Guideline for Featuring QF in Certificates

Qualifications Framework
The Qualifications Framework (QF) is established by the Secretary for Education under the Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications Ordinance to provide a platform to promote lifelong learning. It is a hierarchy to order and support qualifications in the academic, vocational and professional, and continuing education sector.

Featuring QF in Certificates
To promote wider awareness and transparency of QF in Hong Kong, education and training providers are encouraged to feature key elements of QF in the certificates awarded to graduates of learning programmes that have been accredited under QF and are within the validity period. The key elements include the QF logo, the QF level of the learning programme and its registration number on the Qualifications Register (QR).

QF Logo
The logo is a trademark designed to signify and represent QF. The logo may be used in the promotion and publicity of QF. The logo has been registered by the Secretary for Education under the Trademark Ordinance, Cap 559. The QF logo should not be used in any way which would cause damage to the reputation of the QF. The design and colour of the QF logo as shown in Annex 1 should be followed.

The use of the QF logo is subject to the discretion of the Secretary for Education. The Secretary may at any time withdraw permission for using the QF logo.

QF Level (資歷架構級別)
The QF Level shown on the certificate must be the same as that shown on the QR.
**QR Registration Number (資歷名冊登記號碼)**

The QR Registration Number shown on the certificate must be the same as that shown on the QR.

While education and training providers may design their own certificates, they are encouraged to show all three key elements of QF (i.e. QF logo, QF level and QR registration number) and position them to be logically seen as one set of information on the certificates. Some examples are provided in Annex 2 for reference.
The Use of the QF Logo

Solid Colour Version

Process Colour Version

Pantone Colour Version

ANNEX 1
Example 1

終身學習進修中心
Lifelong Learning Centre for Education

茲證明
This is to certify that

文開心
Happy Man

成功修畢 XXXX 文憑
has successfully completed Diploma in XXXX

xxxxxxx                    YYYYY
學術總監                    教務長
Academic Director           Registrar

1st May 2019                二零一九年五月一日

資歷名冊登記號碼: 資歷架構級別
QR Registration Number: 13/00xx00/L3   QF Level  3
Learn and Experience College

This is to certify that

Jason Shine

has successfully completed the course of

Advanced Certificate in XXXX
(QF Level 4)

xxxxxxx
Principal

1st May 2019

資歷名冊登記號碼
QR Registration Number: 15/00yy11/L4
This is to certify that

Ginger Wei

has successfully completed the course of

Certificate in XXXX

xxxxxxx
Principal

1st May 2019

校長

二零一九年五月一日

Certificate in XXXX is a QF-recognised programme at QF Level 2.