

News

HKITF has been invited by the HKSAR Innovation and Technology Commission (ITC) to nominate interested parties to participate in the development of International Standards.

International Standards on I.T. falls into ISO/IEC JTC1 (International Organization for Standardization/International Electrotechnical Commission Joint Technical Committee 1) which presently has 17 SCs (Sub-Committees) with various WGs (Working Groups). Details on JTC1 can be obtained in the link :

<http://www.iso.org/iso/en/stdsdevelopment/tc/tclist/TechnicalCommitteeDetailPage.TechnicalCommitteeDetail?COMMID=1>

Committee Title

JTC 1	Information technology
JTC 1/SC 2	Coded character sets
JTC 1/SC 6	Telecommunications and information exchange between systems
JTC 1/SC 7	Software and system engineering
JTC 1/SC 17	Cards and personal identification
JTC 1/SC 22	Programming languages, their environments and system software interfaces
JTC 1/SC 23	Digital storage media for information interchange
JTC 1/SC 24	Computer graphics, image processing and environmental data representation
JTC 1/SC 25	Interconnection of information technology equipment
JTC 1/SC 27	IT Security techniques
JTC 1/SC 28	Office equipment
JTC 1/SC 29	Coding of audio, picture, multimedia and hypermedia information
JTC 1/SC 31	Automatic identification and data capture techniques
JTC 1/SC 32	Data management and interchange
JTC 1/SC 34	Document description and processing languages
JTC 1/SC 35	User interfaces
JTC 1/SC 36	Information technology for learning, education and training
JTC 1/SC 37	Biometrics

Our members are encouraged to participate in the development of International Standards not only to contribute our expertise but also to benefit our Members and the I.T. industry in Hong Kong as a whole by following up the development process to be aware of any forthcoming changes so that we can voice out our concerns or to make advance preparations.

Please check which of the SCs and WGs you are interested in and our Secretariat (Email: info@hkitf.org.hk) will assist to submit the nomination to ITC who is the official representative of the HKSAR Government as a Correspondent Member (Hong Kong SAR is not a sovereign state and therefore not a full member and therefore with no voting rights). Of course, it will be ideal if our Members can follow up by attending the meetings which may be very costly as they will have meetings all over the world. However you can also contribute by reviewing the documents and submitting your comments and proposals in the prescribed format. Contributions (comments and proposals) can be submitted to ITC for acceptance as a contribution from Hong Kong (as a Correspondent Member) or you can submit as a Personal Contribution.

As per discussion with ITC, each delegate will be responsible for all their own expenses. There is no cost for receiving the documents even by mail - ITC will receive the documents and then distribute them to each of the Hong Kong delegates. But of course, most of the documents will be distributed electronically anyway. The ultimate decision on the nomination will be with ITC.

For interested parties, please visit the below link for details of the nomination:

www.hkitf.org.hk/download/ISO_TC_Guide_Nominees.doc

Special Offer to HKITF Members

e-Government Summit Hong Kong 2006 – Limited Complimentary Seats

An upcoming conference - 2nd e-Government Summit Hong Kong, which will be hold on September 5-6, 2006 at Cyberport, Hong Kong.

The e-Government Expo Theme

- 1) Information & Knowledge management for Government
- 2) Business Process management for public services
- 3) Network and Security management
- 4) Open Source applications for Government
- 5) Web Applications & Solutions for Government



Event Details

Date: 5 – 6 September, 2006

Registration Time: 9:00 am – 9:30 am

Conference Time: 9:30 am – 5:00 pm

Venue: Function Rooms 1 – 3, Level 3, Cyberport 3, HK

Website: www.egov-summit.com.hk

As this is an exclusive **COMPLIMENTARY** invitation with limited seats, interested parties please kindly download and fill in the reply form from the below link:

http://www.hkitf.org.hk/download/ComplimentaryInvitationletter_HKITF.pdf

Then, please fax back to 2529 9956 or email to ivy_tsui@zenithevents.com for reservation.

For enquiries, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Ivy Tsui at (852) 2233 9346 or visit website: www.egov-summit.com.hk.

The 1st Training in HK - Application Development for TD-SCDMA Network , 19-21 July 2006 – 5% discount offer

TD-SCDMA is an international standard, and the first officially approved 3G standard for the mobile network in China. HKWDC, in collaboration with OGCIO and telecom industry players, will develop a programme of activities focused on TD-SCDMA, to develop local expertise in preparation for the upcoming huge 3G market in Mainland China. This training course, as an introductory part of a series of TD-SCDMA training, aims to provide an overview of TD-SCDMA technologies and skill sets for developing TD-SCDMA applications.

Details: http://www.hkwdc.org/marketing/nature_n_objective_noframe.htm

HKITF, as one of the supporting organization, **HKITF member** is offered **a 5% discount** for course enrollment. For enquiry, please contact Mr. KW Au at 2989-9164.

5 Easy ways for enrollment

(1) Telephone:+852 2788 5789, Ms. Cecilia Yuen

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(3) Website: <http://www.hktrainingonline.com>

(4) Email: cecilia@hkpc.org

(5) Mail to : Ms. Cecilia Yuen, HKPC Building, IT Industry Development Division,
78, Tat Chee Avenue, Hong Kong

[Events](#)

上海浦東專業合作發展環境說明會, July 27

Shanghai-Pudong Government and professional services union, in collaboration with Trade Development Council (TDC), will hold a Symposium on Shanghai Pudong - Hong Kong Professional Services. Details are in the following:

Date: 27 July 2006

Time: 14:30 – 16:00

Venue: 39/F, Island Shangri-La Hong Kong Hotel

For enquiry and registration, welcome to reach Ms. Shirely Lee of TDC at 2584-4520 / shirley.lee@tdc.org.hk or Mr. Leung, Business Development Manager of TDC at 2584-4180.

HKU (ECom&IComp) Experts Address, July 21

The captioned public seminar hosted by the MSc in Electronic Commerce and Internet Computing, The University of Hong Kong.

Details of the seminar:

Date & Time: July 21, 2006 (Fri), 7pm -8pm

Venue: Room 607, 6/F United Centre, Admiralty, HK

Topic: The Challenge of Managing Information Technologies /
Information Systems Work in China

Website: <http://www.ecom-icom.hku.hk/seminar/upcoming.asp>

Should you have any enquiry about the seminar, please contact at 22491870 or by email to msc@ecom-icom.hku.hk.

3G Fun Fair 飛躍 3G 火熱嘉年華, July to September 2006

Due to the great success of 3G Cyberport project implemented by **Hong Kong Wireless Technology Industry Association (WTIA)** and **Hong Kong Wireless Development Centre (HKWDC)** under fully support of HK government, Hong Kong Cyberport Management Company Limited, 3G mobile network operators, industry association and players etc..., WTIA and HKWDC are organizing an educational and promotional campaign “3G Fun Fair 飛躍 3G 火熱嘉年華” from Jul to Sept 2006 to enable industry players as well as general to get a real touch on project deliverables. The core objectives of campaign are:



- Acknowledge and showcase 15 sets of awarded 3G mobile services to foster the partnership among industry players and end-users of vertical industries
- Enable educational promotional platform for general public, especially the youth and new generation to get an in-depth awareness and usage of 3G technologies and associated services via wide array of activities, eventually create critical mass to increase data usage

Details can be referred at www.hkwdc.org/3gfunfair/html

Hong Kong Computer & Communications Festival 2006, August 25 - 28

Hong Kong Computer & Communications Festival 2006 (HKCCF) organized by The Chamber of Hong Kong Computer Industry and co-organized by Sham Shui Po District Council, will be held from 25 - 28 August 2006 at Hall 1, Hong Kong Convention & Exhibition Centre.

For Details, please visit the following website: www.hkccfexpo.com

Welcome for new members

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Affiliate Member

Ellen Yeung

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