## **Insurance Law**

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This course is intended to serve as a general introduction to the essential elements of insurance law.

## This course covers:

- The operation and regulation of the insurance market in Hong Kong, including under the new Independent Insurance Authority
- The doctrines of 'Insurable Interest' and 'Utmost Good Faith'
- Specific terms of insurance contracts and how they differ from those in other contracts
- How claims are made by policyholders and dealt with by insurers
- The rights of insurers, including subrogation and contribution
- The role of insurance brokers and agents

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