

Hong Kong Academy of Finance's 2025 intake of Financial Leaders Programme is open for application

The following is issued on behalf of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority:

The Hong Kong Academy of Finance (AoF) announces that the 2025 intake of the Financial Leaders Programme (FLP) is open for application today (November 5). Designed for promising financial talents that are approximately two levels below the CEO position, the FLP offers a transformative experience that lasts approximately nine months on a part-time basis. The upcoming FLP will commence in April 2025.

The FLP has been running for three years and has received very positive feedback from various stakeholders. With the support from the financial regulators in Hong Kong (Note) and the participating financial institutions, the FLP has successfully inspired and equipped the participants with the strategic mindset necessary to tackle complex challenges in today's financial industry. Participants also benefited from engaging in high-level dialogues with top leaders across various sectors and expanding their professional networks.

Application will open between November 5 and December 15, 2024. Further information about the FLP, including [feedback from past participants](#) and the application form, are available from the [AoF website](#).

The Chairman of the AoF and Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority, Mr Eddie Yue, said, "To ensure Hong Kong continues to thrive as an international financial centre, it is essential that we keep on cultivating visionary leaders equipped with the skills and insights to navigate today's ever evolving industry landscape. FLP has contributed greatly to the development of future leaders in Hong Kong's financial services sector. I strongly recommend this unique leadership programme and encourage aspiring financial talents to seize the opportunity to join."

Note: Namely the Hong Kong Monetary Authority, the Securities and Futures Commission, the Insurance Authority and the Mandatory Provident Fund Schemes Authority