

# Certified Cognitive Stimulation Therapy – Hong Kong (CST-HK) Practitioner Training Course for Speech Therapists and Speech Therapy Students

## Lead Trainer

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## Course Description

### Cognitive Stimulation Therapy (CST)

is an evidence-based intervention for enhancing cognition and quality of life in people with dementia. This Certified CST-HK course is co-organised by the International CST Centre of *University College London*, the Department of Social Work and Social Administration of *The University of Hong Kong*, and the Speech Therapy Unit of *The Hong Kong Polytechnic University*.

#### Course objectives:

1. To reflect on different perspectives and psychosocial approaches of dementia
2. To understand how CST was designed and evaluated
3. To appreciate the effect and key principles of CST
4. To be familiar with the CST sessions
5. To apply key principles of CST during its implementation
6. To develop a plan for running CST groups in work settings of speech therapists

**Date 9 March 2024 (Sat)**

**Time 09:00 to 13:00 & 14:00 to 18:00**

**Venue PolyU campus**

**Course Fee  
HK\$1,740**

**Medium of Instruction**  
Cantonese supplemented by English  
Study materials in English/Chinese

**CPD Accreditation**  
8 CPD-ST points awarded by HKIST

## Enquiries

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## Mode of Training

Lecture, group discussions, brainstorming activities, role-playing

Class size: 40

- Speech Therapy Unit reserves the right to cancel any courses and to make variations to the schedules, venues, contents, and mode of delivery of the course offered
- Enrolment priority will be given to PolyU Honorary Clinical Supervisor of the Master of Speech Therapy programme
- Upon successful course completion, each participant will be awarded a **certificate of "Certified CST-HK Practitioner"** and a **FREE copy of CST Practitioner Manual published by HKU Press**

\*To register, upload of credentials as a qualified speech therapist or proof as a speech therapy student is required



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