

**Press Release** 

## **Immediate Release**

## STC and HKCC Awarded "Testing and Certification Manpower Development Corporate Award" and "Excellent Testing and Certification Professional Award"

[Hong Kong, 22 December 2021] Organized by the <u>Hong Kong Council for Testing and Certification</u> (<u>HKCTC</u>), the grand award ceremony of the <u>Testing and Certification Manpower Development Award Scheme</u> 2021-22 took place this afternoon. This year, STC (Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre) and <u>HKCC (Hong Kong Certification Centre</u>) won the "Testing and Certification Manpower Development Corporate Award". Additionally, our Technical Officer of the <u>Toys and Children's Products Testing Department</u>, Ms. Sandy Lam, was accredited the "Excellent Testing and Certification Professional Award". Both awards recognized the marvelous efforts that STC has invested in manpower development in the testing, inspection and certification sector. Representing STC and HKCC, Human Resources Manager, Ms. Ada Chan, accompanied Ms. Sandy Lam to attend the ceremony and accepted the awards.

This year, HKCTC launched the first "Testing and Certification Manpower Development Award Scheme" (the Award Scheme) to recognize testing and certification (T&C) bodies which attached great importance to talent training and manpower development, as well as encouraging T&C practitioners to strive for improvement and professional development.

Since the establishment, STC has been providing professional, reliable and all-rounded testing, inspection and certification services to support the rapid growth of industrial development and world trade activities. Our mission is to serve the community, including manufacturers, consumers and the Government, by continuously improving product quality and safety. Hence, STC is committed to developing our staff by encouraging them to participate in work-related training, seminars, conferences and workshops; offering support when staff endeavor higher academic background and obtain professional qualifications. STC promises to continue allocating resources in fostering manpower and professional development in the testing, inspection and certification sector.

## About STC

Established in 1963, STC (Hong Kong Standards and Testing Centre) is Hong Kong's first independent, not-for-profit testing, inspection and certification organization. STC offers a wide range of conformity assessment services on products covering Toys, Children's products, Textile, Apparel, Footwear, Furniture, Electrical and Electronic Products, Medical Devices, Food as well as Chemical and Pharmaceutical products. In order to meet the global demand for testing and certification services, not only has STC set up testing facilities and customer service offices in China's major cities such as Dongguan, Shanghai, Changzhou, Guangxi and Heilongjiang, but it also has branches in countries like Vietnam, Japan, the USA and Germany.

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