

The Construction Industry Council (CIC) was formed on 1 February 2007 under the Construction Industry Council Ordinance (Cap. 587). Our Mission is to strengthen the sustainability of the construction industry in Hong Kong by providing a communication platform, striving for continuous improvement, increasing awareness of health and safety, as well as improving skills development.



The CIC is looking for various highly talented individuals to fill the position of:

## Research Specialist – Construction Innovation and Technology Application Centre (CITAC)

## The applicant must possess

- (1) a recognised degree, preferably with post-graduate qualifications in engineering / surveying / architecture / science or other construction relevant disciplines. The post-graduate studies preferably be related to construction innovations in the areas of Lean Construction, Design for Manufacture and Assembly, New Materials Solutions, Robotic or other Automation Solutions, Information Technology and Big Data Analytics Solutions, etc.;
- (2) a minimum of 5 years' post-qualification work experience in research / engineering / surveying / architecture / science or other construction related fields:
- (3) relevant exposure / experiences to construction innovative technologies and proven success of promoting the implementation of such in the construction industry is highly preferable;
- (4) a high level of integrity and a sense of responsibility;
- (5) good networking capabilities and be able to establish strong working relationships with government, the construction industry and other major stakeholders with the view of encouraging the industry to adopt best practices;
- (6) excellent organisational skills, proactive working attitude and strong interpersonal and communication skills; and
- (7) good command of both written and spoken English and Chinese.

(Applicants who do not possess the required qualifications and / or experience may be considered for other positions within the organisation.)

## **Duties include**

The incumbent is expected to provide support to the Chief Executive Officer or Senior Manager of the Construction Innovation and Technology Application Centre (CITAC) in the following aspects:

- (1) to take up the research duties with the initiatives for enhancing the performance and competitiveness of the construction industry;
- (2) to assist in the set-up of the Construction Innovation and Technology Application Centre (CITAC) and to support and administer the daily operation of CITAC once it is put into operation;
- (3) to carry out in-house research or to oversee research and consultancy projects funded by CIC with the view to improve construction productivity and safety performance through the development and implementation of innovative technologies and ideas in construction practices;
- (4) to liaise with the government departments and industry stakeholders for the promulgation and implementation of research outcomes, with a view to encourage the adoption of new technology and innovative ideas to enhance the development of the industry;
- (5) to prepare work plans, study briefs, research reports and papers, guidelines and standards, documents of technical nature as well as any other relevant documents for enhancing the innovation performance of the industry;
- (6) to provide secretarial support to the Management Board on Construction Innovation and Technology Application Centre and to assist in the implementation of decisions and recommendations of the Management Board;
- (7) to provide support to the CIC, its committees and task forces in undertaking research assignments; and
- (8) to carry out any other duties as assigned from time to time by the Executive Director.

## **Applications**

The position is on a renewable fixed-term contract (subject to performance and operational needs) for a period of 2 years.

Please send an updated curriculum vitae, the results of English and Chinese Language obtained in public examinations, current and expected salary together with a covering letter stating one's suitability for the job and quoting the job reference number (17 / RS – CITAC – 115K) to <a href="mailto:hrdm@cic.hk">hrdm@cic.hk</a> or by mail to the address below on or before 7 July 2017. For further details on CIC please refer to website: <a href="http://www.cic.hk">http://www.cic.hk</a>.

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