

Quantity Surveyor As Expert Witness

Conducted by

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The resolution of many construction disputes through litigation or arbitration frequently involves deciding on complex technical issues requiring specific knowledge or experience. To address this need, the parties may decide to appoint experts to give expert evidence.

The speakers will discuss the following topics:

1. Role of an expert witness
2. The history and development of expert witnesses under the common law jurisdiction
3. The duties and liabilities of the expert witness
4. How an expert witness fulfils his/her duties
5. What is the common procedure adopted in adducing expert evidence
6. Single joint expert

Mr Jeffrey Wong is a Managing Director with Secretariat, specialising in consulting on construction projects in the area of quantity surveying. Mr Wong has analysed, and prepared construction claims for complex construction projects throughout Asia and has been appointed as quantum expert and has given evidence at numerous arbitrations and litigations.

Mr Hinson Cheung is a Senior Associate in Pinsent Masons, and Solicitor Advocate specialising in construction and engineering law. He is dual-qualified as a quantity surveyor and is a member of the HKIS as well as a Fellow of the CI Arb and HKI Arb. Hinson has handled numerous arbitrations and litigations involving major infrastructure projects and is experienced in liaising with quantum, programming, structural engineering and geotechnical engineering experts. Hinson's practice also includes an established track record of health and safety and regulatory cases.

The details of the CPD as follows:

Date:	28 July 2022
Time:	7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Registration starts at 6:45 p.m.)
Venue:	BK Surco Training Centre, Suite 1908, 19/F, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai
Medium:	English
Registration Deadline:	14 July 2022
Admission:	Free for Members. \$150 for Non-Members.

Please register on-line via <http://www.cices.org.hk> or fill-in the google form at: <https://forms.gle/B437BPGpQqSuoxRN7>

Note: All delegates must complete a health declaration form, take body temperature and wear masks before entering BK SURCO Training Centre. Delegates who have a body temperature higher than 37.5°C, not wearing masks, or have been to the countries/areas with outbreaks of COVID-19 in the past 14 days (details are in accordance with the updated health quarantine announcements by Centre for Health Protection), are not allowed to enter our training centre. Delegates have to keep their masks on in the training centre.

If you have any query, please contact Ms. Cordia Yu at 2687 2267.

The numbers of places are limited, and attendance is on a first-come-first-served basis. In addition, members will have priority over non-members in the event the seminar is over-subscribed.