

Talk and Demonstration on Chinese Tea Exploring the Chinese Tea Culture

中國茶藝講座及示範: 茗茶學問 - 寄與愛茶人

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China is the birthplace of tea. More than just an indispensable drink in daily life, tea culture integrates the ideas of Confucianism, Taoism and Buddhism. It is an important part of Chinese traditional culture and has rich spiritual connotations. As the carrier of tea and water, tea ware has a pivotal position in tea culture. This course introduces various types of Chinese tea, tea-production process, tea quality identification skills, and demonstrates the brewing techniques of various teas. Through systematic learning and experience, this course will lead you into the world of Chinese tea culture.

Mr Ip Wing-chi holds a Master of Arts from Chinese University of Hong Kong. He has an in-depth knowledge of Chinese tea culture and Yixing clay teapots. He curated and held various important exhibitions in the 1970s and 1980s, which had a great impact on the promotion of tea culture in Hong Kong. Mr Ip is the Executive Director of the China Tea Science Society, the founder and chairman of the Hong Kong Tea Association, and also acts as consultant to various international tea fairs and associations.

中國是茶的發源地，除了是日常不可或缺的飲料外，茶道還融合了儒家、道家、佛家思想，是傳統中國傳統文化的重要部分，有豐富的精神內涵。茶具作為茶和水的載體，在茶道中佔有舉足輕重的地位。本課程將和學員分享中國茶文化知識，包括介紹茶製作工藝、茶葉品質分辨，並會示範各類茶的沖泡技巧，以系統學習及親身體驗的形式，帶領大家進入中國茶藝的世界。

葉榮枝先生為香港著名茶文化工作者；香港中文大學藝術系畢業，曾任職於中文大學中國文化研究所，對中國茶文化及紫砂茶具有深入的研究。葉教授並於上世紀七、八十年代籌劃及協助舉辦多個相關的重要茶文化展覽，對推動香港品茗文化及紫砂收藏影響甚彰。現為中國茶葉學會理事、香港茶道協會創會主席、浙江樹人大學客座教授、香港茶博會歷屆顧問及茶評總評審委員、廈門茶博會顧問、浙江中國國際茶文化交流協會專家委員，以及各省市地區文化學會之顧問。葉氏於2012年及2015年獲選為《陸羽杯》國際十大傑出貢獻茶人及獲頒中國茶行業特別貢獻獎。