



# Certificate Course on Road Traffic Noise Management and Assessment

#### **Programme Highlights and Course Outline**

Like other metropolitan cities, a large number of residents are affected by road traffic noise problem in Hong Kong. The government estimates that about 1.1 million people in Hong Kong are exposed daily at home to road traffic noise level exceeding 70dB(A)L<sub>10</sub>(1hr). No doubt, road traffic noise becomes the most severe environmental noise problem in Hong Kong. To keep road traffic noise at bay, road traffic noise assessment is an important component in the process to prevent the problem through planning, to abate the problem and to get public involvement because assessment including noise prediction models has to be conducted to scale the problem, to design mitigation approach and to present the effectiveness of various options.

The Hong Kong Institute of Acoustics(HKIOA) in association with Hong Kong Institution of Engineers - Mechanical, Marine, Naval Architecture and Chemical (HKIE-MMNC) Division are proud to present this course which aims at providing the local professionals with a structured frame starting from refreshing the basic concept, looking into the "Calculation of Road Traffic Noise" step by step, discuss with you some interesting cases and presenting to you the most updated and trendy assessment approach including 3D noise assessment and visualization tool. The course would also include a practical session with hands-on experience on 3D noise assessment. The outline of the course is:

Session 1 Basic Acoustics Concept

Session 2 Basic Road Traffic Noise Modeling Concept and Calculation of Road Traffic Noise Methodology

Session 3 3D Visualization Techniques for Modeling

Session 4 Practical Hands-on Experiences on 3D noise assessment and visualization tool

Session 5 Noise Assessment, Management and Mitigation in Hong Kong

Session 6 EU Noise Policy and Various Assessment Methodologies

Session 7 Noise Mapping

Session 8 Case Studies on Road Traffic Noise Assessment and end-of-course assessment

## Fee, Certificate, Language, Enquires and Registration

Certificate:	Attendance certificates will be issued by HKIOA & HKIE-MMNC Division to the participants after each session for counting in their CPD purpose.
	A Full Road Traffic Noise Assessment Certificate will be endorsed by HKIOA & HKIE-MMNC Division and issued to the participants who registered and attended all compulsory sessions and one option session and successfully passing the end-of-course appraisal and assessment.
	The Full Road Traffic Noise Assessment Certificate will be recognized as HKIOA continuous professional development specifically on road traffic noise assessment.
Fee:	For members of HKIOA and HKIE
	HK\$450 per sessions S1, S2, S3, S5, S6, S7 and S8 HK\$400 per session if applicant applied more than 4 sessions of any combination of S1, S2, S3, S5, S6, S7 and S8 HK\$1500 per S4 Practical Hands-on Experiences on 3D noise assessment and visualization tool
	HK\$350 per session of S1, S2, S3, S5, S6, S7 and S8 if applicant applied the full course
	For Other Participants HK\$600 per session of S1, S2, S3, S5, S6, S7 and S8 HK\$2500 per session S4 Practical Hands-on Experiences on 3D noise assessment and visualization tool
Enquiries and Registration:	Reservations will be confirmed upon receipt of payment and availability of places in first-come-first-served. Successful applicants will be informed via e-mail. Cheque must be made payable to 'Hong Kong Institute of Acoustics' and be sent, together with the registration form, to Miss Karis Wan. The organizing committee reserves the right to allot the registration to members of the organizing institutions in case of over subscription.
Language:	English
Course Administrator:	Miss Karis Wan Tel. 2491 4110; Email: kariswan@atal.com.hk Address: 17/F, Java Commercial Centre, 128 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong.
Deadline of application:	1/9/2008
	Course information/registration form is also available from web sites <a href="https://www.hkioa.org">www.hkioa.org</a> and <a href="https://www.hkie-mmnc.org">www.hkie-mmnc.org</a> .
The course is supported	by the Environmental Protection Department.

## **Date, Time and Venue**

Session	Topic	Date/Time/Venue	Speaker
S1 – Option	Lecture: Basic Acoustics Concept	8/9/2008 7:00pm – 9:00pm HKPC	Dr. Lixi Huang
S2 – Compulsory	Lecture: Basic Road Traffic Noise Modeling Concept and Calculation of Road Traffic Noise Methodology	10/9/2008 7:00pm – 9:00pm HKPC	Ms. Grace Kwok
S3 – Compulsory	Lecture: 3D Visualization Techniques for Modeling	12/9/2008 7:00pm – 9:00pm HKPC	Mr. Andy Chung
S4 – Compulsory	Practical Hands-on Experiences on 3D noise assessment and visualization tool	13/9/2008 9:00am – 12:00noon Chinese University of Hong Kong Room 222, Wong Foo Yuan Building, Chinese University of Hong Kong	Mr. Edmund Chu and Ir Priscilla Chan
S5 – Option	Lecture: Noise Assessment, Management and Mitigation in Hong Kong	17/9/2008 7:00pm – 9:00pm HKPC	Ir CK Lee
S6 – Option	Lecture: EU Noise Policy and Various Assessment Methodologies	19/9/2008 7:00pm — 9:00pm HKPC	Dr. CW Law
S7 – Option	Lecture: Noise Mapping	22/9/2008 7:00pm – 9:00pm HKPC	Dr. CW Law and Ms. Sharon Leung
S8 – Compulsory	Lecture: Case Studies on Road Traffic Noise Assessment and end-of-course assessment	24/9/2008 7:00pm – 9:00pm HKPC	Mr. Alvin Tse and Ir CK Lee

The organizers reserve the right to change the course topics, time and speakers

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#### Enrollment Form

Title:   Ir   Mr.   Ms.   Others:	
Full Name :	
Company :	
Position:Email:	
Tel : Fax:	
Address:	_
I am a member of:  HKIOA HKIE Non-member  Membership no.:	

I would like to enroll to the following session(s) by putting tick(s) in the last column

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S1 – Option	Lecture: Basic Acoustics Concept	8/9/2008 7:00pm — 9:00pm		
		HKPC		
S2 –	Lecture: Basic Road Traffic	10/9/2008		
Compulsory	Noise Modeling Concept	7:00pm – 9:00pm		
	and Calculation of Road	HKPC		
	Traffic Noise Methodology			
S3 –	Lecture: 3D Visualization	12/9/2008		
Compulsory	Techniques for Modeling	7:00pm – 9:00pm		
		HKPC		
S4 –	Practical Hands-on	13/9/2008		
Compulsory	Experiences on 3D noise	9:00am – 12:00noon		
	assessment and	Chinese University of Hong Kong		
	visualization tool	Room 222, Wong Foo Yuan		
		Building, Chinese University of		
		Hong Kong		
S5 – Option	Lecture: Noise Assessment,	17/9/2008		
•	Management and Mitigation	7:00pm – 9:00pm		
	in Hong Kong	HKPC		
S6 – Option	Lecture: EU Noise Policy	19/9/2008		
·	and Various Assessment	7:00pm – 9:00pm		
	Methodologies	HKPC		
S7 – Option	Lecture: Noise Mapping	22/9/2008		
•		7:00pm – 9:00pm		
		HKPC		
S8 -	Lecture: Case Studies on	24/9/2008		
Compulsory	Road Traffic Noise	7:00pm – 9:00pm		
. ,	Assessment and	HKPC		
	End-of-course assessment			

Total session(s)	Total Chec	que amount HK\$ :	

#### Notes:

- 1. Please fax the completed enrollment from to Miss Karis Wan, Fax 2984 1155, E-mail: kariswan@atal.com.hk, Address: 17/F, Java Commercial Centre, 128 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong. for reservation
- 2. Reservations will be confirmed upon receipt of payment and availability of places. Successful applicants will be informed via e-mail.
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- 7. The payment is non-refundable.