

Dear final year students,

Applications for Taking Common Recruitment Examination and Basic Law Test (Degree / Professional Grades) OUTSIDE Hong Kong

The non-local **Common Recruitment Examination and Basic Law Test (Degree / Professional Grades)** (CRE and BLT) is tentatively scheduled to be held on **5 December 2020** in seven cities outside Hong Kong, namely **Beijing, London, San Francisco, New York, Toronto, Vancouver** and **Sydney**.

The application period will be **from 26 September to 9 October 2020**. The application details and an on-line application system will be available on the Civil Service Bureau (CSB) webpage at www.csb.gov.hk/eng/cre.html during the said application period. Applicants may choose to take any of the CRE papers and / or the BLT paper in this examination. **Persons sitting the examination in Hong Kong in October this year are NOT allowed to apply for sitting the examination again outside Hong Kong.**

For the examination **outside Hong Kong**, it may only be held subject to the regulations and prevailing measures in that particular city in the light of the development of the COVID-19. If the situation warrants, the examination may be **deferred or cancelled**. Any updates of the examination arrangements will be announced on the CSB webpage. Persons who wish to take the coming CRE and BLT to be held outside Hong Kong should visit the said webpage regularly and refer to the relevant details on it.

General enquiries regarding the CRE and BLT may be directed to CSB by phone at 2537 6429 or by e-mail to csbcseu@csb.gov.hk.

Preparation for CRE/BLT

In order to help students to familiarize with the CRE/BLT format, Career Centre has scheduled a series of training workshops in September and early October. Please visit our website for online enrollment: <https://sa.hkbu.edu.hk/portal/career/enrollment/>

For enquiries related with preparations and trainings, please contact Career Centre via email at bucareer@hkbu.edu.hk or hotline at 3411-7440.

Good luck!

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