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‘FinTech Anti-epidemic Scheme for Talent Development’ Opens for Further Applications

Hong Kong, 18 July 2022 – Cyberport has announced that the “FinTech Anti-epidemic Scheme for Talent Development” (FAST), commissioned by the Financial Services and Treasury Bureau and established under the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) Government’s Anti-epidemic Fund, is now open for further applications from eligible FinTech companies, benefiting more enterprises in need and generating more opportunities for talents locally and from other places wishing to join the FinTech industry.

The last round of the application received overwhelming response, with over 700 jobs created, and many talents recruited being young people. The new round of FAST’s application is open to companies engaged in FinTech-related business with physical presence in Hong Kong. Applicants must be Hong Kong-registered companies or organisations which commenced operations before 1 January 2022 and have not obtained subsidy from the Scheme previously.

Each company or organisation can apply for one subsidised position, which should be created on or after 18 July 2022 for an employment period not less than 12 months. The nature of the work should be directly related to the company’s core businesses, covering designated areas such as product development, business development, information technology, legal affairs, compliance, risk management, marketing and design. The Cyberport team will assess the eligibility of companies and their newly created positions. The results of the assessment are expected to be announced within six weeks of receipt of all required documents. This round of FAST is open for applications until 11:59 am on 18 October 2022, and will close upon reaching the quota under the scheme.

FinTech companies interested in applying for FAST can submit applications and supporting documents on the FAST portal (<http://fast.cyberport.hk/>) from noon on 18 July. FinTech companies are also welcome to send enquiries via email (fast@cyberport.hk).

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