

WORKSHOP OUTLINE

Part I Psychology of Pathological Gambling

- What is pathological gambling? When is it a problem?
- What are the causes of pathological gambling?
- Who is at risk of being affected?
- What are the general personality characteristics of pathological gamblers?
- What are the common cognitive distortions about gambling?
- What are stages of gambling?
- How can pathological gambling be treated?

Part II Prevention of Pathological Gambling for the Youth

- How to prevent the youth from developing pathological gambling?
- How to detect early signs of gambling problem?
- What should we do if someone has gambling problem?
- What social services can gamblers and their families obtain in the community?

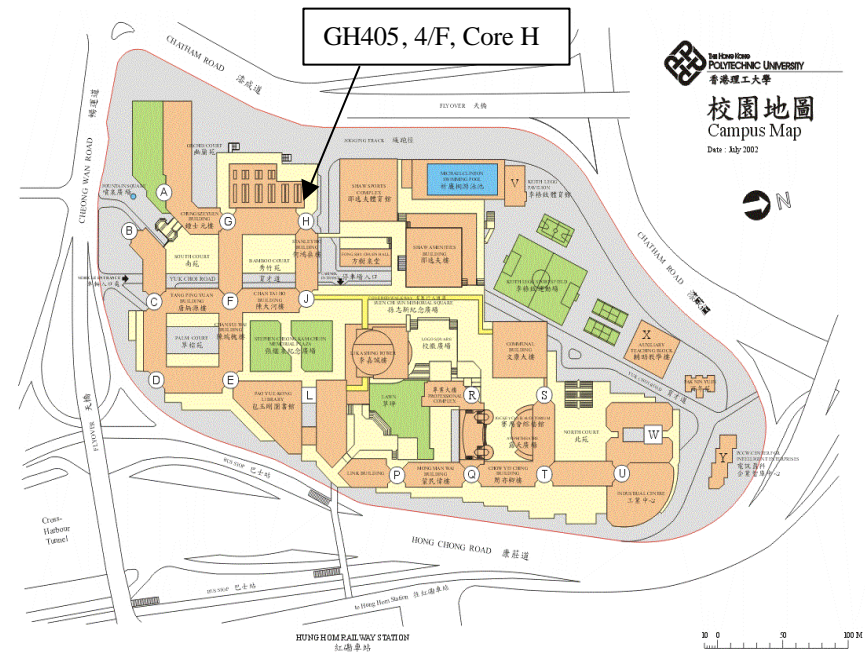
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Attendance certificate \$30

Language: Cantonese (supplemented by English)

Venue: GH405, Department of Applied Social Sciences,
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

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- working as a clinical psychologist at Correctional Services Department, responsible for rendering psychological treatment to staff with pathological gambling or other psychological problems and rendering in-services training to the staff on mental health promotion.



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