





## SUSTAINABLE HERITAGE MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE COURSE

**COURSE SYLLABUS** 

ON-SITE PROGRAMME	
The course will kick-start with a special programme organized onsite in Hong Kong SAR, China. The three-day programme will provide an orientation on the key objectives and tasks of this course. Through this on-site gathering, participants are expected to engage more dynamically with course activities and learning materials in the following classes.	
SITE VISIT 15 JUNE 2023	Participants may choose to join a site visit to selected heritage sites in Hong Kong.
HERITAGE INNOVATION SYMPOSIUM (In collaboration with New World Development)  15 JUNE 2023	Participants are invited to attend a special seminar on innovative approaches to heritage management.
<b>SESSION 1 (A)</b> 16 JUNE 2023	Module 1: Sustainable development (SUS) Aim: Ensuring heritage protection and management activities conform to sustainable development principles and contribute to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals.
<b>SESSION 1 (B)</b> 17 JUNE 2023	<ul> <li>Site Visit to Lai Chi Wo</li> <li>Introduction to Lai Chi Wo Rural Landscape</li> <li>Walking tour of Lai Chi Wo by local heritage experts with onsite lectures and group activities.</li> </ul>
INTERACTIVE TURORIAL SESSIONS & SELF-LEARNING	
This course is a combination of a self-paced online learning and interactive tutorial sessions. Each module consists of a set of <b>pre-recorded lectures</b> and <b>readings</b> followed by real-time online <b>interactive tutorial sessions</b> with the teaching team and other participants.	
<b>SESSION 2</b> 1 JULY 2023	Module 2: Heritage policies, principles, processes and ethics (HER) Aim: Incorporating and implementing heritage principles, charters and conventions at all stages of the heritage management process.  Module 3: Applying laws and regulations (ALR) Aim: Ensuring that laws, regulations and rights affecting heritage properties at all levels are upheld.
SESSION 3	Module 4: Community, rights and knowledge (CRK)  Aim: Ensuring the realization of the rights of local communities and integrating traditional knowledge into conservation processes and actions.  Module 5: Heritage education and interpretation (HED)
8 JULY 2023	Aim: Ensuring that local stakeholders, visitors, decision-makers and the wider public are aware of heritage properties, their purposes and values, and how they are governed and managed.







## **CAPSTONE PROJECT**

Once the online learning of all modules is completed, participants will conduct a self-directed exercise concerning their own heritage projects/sites. The Capstone Project will consist of the following:

- Preparing an individual portfolio that demonstrates the progress, achievements and abilities related to the Core Competences in cultural heritage management.
- Developing a Sustainability Action Plan for a selected heritage project/site.

## **ASSESSMENT**

The course will culminate with a **competence-based assessment process** that allows the participants to benchmark their skills and knowledge in heritage management. An invited group of panelists will assess the participants through a written exam, a portfolio of work, a project presentation, and an interview.

Participants may only sign up for the assessment sessions.

**ASSESSMENT SESSIONS** 

12, 13, 19 & 20 AUGUST 2023 (dates to be confirmed) The assessment will provide a way to recognize prior learning and accumulated experience, and consist of a written exam, a portfolio of work, a project presentation, and an interview by a panel of experts.