

APCA Counselling Intern

Promote to Registered Counsellor:

Criteria:

Obtained at least 250 hours of individual face to face counselling OR at least 400 hours of face to face group counselling with regular clinical supervision within the period as a Counselling Intern.

**Applicant who promote to registered counselor is required to fill out the form with supporting documentation attached for approval*

Procedure:

- 1. Fill in the application form (the form can be obtained and download at <http://www.apca-counselling.com/>).*
- 2. A formal reference letter from your agency or clinical supervisor indicating:
 - ✓ *Your current job position and job nature.*
 - ✓ *Individual face to face counselling hours or Group face to face counselling hours in which you have completed.*
 - ✓ *The frequency of your clinical supervision received within the period as a Counselling Intern.**
- 3. Please make cheque with the corresponding fee (payment depends on the date you submit your application) payable to "**Asian Professional Counselling Association (H.K.) Limited**" and mail to Department of Counselling and Psychology, Hong Kong Shue Yan University, 10 Wai Tsui Crescent, Braemar Hill, North Point, Hong Kong, C/O Miss Ceci Lee.*
- 4. OR bank-in the corresponding fee to (Hong Kong bank: 808-021620-292) and mail the payment slip together with the documents mentioned above to Department of Counselling and Psychology, Hong Kong Shue Yan University, 10 Wai Tsui Crescent, Braemar Hill, North Point, Hong Kong, C/O Miss. Ceci Lee*
- 5. ***No cash will be accepted.***

Summary

As a Counselling Intern :	
Benefit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Obtain qualified clinical supervision organized by APCA ● Can directly promote to a Registered Counselor with discount after fulfilling the criteria of Registered Counsellor within a certain period of time.
Criteria	Fresh Graduate in Counselling and/or Psychology OR Counselling practitioner with honors diploma or above in other mental health related (e.g. social work, psychology, family therapy, occupational therapy, nursing) areas AND have taken a number of Counselling Courses which approved by APCA is now practicing not more than 250 hours of individual counselling OR not more than 400 hours of group counselling with supervision at the time of application.
Application Fee	HK\$400.- including the annual membership fee (Membership year is from graduation to 31 December of the following year.)
Promote to a Registered Counselor Criteria	Obtained at least 250 hours individual face to face counselling OR 400 hours group counselling with regular clinical supervision within the period as a Counselling Intern.
Registration Fee	<i>For the current internship period:</i> HK\$400. – for registration payment received within the Counselling Intern Membership period.
	<i>For the year following the current internship period:</i> HK\$800. - for registration payment received after the Counselling Intern Membership period.