

## **Hong Kong National Culinary Team won Gold Medal in Singapore**

The Hong Kong Chefs Association sent a team of promising young chefs to Singapore to participate in The Gourmet Team Challenge in April 2012. It was the first time Hong Kong Chefs Association participated in an international competition outside Hong Kong and they won the Gold Medal!

The culinary team comprised of twelve professional chefs from various top hotels, and two representatives from the Institute of Vocational Education (HKIVE). Mr Francis Lo, Lecturer of HoSTS Department from IVE (Chai Wan) and Mr Cassim Chu, Teaching Associate of HoSTS Department from IVE (Haking Wong) represented IVE HoSTS Discipline to take up this international challenge. Although the team needed to cope with unexpectedly stringent requirements in cooking utensils and ingredients, after 60 hours of solid hard work, they came out with flying colors!

Our heartiest congratulations go to the team for their great performance that won distinguished accolades for Hong Kong. We are particularly proud of the two IVE representatives in the team. Surely students and colleagues all look forward to sharing their joy and unique experience in classrooms and other campus occasions.





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