



Singapore Association of Administrative Professionals



Gemology Workshop @ Far East Gemological Institute

Saturday, 26 June 2010, 1:30 pm to 5 pm

Fancy choosing a gemstone like sapphire, ruby, topaz and many more others? SAAP brings you the **Gemology Workshop** ideal for both gemstone enthusiasts and gemstone lovers to appreciate the amazing properties of gemstones as well as to equip you with some basic skills...

- 1) Introduction to gemstones - its beauty and rarity.
- 2) What's in a gemstone? - Colour, Clarity, Cut and Carat weight
- 3) Can gemstone be an investment?
- 4) Identifying natural gemstone from imitations.
- 5) Practical hands-on on identification.



About your Instructor



Graduated from NUS with a Bachelor of Science, **Ms. Loke Huiying** entered the gems and jewellery trade in 2007. She started out by taking up courses at Far East Gemological Institute, and completed the 5 Foundation courses namely, Basic and Advanced Gem Identification, Basic and Advanced Diamond, Jade treatment courses.

In year 2008, she completed the FGA(London) Foundation in Gemology Course which led her to complete the FGA(London) Diploma in Gemology in 2009. She has been teaching the basic gemology classes at

Far East Gemological Institute since year 2009. In year 2010, she developed the WSQ Provide Advice for Diamond Products course and has conducted the course for jewellers as well as the public.

In the year 2000, Far East Gemological Institute (FEGI) opened its doors to professionals, jewellers and gem enthusiasts to an unparalleled opportunity to expand their knowledge and experience. Since then, they have trained staff from many reputable jewellery companies such as Chopard, BVLGARI, Tiffany & Co., Lee Hwa Jewellery, On Cheong Jewellery and Poh Heng Jewellery, just to name a few. Apart from them, professionals and members of the public have attended their courses too.

*Far East Gemological Institute has extended a special rate to SAAP (public rate is \$90). SAAP members: \$60.00 and Non members: \$65.00. The maximum capacity for this workshop is 16 participants. Registration is based on first-come-first served. To avoid disappointment, please send your registration form together with your payment on or before **Thursday, 17 June 2010**. If you have any queries, please contact our **Hon Secretary, Ms Josephine Kwan** at 97124768 or email: admin@saap.org.sg.*