



# Navigating through the Murky Waters of Design Liability

conducted by

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#### **Contents:**

The recent cases provide useful guidance of the obligations and liabilities of Construction Professionals in relation to design, including the "Fit for Purpose" obligation and the duty to advise on costs between different parties. This seminar intends to shed light on the increasing importance of the Quantity Surveyor's role in design in light of the latest case law and attempts to impart practical tips that may be of use to a Quantity Surveyor when advising parties on construction costs.

#### Speaker:

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Date:	26 <sup>th</sup> July 2018
Time:	7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Registration starts at 6:45pm)
Venue:	BK Surco Training Centre, Suite 1908, 19/F, Hopewell Centre,
	183 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hong Kong
Medium:	English
Registration Deadline	21 <sup>st</sup> July 2018
Admission:	Free (ICES and AES members), \$150 (non-ICES members), (HK\$20 walk in surcharge applies)

Please register on-line via <u>http://www.cices.org.hk</u>or fax your reply form to 2687 2252. If you are a non-ICES member, please send your reply form and cheque by post to Suite 1901-02, 19/F, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hong Kong. For enquiries, please contact Ms. Cordia Yu (Tel: 2687 2267).

The numbers of places are limited and attendance is on a first-come-first-served basis. In addition, members will have priority over nonmembers in the event the seminar is over-subscribed.

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