

# Certification Course for Piling Personnel under SAC Piling Certification Scheme with CT31 & CT32



## Introduction / Objective

The course aims to provide the necessary training for the key supervisory personnel for piling industry. It also serves to certify the trained candidate to be qualified to serve in the piling industry as technical manager, piling engineer, site operation supervisor, certification body technical auditor, and other relevant position, as required by Singapore Accreditation Council (SAC) CT31 and CT32 on Certification on Specialist Builders (Piling) Scheme.

This course is one of the key components in "Certification on Specialist Builders (Piling) Scheme" contributes toward enhancing the piling professionalism, improving quality of piling works for safety of buildings on piles, and ensuring competencies of the piling companies in Singapore.

## Course Outline

- Introduction on Pile Foundation
- Operation and Maintenance of Piling Machinery
- Pre-operation Preparation Work
- Pile Installation Work
- Quality Check and Testing
- Manage Piling Record

## Who should attend?

### **For attending and passing the test:**

Certified Piling Personnel (CPP): Piling Site Supervisor, Piling Technical Managers, Piling Engineers; Qualified Piling Professionals (QPP); Certification Bodies (Technical Expert) and Piling Auditor.

### **For general groups who have interest to attend:**

Developers, Consultants, PE(Geo), General Contractors, Certification Bodies (Auditor), Piling Supervisors, Assistant Engineers, Piling Engineers, Resident Engineers, Public Officers involved in piling approvals, supervision/management, etc.

## Lecturer



**Dr Ting Seng Kiong** is a registered Professional Engineer in Singapore and has been involved in numerous structural and geotechnical consultancy. He graduated with First Class Honours in Civil Engineering from Monash University, Australia under the President's and Colombo Plan scholarships. He has a Master of Engineering from the National University of Singapore. He obtained his Master of Science in Civil Engineering and Doctor of Science in Structural Engineering from Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is currently the immediate past president of the Society of Project Managers (SPM) Singapore. He is on the Development Projects Advisory Panel of the Centre for Public Project Management (CP2M) under the Ministry of Finance. He is a member of the SAC-BCA Piling Workgroup.



## Course Details

**Date:** 2 & 8 May 2025

**Duration:** 2 days (12 hours)

**Time:**  
9:00am to 4:00pm

**Venue:** **IES Academy@Jurong East**  
Devan Nair Institute for  
Employment and Employability,  
80 Jurong East Street 21, #04-10  
Singapore 609607

**CPD:** 11 PDU / 12 STU (Stru)

**Fee:** S\$916.00 (inclusive of 9% GST)

## TEST & AWARD

Participants must achieve at least 75% attendance to sit for the test at end-of-course. Those who pass the test will be awarded the e-Certificate of Completion.

**Contact person:**  
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## Course Schedule

Day 1	Topic
9:00am – 12:00pm	1. Introduction on Pile Foundation 1.1 Function of Piles 1.2 Types of Piles 1.3 Basic Design Concept 1.4 Maintenance of Machinery 1.5 Personnel 1.6 Pre-Operation Preparation Works
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm – 4:00pm	2. Pile Installation Work 2.1 Driven Piles 2.2 Jack-in Piles 2.3 Micropiles

Day 2	Topic
9:00am – 12:00pm	2. Pile Installation Work 2.4 Diaphragm Walls 2.5 Sheet Piles 2.6 Bored Pile
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm – 3:00pm	3. Quality Check, Testing and Records 3.1 Eccentricity and Verticality Check 3.2 Diameter and Concrete Volume Check 3.3 PDA 3.4 PIT 3.5 Coring and Sonic Testing (pre-prepared) 3.6 Managing Records
3.00pm – 3.15pm	Break
3:15pm – 4:00pm	45 Minutes Test (10 MCQs + 5 Short Questions)

## **Re-fresher for Piling Site Supervisor**

For Piling Supervisors only who fail the Course Assessment Test, you are required to attend this session before taking the **Re-Assessment on the separate given date:**

8:30am – 10:30am	Self-revision at IESA test Centre
10:30am - 11:30am	Q&A, Clarification with Course Instructor
11:30am - 12:30pm	Re-assessment

**Fees:** \$272.50 (include re-assessment fees and GST)

**Date:** 10 Jun 2025

## **Registration**

**For Certification Course for Piling Personnel (Piling Supervisor, Piling Engineers, Technical Managers) Qualified Piling Professionals (QPP), CB-Technical Experts and Piling Auditors**

**Date:** 2 & 8 May 2025

**Time:** 9:30am to 4:30pm - Classroom training

**Fees (inclusive of 9% GST):** S\$916.00

**Venue:** IES Academy@Jurong East

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Please note that Piling Contractors and other participants shall get themselves familiarized with the requirement on Section 5 & Table 5.1 of CT32: SAC Criteria for Specialist Builders (SB) - Piling Works (PW); particularly for meeting requirements on qualification and piling experience. Attending the Course and passing the Test is only partial fulfillment for registration as Certified Piling Personnel (CPP) of Piling Contractors with IES/GeoSS after successfully passing the Test.

Piling Contractors are also advised to apply to Certification Body (CB)-Piling Works, whenever they are ready to be audited and certified as SB (PW).

Please note that QPP cannot be appointed as CB (Technical Expert); CB(Technical Expert) cannot serve as QPP for the SB(PW) at the same time. Please register with IES/GeoSS accordingly after successfully passing the Test for the registry of QPP and CB (Technical Expert) and Piling Auditor whenever applicable.

Certification Bodies are to be accredited by SAC Accreditation Panel accordingly under CT31 for an Accreditation Scheme for Certification Bodies.

Please fill up the forms according to your plan to apply to the Registry under SAC CT31 or CT32. This must also be in accordance with your academic qualification and years of experience in piling works; and **NOT** according to your current job designation.

**Registration for Certified Piling Personnel (CPP):**

<https://form.jotform.com/250781285036458>

**Registration for Qualified Piling Professionals (QPP):**

<https://form.jotform.com/250781489794475>

**Registration for Certification Body (CB) - Technical Expert (TE):**

<https://form.jotform.com/250780915012451>

**Registration for Certification Body (CB) - Piling Auditor (PA):**

<https://form.jotform.com/250780742204452>