

Travel Industry Authority
Pre-examination Training Courses of Tourist Guides
Categories of Recognised Certificates and Relevant Organisations

	<u>Categories</u>	<u>Certificate</u>	<u>Issued by</u>	<u>Examination to be attended</u>		
				<u>Tour Guiding Concept (Written Examination)</u>	<u>Knowledge of Hong Kong and Mainland China (Written Examination)</u>	<u>Road Test (Practical Examination)</u>
1	I	Certificate of the "Tour Coordinator Certificate Course" (course discontinued)	Hong Kong Tourism Board (formerly known as "Hong Kong Tourist Association"), Hong Kong Institute of Vocational Education (IVE) (Chai Wan) (formerly known as "Hong Kong Technical College (Chai Wan)") and Hong Kong Association of Registered Tour Coordinators	x	√	x
2	II	Higher Diploma in Travel and Tourism (course discontinued)	Hong Kong Institute of Vocational Education (IVE)	x	√	√
3		Higher Diploma in Travel and Tourism Management (course discontinued)				
4		Higher Diploma in Tourism and MICE (Travel Industry Management Stream)				
5		Diploma in Travel and Tourism (course discontinued)	Hong Kong Institute of Vocational Education (IVE) (Haking Wong) (formerly known as "Haking Wong Technical Institute")			
6		Vocational Certificate in Inbound Travel Operations (course discontinued)				
7		Certificate in Travel and Tourism (course discontinued)				
8		Certificate for Tourism Co-ordination Officers (course discontinued)				
9		Certificate in Tour Coordination (course discontinued)	The Hotel and Tourism Institute (formerly known as "Hospitality Industry Training and Development Centre")			
10		Certificate of the "Tour Guide and Service Culture" course (course discontinued)				
11		Advanced Certificate in Tour Guide and Service Culture (course discontinued)				
12	Diploma in Tour Service and Travel Agency Operations					
13	III	Certificate of the "Tour Coordinator Training Course" (course discontinued)	Hong Kong Tourist Association (now known as "Hong Kong Tourism Board")	x	√	√
14	IV	Certificate of the "Pre-service Tourist Guide Training Course" (course discontinued)	Relevant training institutions	√	√	√
15		Certificate of the Pre-examination training courses for tourist guides				

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16	<u>V</u>	Certificate of the "SUS In-service Tour Guide Training Course" (course discontinued)	Skills Upgrading Scheme (SUS) for the Travel Industry and relevant training institutions	√	√	√
17		Composite Certificate of the SUS Integrated Tour Guide Training Course, or Testimonial of Studies of the "Tour Guide Training Course" module of the SUS Integrated Tour Guide Training Course (course discontinued)	Skills Upgrading Scheme (SUS) for the Travel Industry			
18		Certificate of the "SUS Tour Guide Training Course (II)" (course discontinued)	Skills Upgrading Scheme (SUS) for the Travel Industry and relevant training institutions			
19		Certificate in Tourist Guide Training (Part-time) (known as Module Certificate in Tourist Guide Training before 1 April 2014) (course discontinued)	Employees Retraining Board's Skills Upgrading Scheme Plus and relevant training institutions			
20	<u>VI</u>	Bachelor's degree or above in any discipline	Relevant institutions	√	√	√