

**CDC-HKEAA Committee on
Business, Accounting and Financial Studies (2013-2015) &
HKDSE Business, Accounting and Financial Studies Subject Committee (2013-14)**

Gist of 2nd Joint Meeting

Date of meeting: 24th March 2014 (Monday)

Salient points of the discussion:

1. The Minutes of 1st Joint Meeting were confirmed with no amendment.
2. Members were briefed on the views collected in FGIs conducted from December 2013 to March 2014 as well as the findings of the principal and teacher surveys conducted in January and February 2014 respectively.
3. The Meeting discussed and agreed to propose the following recommendations to be considered by the CDC-PEB Joint Meeting:
 - Separate grading and reporting of the BAFS subject results to be adopted with effect from 2015 HKDSE Examination.
 - The curriculum and assessment framework of the trimmed BAFS curriculum with the first examination in 2016 to be closely monitored and reviewed.
 - CDI & HKEAA to start the ground work for developing the separate subject(s). The ultimate way forward would be subject to thorough discussion and consultation by the end of 2016.
4. Timeline for the recommendations was discussed.
5. Members were informed that a briefing session on results of the surveys and recommendations for the medium-term review would be held on 8th May 2014.