

Weiqi Workshop

圍棋入門班

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The origins of Weiqi are shrouded in the mists of ancient Chinese history, but the game is thought to have originated over 4000 years ago. The ancients often used the Four Arts - Guqin, Chess, Calligraphy and Painting - to represent the four main academic and artistic accomplishments required of the ancient Chinese scholar, and the Chess refers to Weiqi. The rules of Weiqi are simple, but the gameplay is ever-changing. This course will introduce a brief history and the rules of Weiqi to participants, as well as teaching them the fundamental techniques to play the game.

Mr Ho Kwai-cheung is a certified Weiqi coach approved by the Hong Kong Go Association, who has practised Weiqi for more than ten years, and He has a deep understanding of the history and culture of Weiqi. He has acted as co-ordinator for the highest level of competition in Hong Kong - the Hong Kong Amateur Weiqi Open and has been among the top eight winners in the Hong Kong Weiqi Open. He has also played for Hong Kong in international tournaments.

圍棋起源於中國，相傳已有四千多年的歷史。古人常以「琴棋書畫」描述一個人的文化修養。其中「棋」就是指圍棋。圍棋規則簡單而易學，但奕棋之法卻千變萬化，它將智力、藝術和競技三者融為一體。本課程將介紹圍棋簡史及規則，學員會掌握圍棋做活、打劫和計算勝負的基本實戰技巧。學員透過學習圍棋，可以提高抽象思維、全局觀的能力，進而提陞對勝負得失視若等閒的胸懷。

何桂璋導師持有由香港圍棋協會認可之導師牌照，何氏習弈十餘年，對棋藝的歷史文化有深厚的認識，曾負責統籌全港最高水平的香港業餘圍棋公開賽。他並多次獲得香港圍棋公開賽前八名，並曾代表香港出賽。

