How to work with academics, prima donnas, and geniuses? (3) How to slowly build a stellar reputation? (4) How to give back? (5) How to have clients sell on your behalf? (6) How to engage others to solve wicked problems?



ISO 20700:2017

ISO 20700:2017 Guidelines for Management Consultancy Services was developed by CMC-Global (International Council of Management Consulting Institutes, ICMCI) and **International Organization** for Standardization (ISO), to enhance the level of competence of the profession's services. IMCHK is the trainer on behalf of ICMCI to provide training and certification of ISO 20700 in regional area (Hong Kong and Macau).

IMCHK conducts and supports ISO 20700 training and certification to management consultants and service providers in required industries and professions.



(7) How to stay young, love your work, and have lots of fun?

Speaker: Dr. Gregg Li, Guest speakers for Panel Discussion: Prof. Alfred Ho, Prof. Stephen Ng, and Ms. Jenny Tse



IMCHK Webinar: The impact of RMB Internationalization on Management Consultants (人民幣國際化對管理顧問的影響)

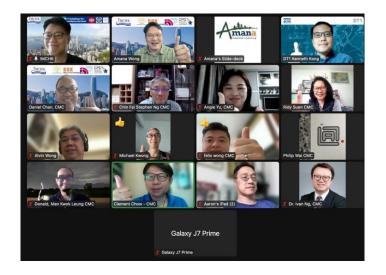
- 23 July 2022 Saturday 10:30 am - 12:00 noon (via Zoom)

Outline: (1) How to determine the exchange rate level; (2) Two major factors determining the trend of RMB exchange rate; (3) Two key measures to prevent excessive speculation; (4) The significance of the official entry of RMB exchange rate in the International Monetary Fund (IMF); (5) The role of RMB in international payment, settlement reserve, investment and financing; (6) The impact of RMB internationalization on management consultants. *Speaker: Prof. Vincent Kwan*

IMCHK Webinar: Driving Digital Transformation in the New Normal - Transform Consulting Business

- 9 July 2022 Saturday 10:30 am - 12:00 noon (via Zoom)

Program Outline: (1) Why should the teams within organizations learn digital transformation? (2) What is digital transformation? (3) How to identify the purpose and direction of transformation? (4) How to design a digital transformation roadmap? (5) How digital technology can match the development of digital transformation in business? Speaker: Mr. Kenneth Kong



IMCHK News

ICMCI's Board of the Academic Fellow Panel approved the IMCHK's nomination of Academic Fellows 2022

The International Council of Management Consulting Institutes (ICMCI) comprises a network of management consultancy associations and institutes worldwide, who have a common purpose and shared values and The goal of ICMCI is to promote a closer working relationship between all management consulting institutes with a primary focus on raising the standards of the profession of management consulting and to create worldwide recognition and acceptance of the CMC (Certified Management Consultant) mark.

ICMCI Academic Fellow designation is intended to confer a mark of distinction which recognizes those academics and teaching practitioners who have contributed to the study and teaching of management consultancy. You will be joining an exclusive community who have a passion for the delivery and dissemination of management consulting education. ICMCI's Board of the Academic Fellow Panel approved the IMCHK's nomination of Academic Fellow. Dr. Terence Chung (CMC) has accepted the nomination and received the Academic Fellow honorary Dr. Terence Chung designation of ICMCI. Congratulations!



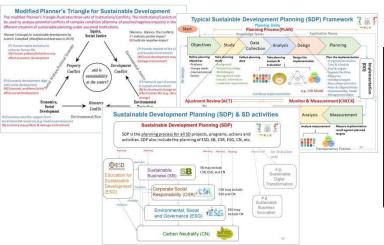
CMC & CSDP Mentorship Training (Mentorship Programs between IMCHK and WISDP)

CMC Mentorship Training was arranged on 20 August 2022 Saturday 9:30 am - 12:30 pm, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm (via Zoom) - This was the 4th Certified Management Consultants (CMC) Mentorship Program of IMCHK.

IMCHK partnered with World Institute of Sustainable Development Planners (WISDP) to promote CMC Mentorship Program to Certified Sustainable Development Planner (CSDP). One CSDP joined the CMC Mentorship Program and successfully passed the ethical test, case sharing and earned the CMC qualification. Trainer: Dr. Samson CW Ma

CSDP Mentorship Training was arranged on 3 September 2022 Saturday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm (via Zoom) -This was the 1st Certified Sustainable Development Planner (CSDP) Mentorship Program between IMCHK and WISDP.

Sustainable Development and Environmental, Social, & Governance (ESG) are becoming important change areas of business and management consultancy. CSDP is the key professional to support the adoption. IMCHK partnered with World Institute of Sustainable Development Planners (WISDP) to promote CSDP Mentorship Program to CMCs. A total of eight CMCs joined the CSDP Mentorship Program and successfully passed the interview and earned the CSDP qualification. Trainer: Dr. Samson CW Ma







IMCHK Honorary Fellow and Fellow 2022



Dr. Amen Lee

Honorary Fellow (HonFIMC)



- Co-founder of International Coaching Community Greater China
- Co-founder of Chief Happiness Officer Association
- Chairman & Founding Member of Seiwajyuku Hong Kong (2019-2021)
- President of Legacy Academy
- Honorary Research Fellow, Chinese Family Succession Research Center, The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong
- Academic Research Associate for the Center for Family Business, CUHK Business School, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- Chairman Hong Kong Institute of Marketing (2019-2021)

Dr. Amen Lee is an experienced coach and consultant, specializing in executive coaching and family business succession. He is Co-founder of International Coaching Community Greater China and Certified Coach by ICC. He is an author and co-author of over 10 books on a wide range of thought leadership topics covering happiness, resilience, quantum leadership, family business succession, and next generation leadership.

Dr. Lee has served more than 60 family businesses as a consultant and trained over 3,000 business executives. Understanding that difficulty in mindset change and communication are common obstacles to corporate management, Dr. Lee advocates holistic thinking connecting both heart and brain; he seeks to integrate breakthrough techniques in interpersonal communication and cutting-edge neuroscience theories, and to apply them in a wide extent of fields, including executive coaching, corporate training, corporate culture and family business succession.

In 2019, Dr. Lee collaborated with Dr. Christophe Morin, the world-renowned neuroscientist to host the first ever class on "Discover your Persuasion Code" in Hong Kong. In the same year, International Coaching Community Greater China also invited Joseph O'Connor, the author of "Coaching the Brain: Practical Applications of Neuroscience to Coaching" to come to Hong Kong to deliver a training on Neuro-coaching.

Dr. Lee believes uplifting a person's consciousness is the most powerful way to unlock one's leadership potential for sustainable growth of individuals, business and the communities. Dr. Lee is frequently invited to deliver training and speech for international private banks as well as high-net-worth wealth management firms. He was awarded "Popular Speaker of the Year" by 2019 Forbes China Insurance Sector.

Apart from holding a doctoral degree in Adult Education, Dr. Lee has also received a certificate in the Senior Executive Programme on "Strategic Issues in Corporate Finance" by Cambridge-HKU in 2008, "Managing Family Business for Generational Success" by Harvard Business School in 2014, and "The Science and Art of Happiness" by UC California, Berkeley and Tsz Shan Institute in 2021.



Mr. Alvin Wong

Certified Fellow (FCMC)



MSc(IT), MSc(E-com), MBA Executive Vice President, Solutions and Product Development, HGC Global Communications



Mr. Wong was the President of IMCHK from 2010 to 2012 and 2017 to 2018. He is an experienced Vice President with a demonstrated history of working in the telecommunications and ICT System Integration industry, skillful in Product development, Channel Partners and Vendor Management, Marketing and Sales. He holds a MSc focused on E-Commerce and information management from Hong Kong University of Science and Technology - School of Business and Management.

Specialties: Sale Management, Marketing, Business Development, International Business Management and Consultancy Business.

Dr. M F Lo
Fellow (FIMC)



BBA, PGDE, MA, MSc, DBA

Director for Technology and Infrastructure Development, Senior Lecturer, Academic
Unit of Teacher Education and Learning Leadership, Faculty of Education, University
of HK

Dr. Lo has been an educator for nearly 20 years, teaching courses in knowledge management, operations management, quality management, data science, and information systems. With a strong commitment to teaching excellence, he received the "CPCE Outstanding Teaching Performance/Achievement Award" from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University. He further received teaching-related awards from two honor societies: "Master Teacher of Honor" presented by Kappa Delta Pi and "Distinguished Educator" presented by Phi Delta Kappa International. Furthermore, he has actively engaged in volunteer services and youth development. He was the recipient of the "Secretary for Home Affairs Commendation", presented by The Government of the Hong Kong SAR.

Apart from teaching, he is active in research and scholarly activities. He serves as the Associate Editor-in-Chief for the Journal of Information Technology Education: Research and Journal of Information Technology Education: Innovations in Practice. Moreover, he is on the editorial board of international journals, including Informatics in Education, International Journal of Business Intelligence Research, International Journal of Mobile and Blended Learning and International Electronic Journal of Mathematics Education. Over the years, he has published in academic journals, such as Asia Pacific Journal of



Management, Journal of Knowledge Management, Leadership & Organization Development Journal, Higher Education Quarterly, Education + Training, Knowledge Management Research & Practice...etc. To further his professional development, he has gained professional qualifications/memberships, including FBCS CITP, CMgr FCMI, FIMA CSci, CStat, SFHEA, FSET and SCMALT.

Dr. Terence Chung

ICMCI Academic Fellow (CMC-AF), Certified Fellow (FCMC)



PhD, PCC, PMP, CPF-M, CPHR
Founder & Principal Consultant, Integral Training & Consulting Ltd.
Adjunct Associate Professor & Academic Advisor, HKUSPACE



Dr. Terence Chung was one of the founding committee members of IMCHK in 2000. He is a management consultant, executive coach, professional facilitator, and Adjunct Associate Professor, who has worked with over 200 corporates and NGOs for their organizational change and capability development. Clients include multinational Fortune 100 companies in Hong Kong, Mainland China, and Asia Pacific. He is specialized in organizational development (OD) using dialogic approach, transformational change, instructional design, strategic group facilitation, leadership development, project management, learning engagement, and executive coaching.

Prior to starting Integral in 2004, Terence was the Principal Consultant of a global consulting firm, Forum Asia, where he was awarded the 2001 Chairman's Award for Outstanding Team Contribution. Before that, he was the Manager-Learning Solutions of Motorola University, and was awarded the 1999 Creativity Award, the 2000 Collaboration Award, and the 2000 President Award.

Terence holds a PhD in Organizational Development & Change, MA in Human & Organizational Systems, MSc in Management, Certificate in Evidence-based Coaching for Organizational Leadership, Certificate in Design Thinking, Postgraduate Diploma in Management Consulting and Change (Distinction), Postgraduate Diploma in Training Management (Distinction). He is certified as Professional Certified Coach (PCC), Project Management Professional (PMP), Certified Management Consultant – Academic Fellow (CMC-AF), IAF-Certified Professional Facilitator – Master & Assessor (CPF|M) and Chartered Professional in Human Resources - Canada (CPHR).

As a scholar-practitioner for over twenty years, Terence is the Adjunct Associate Professor and Academic Advisor of the University of Hong Kong (HKUSPACE), teaches postgraduate programs in The Institute for China Business and HKUSPACE. He was presented with the Outstanding Teacher Awards 2017-18 and 2018-19.

The Management Consulting Firms With The Top ESG Reputation



Consultancy.uk, 23 August 2021

ESG efforts have improved across the professional services industry, according to a new benchmark by stakeholder intelligence company Alva. Booz Allen Hamilton, Accenture, PwC, Bain & Company and Boston Consulting Group are the consultancies with the best ESG reputation in the market.

Sustainability professionals have long encountered a mixed response from the C-suite when it comes to taking action on environmental, social and governance (ESG) issues. Over the last decade, however, ESG risks have swiftly risen to the top of the investment community's priorities - and as a result, C-suite resistance in the consulting industry has shrunk considerably, putting sustainability firmly on the boardroom agenda.

With that corporate buy in secured, the world's biggest consulting firms have spent recent years pushing ahead with major ESG drives across both their organizations, and their clients. This has seen a growing number of the industry's leaders committing to becoming net-zero firms, cutting down on travel, and looking to source their office energy from renewable sources, among other measures.

Booz Allen Hamilton	BAH features in Forbes Best Employers for Diversity and The Times Top 50 Employers for Women lists BAH's Multicultural Business Resource Group gains positive coverage
Accenture	Accenture partners with Microsoft, Goldman Sachs and non-profits to form the Green Software Foundation, focusing on building software that produces fewer carbon emissions Accenture is awarded a Platinum certification by non-profit Women In Governance
PwC	PwC partners with the Commonwealth Games, including working with local charities to maximise the social and environmental impact of the Games PwC announces its hybrid working plan which it claims will help to achieve net zero goals
Bain & Company	■ Bain is named in Fortune's 100 Best Companies to Work For and The Times Top 50 Employers for Women lists ■ Bain partners with Positive Luxury to highlight how luxury brands can improve sustainability.
Boston Consulting Group	BCG partners with Business Green to support its Net Zero Nature Summit Environmental groups claim that BCG's £1m contract to help organise COP26 poses a conflict of interest due to ties with fossil fuel companies

As the consulting industry looks set to ramp up this push for ESG goals, research firm Alva has examined the sector to find which firms are leading the pack. Alastair Pickering, Co-founder of Alva, commented that increasing demands and pressure around ESG integration for businesses meant there were greater expectations for the professional services industry, before adding "there has been a strong ESG narrative delivered by the sector which has raised expectations of further delivery, demonstrated by positive efforts across the sector."

Alva's report reveals that ESG scores across the sector continue to improve, with 90% of companies ranked positively for accelerating their ESG efforts - but still found five firms which were outperforming the rest of the market.

Booz Allen Hamilton

A leading provider of management consulting, technology, and engineering services Booz Allen Hamilton is headquartered in McLean, Virginia. It employs more than 22,000 people, and performs particularly strongly in ESG terms on its social and governance fronts. The firm regularly features in Forbes Best Employers for Diversity and The Times Top 50 Employers for Women lists. Meanwhile, Alva noted that Booz Allen Hamilton's Multicultural Business Resource Group "gains positive coverage" regularly.



Accenture

Global IT and business services giant Accenture partners with Microsoft, Goldman Sachs and non-profits to form the Green Software Foundation. The collaboration focuses on building software that produces fewer carbon emissions. Meanwhile, as it sought to bolster its ESG efforts at the start of 2021, Accenture invested in German-UK sustainability group Arabesque S-Ray. The deal granted Accenture access to the environmental, social, and corporate governance expert's full range of solutions and analysis.

PwC

One of the world's four largest professional services firms, PwC is using its sizeable reach to help clients pursue their net-zero ambitions while it also looks to realise its own. Earlier in 2021, PwC announced a hybrid working plan, which it asserted would help staff cut back on travel by working from home for some of the week – shrinking their carbon footprint in the process. The firm is also helping its clients to improve their social impact. Alva noted in particular that PwC is partnering with the Commonwealth Games, and is currently working to help local charities to maximise the social and environmental impact of the Birmingham Games in 2022.

Bain & Company

Part of the MBB trio that makes the world's largest strategy consultancies, Bain & Company is named in Fortune's 100 Best Companies to Work For, and The Times Top 50 Employers for Women lists. According to Alva, the firm helps champion sustainability, and partners with Positive Luxury, an organisation which highlights how luxury brands can improve sustainability. Achieving carbon neutral status for the past 10 years in a row, Bain remains determined to find new ways to improve its climate impact. It recently announced bold new plans to reduce its business travel emissions by 35%.

Boston Consulting Group

Also part of the MBB axis, Boston Consulting Group (known as BCG) recently announced plans to spend \$400 million on its 2030 climate positive goals. One way it is doing this sees flights taken by BCG employees in the Nordics on SAS and Finnair flights would be powered by sustainable aviation fuel.

https://www.consultancy.uk/news/28782/the-management-consulting-firms-with-the-top-esg-reputation

Top 10 Sustainability Consultants

Sustainability. By Blaise Hope, June 16, 2022

Bringing top-level advocacy and lasting results across large businesses, these top sustainability consultants help companies drive their ESG goals

Sustainability consultants help businesses to incorporate more responsible approaches in their operations so they can achieve their sustainability goals more efficiently. With current climate conditions, partnering with a good sustainability consultancy firm is becoming more important. Here are the top 10 leading sustainability consultancy firms in the world.



10. dss+

DuPont Sustainable Solutions, now known as dss+, employs more than 1000 professionals in 40 countries to serve their clients across a wide range of industries – from food and beverage to transportation, oil and gas.

The firm rebranded itself in February 2022 to mark a new journey, after almost five decades of operating as a subsidiary of DuPont. The firm is known for its holistic and integrated approach that tackles not only technical barriers, but also infuses its consultancy into organizational cultures, further securing long-term results.

9. Accenture

Employing more than 624,000 people in more than 200 cities located in 50 countries, Accenture is strategically placed between business and technology. It provides a wide range of services, providing solutions in strategy, consulting, and operations. Its expertise spans more than 40 industries and all business functions, with more than 3 decades of experience.

The firm helps clients to implement their ESG strategies, operating models, processes, and technologies so that their business can create a more sustainable impact. To further expand its reach and scope of expertise, the firm has been making aggressive strides by acquiring other sustainability consultancies, such as Avieco and Greenfish.

8. WSP & Golder

Utilising strong in-house expertise and digital tools, WSP stands out as the market-leading provider of sustainability consulting services. The global firm started more than 130 years ago as a local firm. With its recent acquisition of earth sciences and environmental consulting firm Golder, WSP has approximately 14,000 of its 55,000 professionals dedicated to catering to clients' sustainability needs.

Throughout 2019-2021, the firm acquired more than 14 different firms – including Golder – along with their expertise, widening the range of its market reach and competitive offerings.

7. Bain & Company

One of the world's leading management consulting firms, Bain & Company has been in the industry for more than four decades. It offers uniquely tailored, pragmatic, holistic, and enduring solutions for each of its clients on their most critical issues, including strategy, operations, and technology.

Bain & Company has provided sustainability solutions for more than 600 client projects in the past two years. It has also shown efforts in tackling critical environmental challenges by providing pro-bono consulting to leading nonprofits as part of its 10-year, \$1.1bn commitment, which also includes a multi-year partnership with The Nature Conservancy.

6. ERM

Environmental Resources Management, better known as ERM, is one of the largest global pure-play sustainability consultancies. Armed with more than fifty years of experience, accrued since 1971, ERM helps clients to reach their sustainability ambitions, including low carbon future transition and building business resilience.

Its technical expertise spans various issues, including environmental and social issues, providing a comprehensive service model to develop strategic and technical solutions specially catered to its clients. Its holistic approach is trusted by clients across various industries, including energy, technology, and healthcare.



5. Deloitte

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited – a UK private company better known as Deloitte – is an umbrella brand for several global independent firms with tens of thousands of dedicated professionals specialising in audit, consulting, financial advisory, and tax.

One of the Big Four accounting organisations, Deloitte has accumulated extensive experience in financial accounting and regulatory services – resulting in top-notch integrated reporting. With its expansive expertise, the firm also provides the services of sustainability assurance, environment, social impact, and sustainable finance.

4. KPMG

Probably one of the most recognised names in global business, KPMG is a network of multinational professional firms best known for its audit, tax and advisory services. Its expertise spans strategy and operations, analytics, integrated business planning, and transformation.

Its global network enables KPMG to acquire an in-depth understanding of the economic, political, environmental and social landscapes of each client based on their geographical locations. It offers results-driven and future-fit business strategies, deep insights, practical business responses, and an integrated multi-disciplinary team to achieve the sustainability goals of its clients.

3. Boston Consulting Group

Global management consulting firm Boston Consulting Group is known as a global leader in business strategy consultancy. Founded in 1963, BCG now operates in more than 45 countries and is represented by more than 80 offices.

It offers a customised approach for each client based on deep insights into both the company's and markets' dynamics, securing long-term results, sustainable advantages, and organisational growth. To further support its clients, the group established the BCG Center for Climate & Sustainability, which brings together more than 550 experts in a wide range of topics, including circular economy and transition financing.

2. McKinsey & Company

Another celebrity in the industry, the global consultancy juggernaut McKinsey & Company has handled more than 1,700 sustainability-related projects in the past 3 years. The management consulting firm was founded in 1976 and has been the trusted advisor to many global businesses, governments, and institutions ever since.

It offers integrated end-to-end solutions on sustainability, climate, energy transition, and ESG, allowing clients to achieve growth while safeguarding the planet. It offers net-zero and ESG strategy, net-zero financial institutions, and sustainable investing services, to name a few. It has also established the McKinsey Platform for Climate Technologies to further help clients with their climate ambitions.

1. EY

Together with Deloitte, KPMG and PwC, Ernst & Young is one of the global 'Big Four', best known for its audit, tax, business risk, and human capital services. It has a presence in over 700 offices in more than 150 countries, with 312,250 employees around the world.

For its Climate Change and Sustainability Services (CCaSS), EY deploys multidisciplinary teams to help companies understand the sustainability, environmental, health and safety risks, while simultaneously recognizing the opportunities behind such issues. EY's CCaSS offers environment, health and safety services, as well as enhanced corporate reporting and accounting.

https://sustainabilitymag.com/top10/top-10-sustainability-consultants



ICMCI

The International Council of Management Consulting Institutes (ICMCI) has since 1987 been the professional body worldwide for management consultants. ICMCI since 2013 is called CMC-Global.

CMC-Global (ICMCI) is the international Management Consulting professional body, comprised of individual country-based, member Institutes of Management Consulting (IMCs). ICMCI works with many industry leaders, with academia, with consulting firms of all shapes and sizes, and have built a common standard for the individual certification of professional management consultants.

When you join a member IMC, you are also joining a global community of trusted, ethical, and committed colleagues.
When you become a "Certified Management Consultant" (CMC) through one IMCHK, you have shown that you have the knowledge, competence, commitment and peer acceptance, that you are a true professional.

Certified Management Consultant (CMC®) of ICMCI

The Certified Management Consultant designation (CMC®) is the preeminent professional designation for management consulting with a variety of sub-specialty areas. It is similar in scope and reliability to Chartered Professional Accountants, Professional Engineers, etc.



Recognition

Country Institutes of Management Consulting (IMC's), often through state or provincial institutes, work with government bodies to ensure that the CMC® is a recognized professional designation with all the compliance, competency, and ethical obligations and privileges that comes with being a top-tier individual professional.

National Institutes are regularly audited by ICMCI to ensure each Institute upholds and advances the high standards of the designation. This means that a CMC® earned in one country can be recognized and trusted should the professional individual work in another jurisdiction. For individuals interested in achieving their CMC® professional designation, but happen to live/work in a jurisdiction without an ICMCI member Institute, they can apply to the CMC-Global Institute (CMC-GI) to achieve their certification.

Post-nominal initials

Consultants who have been awarded the CMC® can put these initials after their name. In some countries, the ICMCI member Institute may use the designation FIMC to signify a Fellow of that Institute of Management Consultants – someone who has made a significant contribution to the profession of management consulting. The initials FCMC therefore designate a Certified Management Consultant who is also a Fellow of his or her institute.

CMC Emeritus

ICMCI member institutes are allowed to authorize the CMC®s of their institute who cease professional activity (whether by moving into another field of activity or by retirement) to continue to use the designation "CMC Emeritus" after their names. The requirements for this are shown in the Certification Programme Manual.



IMCHK Council Members

 $(2023 \sim 2024)$

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Mr. Daniel Chan

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Dr. Samson Ma

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Ms. Ridy Suen

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Mr. Share Tai Ki

Mr. Amana Wong

Mr. John Lai

Ms. Ada Wong

Mr. Allan Lee

Mr. Eric Lo

IMCHK ISO 20700 Award & Winner (2022)





The first IMCHK Annual Award for ISO 20700 was announced in January 2022. The ISO 20700 award aims to promote the application of ISO 20700 for management consultancy in Hong Kong with the following objectives:

- √ To promote public awareness of ISO 20700:2017;
- ✓ To emphasize the benefits of adopting ISO standards for both consultants and clients; and
- ✓ To recognize individual consultants who have demonstrated success during any or all consultancy assignment phases, i.e. contracting, execution and closure through the adoption of the ISO 20700 Self-declaration Checklist

Nomination and Results Announcement:

IMCHK members trained in ISO 20700 nominated their cases in the application of ISO 20700 on their consulting jobs and projects.

The nomination of IMCHK Awards 2022 for the Best Use Cases of ISO 20700:2017 Self-Declaration Checklist were collected. The Stage 2 of the contest was successfully completed in July 2022 as planned and we are pleased to announce the award winners as follows:

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The Awards presentation was held at IMCHK'S Annual General Meeting at 10:30 am on Saturday, 24 September 2022 via ZOOM.

Congratulations to all the winners and wish them every success as they continue to adopt ISO 20700:2017 in their future management consulting projects!

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