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Cyberport Career Fair 2024 Opens

Offer over 1,700 I&T Job Vacancies with AI-empowered Talent Matching

Hong Kong, 15 March 2024 – Cyberport Career Fair 2024 commenced today with **Simon Chan, Chairman of Cyberport; Dr. Charleston Sin, Director of Cyberport; and Peter Yan, CEO of Cyberport**, alongside **Professor Sun Dong, Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry; Siu Chak-ye, Commissioner of Police; Duncan Chiu, Legislative Council Member (Technology & Innovation Constituency); Shang Hailong, Legislative Council Member; Ho Kai-ming, Under Secretary for Labour and Welfare; Anthony Lau, Director of Hong Kong Talent Engage; and Kingsley Wong, Deputy Government Chief Information Officer**, inaugurating the opening ceremony.

The two-day Career Fair has received an overwhelming response and is being held in a hybrid format, featuring 100 physical company booths. Themed “Redefine the Future of Tech Jobs in the Era of AI”, the event unites over 200 Cyberport community start-ups, government departments, public organisations, as well as large and small enterprises, offering more than 1,700 job vacancies in cutting-edge technologies such as Artificial Intelligence (AI), Natural Language Processing, Web3, Blockchain, STEM education, spanning sectors such as FinTech, Smart Living and Smart City, Digital Entertainment, AI and Web3. In addition, internship opportunities are available for graduates lacking experience in I&T but keen to embark on a career in I&T. This initiative strengthens Hong Kong’s I&T talent pool and assist young individuals in their career development.

Speaking at the ceremony, the **Secretary for Innovation, Technology and Industry, Professor Sun Dong** said, “Artificial Intelligence (AI) has become a major trend in the future development of various industries. This year's career fair is themed “Redefine the Future of Tech Jobs in the Era of AI,” which perfectly aligns with the global trend of technology development. This theme encompasses two important aspects: firstly, from a recruitment perspective, it explores how job seekers or companies can leverage AI technology for more accurate and effective job matching; secondly, from a career planning point of view, it examines how we can equip ourselves to adapt to, or even stay ahead of, the opportunities and challenges presented by AI in the workplaces.”

Simon Chan, Chairman of Cyberport, remarked in his speech, “Cyberport has consistently been committed to nurturing I&T talent, inspiring young people from diverse backgrounds to join the I&T sector. We also play the role of a bridge, providing a platform that connects organisations, enterprises and young talent. The Career Fair, as the annual flagship event of the Cyberport Academy, marks its 10th anniversary this year. Over the past decade, the Career Fair has brought together more than 900 enterprises and has offered over 8,400 job

opportunities for 19,000 job seekers, continuously infusing fresh energy into the I&T industry. In the era of the digital economy, traditional industries are presented with new opportunities for transformation and upgrading. Companies and organisations across various sectors are embracing digitalisation and intelligence, contributing to the digital economy transformation in Hong Kong.”

A number of government departments and public organisations are participating in this year’s Career Fair, including the Hong Kong Police Force, the Office of the Government Chief Information Officer (OGCIO), and the Qualifications Framework. The Labour Department also participates through the Greater Bay Area Youth Employment Scheme for the very first time. These entities account for 16% of the total exhibitors. Additionally, 23% of exhibitors are Cyberport partners, including Deloitte, Hang Seng Bank, Cathay Pacific, Dah Chong Hong, and Kum Sing Group, while the remaining 61% are Cyberport community start-ups.

Furthermore, at the Career Fair, the Education Bureau and the Qualifications Framework Secretariat introduce vocational qualification pathways in the I&T industry to assist young talent in their continuous education and personal career development.

To keep pace with the trend of “competing for talent,” Cyberport has stepped out of the community by setting up dedicated web pages on recruitment websites, “TechJobAsia” and “eFinancialCareers”. This expands the recruitment network for young talent and injects vitality into the I&T ecosystem. Aligned with the theme of this year’s event, AI technology is harnessed to enhance talent-matching efficiency and open many opportunities for job seekers of diverse backgrounds. For example, Cyberport has joined hands with a Cyberport start-up, TechJobAsia, to launch “CV Clinic”, which provides an AI-enabled platform to enhance resumes and offers job-matching solutions. Collaborating with another community start-up, Datality Lab, Cyberport provides an AI-empowered interview assessment service via Cyberport’s one-stop recruitment platform “iTalent”, where job seekers can directly connect with employers through video calls to boost efficiency. Moreover, a professional portrait photography service is provided by the recruitment website “jobsdb by seek” to help job seekers make a strong impression on potential employers.

Over 100 forums, career talks, and consultation sessions are held at the Career Fair to explore the latest developments in the I&T industry, the recruitment market, and hot topics such as digital banking and finance, multimedia arts and design, cybersecurity, and ESG. Recruitment secrets and practical career tips, including employment opportunities in the Greater Bay Area and the relationship between qualification frameworks and jobs, are shared. This equips job seekers to familiarise themselves with the I&T ecosystem and its development trends, as well as to select the job that best suits them.

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About Cyberport

Cyberport is Hong Kong's digital technology flagship and incubator for entrepreneurship with over 2,000 members including over 900 onsite and over 1,100 offsite start-ups and technology companies. It is managed by Hong Kong Cyberport Management Company Limited, wholly owned by the Hong Kong SAR Government. With a vision to be the hub for digital technology, thereby creating a new economic driver for Hong Kong, Cyberport is committed to nurturing a vibrant tech ecosystem by cultivating talent, promoting entrepreneurship among youth, supporting start-ups, fostering industry development by promoting strategic collaboration with local and international partners, and integrating new and traditional economies by accelerating digital transformation in public and private sectors.

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