





GEM-A
UNDERSTANDING
EMERALDS

NEW WORKSHOP

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Workshop content

During this practical workshop, you will learn the physical and optical properties of Emerald along with basic techniques of the most common and readily accessible in- struments, including the polariscope, dichroscope, spectroscope, refractometer, mi- croscope and other handheld gemmological tools. You will observe an array of un- treated / treated natural, synthetic emeralds with different inclusions that help in the separation process and you will be introduced to some emerald simulants and compo- sites. By the end of the session, you will be able to use the equipment effectively and accurately, while also appreciating how each instrument is a valuable tool in the gem- mologist's arsenal.

Who are these workshops suitable for?

Anyone with an interest in learning about gemstones and for those considering study- ing our Gemmology Foundation course.

What skills, experience or qualifications are needed?

No experience necessary.

What are the next steps?

If you want to begin your career in gems, the Gemmology Foundation is the next step.

Key Features

Duration: 1 Day Workshop (on-campus)

Language: English

Total Price: **BHD 88** (Incl. VAT)

Objectives:

- To introduce students to Emerald's properties and testing.
- To offer the students an overview of use of each of the key standard testing equipment used by the gemmologist to test Emerald.
- To introduce students to the range of educational courses offered by Gem-A.







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