



CPD participants commended by EAA

(14 December 2006) The ten estate agency practitioners who have earned the highest number of points in the Estate Agents Authority's (EAA) Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Scheme were awarded a Prize of Excellence at a ceremony today.

Over 100 guests, including representatives from trade associations, estate agency firms, tertiary and training institutions, attended the ceremony.

Officiating at the ceremony, Chairman Mr Steven Poon commended all of the practitioners (**Annex 1**) for their dedication to continuous learning. Mr Poon said, "Since the CPD Scheme was launched in May 2005, the trade's response has been very supportive. I am delighted to see that the ten practitioners have achieved such good results, with two gaining more than 100 points."

The CPD Scheme encourages practitioners to participate in CPD activities and earn at least 10 CPD points every year (with at least six points from core subjects).

Mr Poon noted that the level of participation in the first CPD period, which ended on 30 September 2006, was encouraging. There were 24,656 enrolments, and 2,532 licensees had obtained 10 CPD points or more and were awarded a Certificate of Attainment.

He said, "We are particularly pleased to see an increasing number of practitioners recognise the importance of lifelong learning and the need to be well versed in related professional knowledge and skills."

During the ceremony, Mr Poon also presented prizes to the six winners (**Annex 2**) of the CPD Attainment Symbol Design Competition and thanked the adjudicators (**Annex 3**). The design competition was divided into a licensee section and non-licensee section. Three winning designs were chosen from each section. The winning design of the licensee section of the competition has been adopted as the Attainment Symbol (**Annex 4**).

Mr Poon further thanked the CPD activity providers (**Annex 5**) for their



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support during the first CPD period.

After receiving the Certificate of Attainment, practitioners can print the CPD Attainment Symbol on their business cards. They can also have the symbol printed on their Estate Agent Card upon licence renewal.

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Annex 1

The top ten CPD points earners for the first CPD Period (May 2005 – September 2006)

Rank	Licence Number	Name	Total CPD points earned
1	E-033414	Chan Wai Ngor	119
2	E-171567	Lai Kit Ming, Gloria	117.5
3	E-232803	Ma Yuet Hon	98
4	E-049910	Ng Chi Kwok	96.5
5	S-197892	Ngai King Man	84
6	S-205441	Ko Wai Kwong	83
7	S-209641	Sy Man Kart, Kenly	76
8	E-185090	Lee Tat Min	74.5
9	E-224818	Chan Yin Kwan	72
10	S-185982	Chan Wai Kwan, Andie	71



Annex 2

Panel of Adjudicators of the CPD Attainment Symbol design competition

Chairman:	Mr Joseph Tsang	Chairman of the EAA Professional Development Committee
Consultant members:	Dr Kan Tai-keung	Honorary Doctor of Design Creative Director of the Kan & Lau Design Consultants
	Mr Hon Bing-wah	Museum Honorary Advisor, Leisure and Cultural Services Department Creative Director, HS Art & Design
Panel members:	Mr Patrick Chu	Charter President of the Estate Agents Management Association Ltd.
	Ms Yuen Choi-kuen	Chief Executive Officer of the Estate Agent Association
	Mr Tony Kwok	Chairman of the Property Agencies Association Ltd.
	Mr Wan Sek-to	Vice-chairman of the Hong Kong Real Estate Agencies General Association
	Mr Liu Chi-ming	President of the New Territories Estate Agency Association Ltd
	Mr Ricky Poon	Vice-chairman of the Society of Hong Kong Real Estate Agents Ltd.
	Mr Gorman Kwong	Vice-chairman of the Hong Kong Chamber of Professional Property Consultants Ltd.



Annex 3

Winners of the CPD Attainment Symbol design competition

	Licensee Section	Non-Licensee Section
Champion	Centaline Property Agency Limited	Mr Cheung Chi-chung
First Runner-up	Mr Law Siu-lok (Midland Realty)	Mr Wu Kwok-kin
Second Runner-up	Mr Wong Ka-shing (Midland Realty)	Mr Lam Siu-wah



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CPD Attainment Symbol



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Annex 5

CPD activity providers

Agency Firms

Centaline Training Institute
Century 21 HK Limited
Hong Kong Property Professional Training Centre
Many Wells Property Agent Limited
Midland University
Ricacorp Professional Training Centre

Tertiary/Training Institutions and Other Public Organisations

Chinese University of Hong Kong (School of Continuing and Professional Studies)
City University of Hong Kong (SCOPE)
HKFTU Occupational Retraining Centre
Hong Kong College of Technology
Hong Kong Cyber U
Hong Kong Employment Development Service Limited
ICAC
Institute for Leadership & Potential Development (H.K.) Limited (Affiliated with the HK PolyU)
LexisNexis
Narcotics Division, Security Bureau
Skills Upgrading Scheme Secretariat
The University of Hong Kong (SPACE)
Vocational Training Council Institute of Professional Education And Knowledge (PEAK)
Vocational Training Council Real Estate Services Training Board



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