



General Practice Division
Sr Alnwick Chan GPD Council Chairman

GPD AGM 2023

As the final quarter of 2023 approaches, the GPD is preparing for the year-end Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Council election for the new term, both of which will take place on 15 November 2023. Please note the following key dates:

20 September

Invitations for the nomination of Council members will be sent to GPD members.

12 October

Deadline for the return of the nomination forms.

27 October

A formal AGM notice will be sent to GPD members.

15 November

The AGM and election will be held at the Surveyors Learning Centre.

20 November

The HKIS Annual Dinner will take place at the Convention Hall, HKCEC, in Wanchai.

If you have a keen interest in serving on the GPD Council, I encourage you to reach out to its Honorary Secretary, Sr Crystal Chau, at crystal.ylchau@gmail.com. Your participation and contributions will be highly valued.

Thank you for your continued support for and dedication to the GPD. I look forward to seeing you at the AGM.

HKIS Annual Conference

On 9 September, I had the pleasure of attending the HKIS Annual Conference at the Ritz-Carlton. Its theme, "Exploring Infinity with Our Expertise for an Age-Friendly Future," was inspiring because it encouraged surveying professionals to think beyond conventional boundaries and explore other possibilities to create a future that caters to the needs of all age groups.



HKIS Annual Conference 2023 Exploring Infinity with Our Expertise for an Age-friendly Future



Create Your District Competition 2023

On 16 September, I attended the presentation judging session for the Create Your District Competition 2023. It was a privilege to witness the presentations by students. The contestants exhibited creative proposals and ideas for sustainable, livable, and economically-thriving districts.



MMRM Interviews

The GPD is conducting interviews from 23 September to 14 October 2023 for RICS members who applied for membership reciprocity with the HKIS by way of the Memorandum of Mutual Recognition of Membership (MMRM). I extend my heartfelt appreciation to all members of the interview panel who graciously dedicated their time to conduct this round of MMRM interviews.



Valuation Liaison Meeting with LandsD

The GPD has established regular meetings with the Valuation Section of the Lands Department (LandsD), which have provided both parties with a valuable platform to exchange ideas. Hopefully, these meetings will enable LandsD to adjust its procedures, policies, and guidelines to create a more efficient and effective land administration system for Hong Kong.

The next meeting is scheduled for 13 November 2023, when the GPD and LandsD will address valuation-related issues. Members can e-mail any concern or issue they have to alnwickchan.hkis@gmail.com before 1 November so that it could be considered for the meeting. Your input is key to shaping positive changes for the profession.