# 2018 English Drama Fest



Organised by the Association of English Medium Secondary Schools

## **DRAMA WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS**

Instructor:	Mr. Mill Ho from Theatre Noir
Date:	20 <sup>th</sup> January, 2018 (Saturday)
Time:	14:00 – 18:00 (4 hrs.)
Venue:	Loft Stage, Diamond Hill

1-2 teachers from each school may apply. The course is free for 2 teachers if their school takes part in the 2018 English Drama Fest and it is free for 1 teacher if his/her school does not take part. A brief bio of the drama instructor Mr. Mill Ho is attached.

<u>Complete this form and email it to Ms. Judy Leung of St. Stephen's College at</u> judyleungaemss@gmail.com on or before 8 December 2017 (Friday) to reserve places.

Teachers will **NOT** receive individual confirmation. They should check the name lists posted on the AEMSS website at <u>www.emi.edu.hk</u> in January 2018. In the event that a teacher cannot attend a workshop, **he/she should find a replacement so that valuable resources are not wasted**.

Name	Email address	Mobile no.
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Name of School:

Our school is <u>\*participating / not participating</u> in the 2018 English Drama Fest. (\*delete as appropriate)

### Profile of Instructor -- Mill Ho

Mr Mill Ho is a drama educator, producer, director and actor. Mill received his MFA (Drama and Theatre Education) at Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts. In 1990, he graduated from HKAPA Drama School. For consecutive two years in 1989 & 1990, he received the school's scholarships and was awarded the Best Male Actor Award.

Mill has had a long and successful career in drama and acting. He was a TVB actor from 1990 to 1996. He continued his career in acting after leaving TVB and has been performing in over 200 TV, film and drama production. He has also produced and directed over 100 productions.

In drama education, he has served as the lead tutor and programme designer for over 200 schools in Hong Kong, Macau, and China. He is also a trainer at TVB Hong Kong and Red One Entertainment Academy. For the last 20 years, he has served on the judging panels for numerous drama competitions and drama festivals.

#### Address of Training Venue

3/F, Startex Industrial Building, 14 Tai Yau Street, San Po Kong, Kowloon, Hong Kong.

#### **Workshop Description and Outline**

The 2018 Teacher's Workshop will focus on Acting Skills Coaching and Directing.

In the first half of the workshop, this focus is on how teachers can polish students' acting skills in understanding the characters and bringing the characters to life, particularly on the use of physical and vocal skills.

The second half of the workshop explores how teachers can more effectively direct and produce a drama.

More specifically, the workshop aims at enhancing the knowledge and abilities in:

- (1) How to coach and evaluate actors
- (2) How to create a truthful character
- (3) How to train a strong and flexible body and voice
- (4) How to do good staging and blocking
- (5) How to cater drama teaching to a diverse group