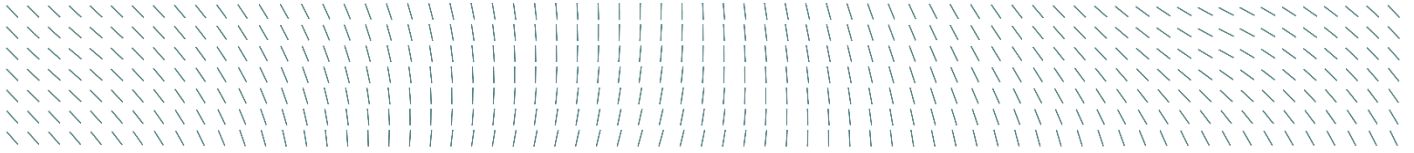


Tourbillon Class



Synopsis

The session begins with a reminder of how a mechanical watch works as well as its terminology, followed by a short presentation of complications before focusing on the definition, history and techniques of the various types of tourbillon watches. The training ends with the presentation of the iconic tourbillon watches from contemporary brands, as well as the latest models unveiled at the year's watch fairs.

Objectives

The Tourbillon Class course offers a general comprehension of tourbillon watches.

Length of the course

The Tourbillon Class course lasts one day.

Description of the course

Introduction

The Fondation de la Haute Horlogerie
Mission and partner brands

Reminders

The mechanical movement

The 6 organs

The complications

Definition & groups of complications

History and definition of the tourbillon

Introduction

The main purpose

Definition

History

Invention of the tourbillon

The major evolutions

Vocation of the tourbillon

The market's reality

Distinctive features

Comprehension of the tourbillon

How it works

Reminders

Classical movement vs. tourbillon movement

The cage

The conception

The weight

Construction variants

Simple tourbillon

Flying tourbillon

The different types of tourbillon

Inclined tourbillon

Multi-axis tourbillon

Multiple tourbillon

Orbital tourbillon

The artistic research

The variants

Rotation speed of the cages

The curiosities

What else

Present a tourbillon

The 7 steps of a sale

The icons

Exceptional pieces

The novelties

Selection of novelties of the year

Conclusion