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LEADING GOVERNANCE FOR SUSTAINABLE GROWTH



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The 14th SSM National Conference, themed "Leading Governance for Sustainable Growth", aligns with Malaysia's ASEAN Chairmanship 2025, highlighting governance as a strategic advantage and the importance of leadership in driving sustainable business growth across ASEAN and globally.
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As global expectations shift toward responsible business practices, governance has become a cornerstone of sustainable success. Designed for company directors and company secretaries, the Conference will explore how robust governance can drive long-term value, resilience, enhance corporate reputation, and future-proof organizations.

This year's agenda features cutting-edge topics including **megatrends shaping sustainable business, ASEAN's rise as a geopolitical and economic force, and cross-border insolvency challenges.**

Participants will gain insights into **SSM's latest enforcement**

updates, corporate governance as a competitive edge, and the future of boardroom architecture. With sessions on **AI-driven innovation, mental resilience for leaders, and crisis leadership,** this conference offers a holistic view of governance in a complex world.

Our presenters include a distinguished group of speakers, moderators, and panellists who bring diverse perspectives, deep expertise, and dynamic dialogue to the conference. Each presenter plays a vital role in shaping conversations, sharing insights, and engaging with the audience to explore the most pressing issues and opportunities in our field.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Company directors, company secretaries, accountants, auditors, lawyers, compliance managers, regulators, law enforcers, risk managers, educators and anyone who wishes to learn more about leading governance for sustainable growth.



LEADING GOVERNANCE FOR **SUSTAINABLE GROWTH**

19 AUGUST 2025, TUESDAY

DAY 1

09.00 am  > **Welcome to SSMNC2025**

09.05 am  > **Plenary 1**
Megatrends for a Sustainable Business Future

What are the global forces that are reshaping how companies operate and create value responsibly? How these trends are key to managing risks, aligning with stakeholder expectations, and ensuring long-term success in a rapidly changing business environment?

Speaker

Tan Sri Andrew Sheng, Distinguished Fellow, Institute for Capital Market Research & Chairman, George Town Institute of Open and Advanced Studies, Wawasan Open University



Tan Sri Andrew Sheng

09.45 am  > **Conference Opening Ceremony**

10.35 am  > **Tea Break & Networking**

11.15 am  > **Plenary 2**
The Rise of ASEAN: A Geopolitical and Economic Powerhouse in the Global Arena

ASEAN is rapidly gaining global prominence as a dynamic region of economic growth and strategic influence. ASEAN is on track to become the world's fourth-largest economy by 2030. What should ASEAN do to rise as a geopolitical and economic powerhouse in global arena? This knowledge empowers corporate directors to lead with agility, expand influence, and position their organizations for long-term success in the ASEAN region.

Speaker

Gita Irawan Wirjawan, Visiting Scholar, Precourt Institute for Energy – Stanford University



Gita Irawan Wirjawan

12.00 pm  > **Plenary 3 | Forum**
Doing Business in ASEAN: Growth, Opportunities and Challenges

As one of the world's most dynamic and diverse economic blocs, ASEAN offers a compelling landscape for growth, innovation, and strategic expansion. This session explores ASEAN's ongoing economic integration, the vast opportunities it presents, and the practical considerations for businesses aiming to enter or expand within the region. Understanding the region's regulatory frameworks, cultural nuances, and market trends is essential for business leaders seeking success in emerging markets. This session is vital for those looking to craft effective entry strategies and build sustainable operations across ASEAN's ten member states.

Moderator

Nadia S Hassan, Broadcast Journalist & Producer

Panellists

- **Aaron Kee**, Chief Business Officer, CARSOME Group
- **Nurul Shams Rusli**, Senior Deputy Director, Foreign Investment Division, Malaysian Investment Development Authority
- **Yau Yee Ming**, Partner, M&A and Foreign Direct Investment, Christopher & Lee Ong



Nadia S Hassan




Aaron Kee



Nurul Shams Rusli



Yau Yee Ming

01.00 pm  > **Lunch Break & Networking**

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DAY 1

02.00 pm



Plenary 4 | Forum Evolving Roles of ASEAN Corporate Registrars

Corporate registrars play strategic roles in shaping governance standards, promoting transparency, digital compliance, and cross-border business efficiency. Understanding this evolution is crucial as it helps corporate players stay ahead of regulatory changes, leverage digital platforms for faster compliance, and align their governance practices with regional expectations.

Moderator

Nadia S Hassan, Broadcast Journalist & Producer

Panellists

- **Javey Paul D. Francisco**, Commissioner, Securities and Exchange Commission Philippines
- **Leong Weng Tat**, Deputy Chief Executive, Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority, Singapore
- **Datuk Nor Azimah Abdul Aziz**, Chief Executive Officer, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia



Nadia S Hassan



Javey Paul
D. Francisco



Leong Weng Tat



Datuk Nor Azimah
Abdul Aziz



Izniza Afzan
Mustafa Albakri

03.00 pm



Plenary 5 ASEAN Unique Business Identification Numbers (UBIN)

ASEAN is working on establishing a regionally comparable and recognised Unique Business Identification Number (UBIN) for businesses in ASEAN members states and the region. This overarching goal is driven by the need to create a solid foundation for a robust digital economy, facilitating cross-border digital trade, and aligning with the ASEAN Digital Economy Framework Agreement (DEFA) particularly on digital ID and authentication provision.

Speaker

Izniza Afzan Mustafa Albakri, Senior Officer, Enterprise and Stakeholders, Engagement Division, ASEAN Secretariat



Lee Shih



Andrew Hoh



Azniza
Mohd Ali



Norhaslinda
Salleh

03.30 pm



Plenary 6 | Forum Cross-Border Insolvency: Malaysia's Shift Towards Global Standards and Enhanced Cooperation

This session explores Malaysia's move to adopt the UNCITRAL Model Law on Cross-Border Insolvency, marking a significant step toward harmonizing its insolvency framework with global standards. Discover the law's anticipated impact on debt recovery and corporate restructuring, enhanced cooperation across jurisdictions, and benefits for stakeholders in cross-border proceedings. Delegates will gain insights into navigating the current framework and preparing for upcoming reforms.

Moderator

Lee Shih, Managing Partner, Lim Chee Wee Partnership

Panellists

- **Azniza Mohd Ali**, Director of Insolvency, Policy and Legal Division, Malaysia Department of Insolvency
- **Andrew Hoh**, Senior Executive Director, Strategy and Transactions, Ernst & Young PLT
- **Norhaslinda Salleh**, Director, Regulatory Development & Services Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia
- **The Hon. Judicial Commissioner Tuan Saheran Suhendran**, Judicial Commissioner of the High Court of Kuala Lumpur (Commercial 11) (Insolvency 2)

04.30 pm



Tea Break & Networking

05.00 pm



End of Day 1 SSMNC2025



The Hon. Judicial
Commissioner
Tuan Saheran Suhendran

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20 AUGUST 2025, WEDNESDAY DAY 2

09.00 am



Plenary 7 | Forum SSM Enforcement Watch 2025: What's New?

By sharing updates and insights from Enforcement Pillar, stakeholders can better understand SSM's strong commitment to tackling fraud, corruption, and non-compliance. Stakeholders will gain insights into enforcement mechanisms and regulatory trends. Understanding these developments is crucial for assessing business risks and opportunities in Malaysia's evolving corporate landscape.

Moderator

Rezy Izwan Ramly, Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Corporate Services), Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia

Panellists

- **Aznorashiq Mohamed Zin**, Director, Investigation Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia
- **Naziah Mokhtar @ Sota**, Director, Prosecution & Litigation Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia
- **Norhaiza Jemon**, Director, Corporate Compliance Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia



Aznorashiq
Mohamed Zin

Rezy
Izwan Ramly

Naziah Mokhtar
@ Sota

10.00 am



Plenary 8 | Forum SSM Talks

- How SSM has embraced digitalization in its registry systems and the benefits of this transformation for businesses and Malaysia?
- Implementation of beneficial ownership reporting framework under the Limited Liability Partnerships (Amendment) Act 2024.
- Proposed beneficial ownership reporting framework under the Trust Companies Bill.
- New reporting framework for nominees under the Companies Act 2016.
- SSM products and services.

Moderator

Khuzairi Yahaya, Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Registry & Business Services), Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia

Panellists

- **Khairani M Yusof**, Senior Manager, Regulatory Development & Services Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia
- **Noorlida Hanim Ahmad**, Senior Manager, Registration & Services Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia
- **Rosniwati Hussin**, Senior Manager, Marketing & Business Development Division, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia



Norhaiza Jemon

Khuzairi Yahaya

Khairani M Yusof

Noorlida
Hanim Ahmad

11.00 am



Tea Break & Networking

11.30 am



Plenary 9 | Fireside Chat The Calm in the Storm. Leadership During Crisis.

In this compelling session, the speaker will share his frontline experience and leadership principles that guided Malaysia through one of its most challenging public health crises. Learn how to remain composed under pressure, communicate with clarity, and lead teams with empathy and resilience. Drawing from real-world experience, this session offers practical insights to empower leaders to lead effectively in tough times. A must-attend for anyone seeking to lead with confidence in challenging times.

Moderator

Professor Dato' Dr. Hanafiah Harunarashid, Pro Vice Chancellor, Kuala Lumpur Health Campus, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia

Speaker

Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr. Noor Hisham Abdullah, Chairman, UCSI Healthcare Group



Rosniwati Hussin

Professor
Dato' Dr. Hanafiah
Harunarashid

Tan Sri Dato' Seri
Dr. Noor Hisham
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12.15 am



Plenary 10 | Fireside Chat From Podium to Boardroom: Mental Resilience for Leaders

Join Dato' Azizulhasni Awang, Malaysia's celebrated Olympic medalist and world champion cyclist, as he shares powerful lessons in mental resilience drawn from his journey to the top of international sport. Known as "The Pocket Rocketman," Azizulhasni's compelling personal stories of overcoming adversity offer valuable insights for business leaders facing high-stakes challenges. This session explores strategies for building mental strength, managing stress, and staying focused - skills that are as critical in the boardroom as they are on the track. Discover how elite athletic mindset techniques can be directly applied to leadership and organizational success.

Moderator

Azran Osman-Rani, Chief Executive Officer, Naluri

Speaker

Dato' Azizulhasni Awang, "The Pocket Rocketman"



Azran
Osman-Rani

Dato' Azizulhasni
Awang

01.15 pm



Lunch & Networking

02.15 pm



Plenary 11 | Forum Corporate Governance as Competitive Differentiator for Sustainable Growth

What are Boardroom priorities in 2025? This session explores whether strong governance still offers a competitive edge – or if it has become a baseline requirement in today's business environment. Join us for a candid conversation with industry leaders on how governance is adapting to meet the moment.

Moderator

Dr. Ismet Yusoff, Chief Executive Officer, Minority Shareholders Watch Group

Panellists

- **Datuk Dr. Yvonne Chia**, Independent Non-Executive Chairman, Press Metal Aluminium Holdings Berhad & Former Independent Non-Executive Chairman, Standard Chartered Bank Malaysia
- **Dang Huynh Uc My**, Chairlady, Thanh Thanh Cong - Bien Hoa Joint Stock Company (AgriS), Vietnam
- **Professor Mak Yuen Teen**, Professor, National University of Singapore



Dr. Ismet Yusoff

Datuk Dr.
Yvonne Chia

Dang Huynh
Uc My

Professor Mak
Yuen Teen

03.00 pm



Plenary 12 | Forum Rethinking the Future of Boardroom Architecture & Human Capital of the Future

In today's fast-evolving business landscape, rethinking boardroom architecture and the future of human capital is no longer optional—it's essential. This session will explore how modern, tech-enabled boardrooms can boost collaboration and agility, while boards take a more active role in managing talent challenges like skills gaps, diversity, and AI integration. Whether you're a board member or executive, join us to gain fresh insights and practical strategies to future-proof your organization's leadership and workforce.

Moderator

Jackie Mah, President & Chief Executive Officer, Institute of Corporate Directors Malaysia

Panellists

- **Ridhima Khanduja**, Partner and Chief Executive Officer, ImpactPlus Consulting
- **Shai Ganu**, Managing Director and Global Leader, Executive Compensation and Board Advisory, WTW, Singapore



Jackie Mah

Ridhima Khanduja

Shai Ganu

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20 AUGUST 2025, WEDNESDAY DAY 2

03.45 pm



Plenary 13 | Fireside Chat

AI x Innovation. Enhancing Value Creation and Competitiveness

Uncover how AI-driven innovation is transforming industries and redefining competitive advantage. In this visionary session, Malaysia's first tech billionaire shares real-world strategies on leveraging AI, mathematics, and digital transformation to drive smarter decisions, operational excellence, and sustainable growth. This session is a must for leaders looking to future-proof their organizations and harness the transformative power of AI in today's rapidly evolving digital economy.

Moderator

Steven Yates, Director & Global CTO Alumni Services, Singapore

Speaker

Goh Peng Ooi, Founder & Group Executive Chairman, Silverlake Axis Group



Steven Yates

Goh Peng Ooi

04.30 pm



Tea Break & Networking

05.00 pm



The End of SSMNC2025



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Dato' Azizulhasni Awang aka "The Pocket Rocketman". Medals and awards represent only a fraction of who Dato' Azizulhasni Awang truly is. Renowned as "The Pocket Rocketman," he stands as one of Malaysia's most inspiring athletes, consistently making meaningful contributions to local communities, empowering younger generations, and advancing the sports industry. In the hearts of Malaysians, Dato' Azizulhasni embodies the spirit of unity, serving as a symbol of a true national athlete who brings together all races under the unifying banner of sports. His major achievements include UCI Track 2017 – World Champion Olympics, Tokyo 2020 – Silver Medalist, Olympics Rio 2016 – Bronze Medalist, UCI Asian Champion – 12x Gold Medalist.

Azniza Mohd Ali is a legal and policy strategist with a strong background in law reform. Appointed in January 2022 as Director of Insolvency at the Malaysian Department of Insolvency (Mdi), she leads the Policy and Legal Division, overseeing legislative development and inter-agency coordination to strengthen Malaysia's insolvency framework. She played a key role in the Insolvency (Amendment) Act 2023, which improved the automatic discharge mechanism and in the implementation of the Second Chance Policy, towards a more rehabilitation-focused insolvency system.

Azniza also serves as Head of Secretariat for the Working Group on Cross-Border Insolvency, under the Minister in the Prime Minister's Department (Law and Institutional Reform) and the Minister of Domestic Trade and Cost of Living. She participated actively in the legal and policy work for the Cross-Border Insolvency Bill 2025, which was passed by the Dewan Rakyat on 29 July 2025. The Bill aims to align Malaysia with the UNCITRAL Model Law on Cross-Border Insolvency, establishing a clear legal framework for managing multi-jurisdictional corporate insolvency cases and strengthening Malaysia's position as a competitive and reliable hub for international trade and investment. Previously, Azniza served in the Judicial and Legal Service, including as Magistrate, Senior Assistant Registrar of the High Court, Deputy Registrar of the Court of Appeal, and Research Officer at the Federal Court.

She holds a Master of Laws (Advanced) from the University of Queensland and a Bachelor of Laws (Honours) from the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM).

Aznorashiq Mohamed Zin is a Chartered Accountant and Certified Fraud Examiner with over 25 years of experience in legal and regulatory enforcement. He currently serves as the Investigation Director at the Companies Commission of Malaysia (SSM), a role he resumed in August 2020 after previously leading the division from 2007 to 2015. His leadership has significantly advanced SSM's investigative capabilities, talent development, and enforcement of corporate laws.

Between 2015 and 2020, Aznorashiq held key roles including Registration Services Director and Corporate Compliance Director, where he improved compliance rates through strategic awareness and enforcement initiatives. He also contributes to the Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA) as a Council Member and active committee participant, appointed by the Ministry of Finance in 2015.

Before joining SSM, he spent a decade at the Securities Commission Malaysia as a Team Leader in the Investigation Department. Academically, he holds an MBA in Finance and a Bachelor of Accounting (Hons) from the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM). Aznorashiq also shares his expertise through coaching and training programs for various corporate and government enforcement agencies across Malaysia.

Azran Osman-Rani is a serial entrepreneur who has built businesses in a wide range of industries from airlines to internet television and now healthcare, where he founded Naluri, a digital behavioral health company that addresses mental health and chronic diseases together in a preventive, holistic and outcomes-based approach. Today Naluri serves over 200 enterprise clients across Southeast Asia, providing quantitative wellbeing programmes to help 500,000 employees become healthier.

He was previously CEO of AirAsia X where he grew it from a business plan to a \$1billion IPO with 2,500 employees in six years, and CEO of iflix Malaysia which scaled to 20 million users in 20 markets in 3 years. He held prior leadership roles at Astro, Bursa Malaysia and McKinsey. He holds a Masters and Bachelor's degrees in Engineering, from Stanford University. In his journey, he has gone through countless rejections, Government obstacles, run out of cash and handling retrenchment exercises. He chronicles his leadership challenges, failures and overcoming adversity in his book, '30 Days and 30 Years'. He is an Ironman triathlete.

Datuk Dr. Yvonne Chia is a trailblazer in ASEAN banking, celebrated as the first female CEO of a commercial bank in Malaysia and the region. With over three decades of leadership experience, she has helmed major banking institutions through transformation, crisis recovery, and regional growth — exemplifying how strong board governance can drive both resilience and value creation.

Today, she serves as Chair and board member across several listed companies and NGOs. Yvonne is recognised for her ability to balance strategic agility with fiduciary and ethical responsibilities. As Chair, she fosters boardroom cultures that emphasise value creation, constructive challenge, inclusivity, and future-focused decision-making.

A passionate advocate for board governance as a source of competitive advantage and sustainable growth, Yvonne brings deep insight into the evolving role of boards especially in aligning performance with conformance. She continues to contribute actively to talent and leadership development as a project mentor for the financial services sector's Future Skills Framework and as a member of Malaysia's National Talent Council.

Her leadership has been recognised regionally, including by Forbes Asia's 50 Women in the Mix and as a two-time finalist in the CNBC Asia Business Awards. Honorary Yvonne's journey reflects her enduring belief in strategic purposeful leadership, adaptive governance, and the power of value creation.

Dang Huynh Uc My is Chairlady of AgriS (Thanh Thanh Cong - Bien Hoa JSC, ticker symbol: SBT). With nearly 20 years of experience in Finance and Agriculture, Chairlady Dang Huynh Uc My of AgriS carries the mission of innovation, spearheading transformative milestones for AgriS to become Vietnam's leading company in smart agricultural development and elevating Vietnam's modern agriculture. Her leadership has driven advancements in circular agriculture and reinforced the company's commitment to achieving Net Zero by 2035, adhering to ESG standards (Environmental, Social and Governance).

Gita Irawan Wirjawan is founding partner of Ikhlas Capital and the chairman of Ancora Group, an Indonesian business group with interests in real estate, natural resources, arts and technology, which he founded in 2007.

His public service has included positions as Indonesia's minister of trade (2011–2014), chairman of its Investment Coordinating Board (2009–2011), and chair of a 159-nation WTO ministerial conference in 2012 that focused on easing global trade barriers. He led his country's national badminton association from 2012 to 2016, when Indonesia won 3 gold medals at the World Championships, four titles at the All England Championships, and one gold medal at the 2016 Summer Olympics in Rio de Janeiro.

As an investment banker, he has held key appointments at Goldman Sachs and JPMorgan, where he led many mergers, corporate restructuring, corporate financing and strategic sales involving leading companies in Southeast Asia. His various board roles included service as a commissioner of the state-owned oil giant, Pertamina, and an independent board director of Axiata Group Berhad.

Gita hosts the educational podcast "Endgame", focused on the region to promote Southeast Asia's growth and prosperity. He is a visiting scholar with Stanford's Precourt Institute for Energy, researching Southeast Asia's nation-building directionality. Additionally, he is a member of the Angsana Council, a non-profit group dedicated to boosting the region's businesses and economies, and global advisory firm Macro Advisory Partners.

His degrees are from the Harvard Kennedy School (MPA), Baylor University (MBA), and the University of Texas at Austin (BSc).

Goh Peng Ooi is the Founder and Executive Chairman of Silverlake Axis Ltd, a leading global financial technology firm. A graduate of the University of Tokyo with a degree in Electronics Engineering under a Monbusho scholarship, Goh began his career at IBM Malaysia, rising to senior roles including Marketing Manager for Banking and Finance. In 1989, he founded the Silverlake Group, foreseeing the digital future of banking. Under his leadership, the Group pioneered universal banking solutions and now serves over 380 clients in 80 countries with a team of more than 2,200 professionals.

Silverlake has received numerous accolades, including the IBM Partner Excellence Award, Forbes' Best Under a Billion, and The Asian Banker Gold Award. Recently, the Group won the 2023 Malaysian Technology Excellence Award and the 2024 Singapore Business Review Award for its role in a complex regional banking integration.

Beyond business, Goh champions education and talent development. Silverlake has supported initiatives such as the Kuala Lumpur Engineering Science Fair, the Asian Physics Olympiad, and student loans through the TARC–Goh Peng Ooi Loan Programme. The Group also contributes to UTAR Hospital and student mobility programmes.

Goh's impact has been widely recognized: Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year (2005, 2014), a Lifetime Achievement Award from the World Chinese Economic Summit (2015), the ASEAN Legacy Award (2017), ASEAN Entrepreneur of the Year (2019), and Japan's Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Rosette (2022), awarded by the Emperor of Japan—reflecting his influence across technology, education, and international collaboration.

Professor Dato' Dr. Hanafiah Harunarashid is a senior consultant vascular surgeon and currently the Pro Vice Chancellor of UKM Kuala Lumpur Health Campus. He graduated from the University of St Andrews and the University of Edinburgh Medical School before obtaining the Fellowship of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh and the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland in 1998. Having served in the Ministry of Health and the Perak College of Medicine, he advanced his training in vascular surgery at the Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh before returning to set up the vascular surgery unit in UKM. Dr. Hanafiah has a passionate interest in training and healthcare leadership. At UKM, he subsequently developed the state of the art Advanced Surgical Skills Centre, and later appointed as the Hospital Director and initiated reform. He was later made the Chairman of the technical committee for the Health Technopolis project and the New UKM Specialist Centre project, the future medical city at the heart of Kuala Lumpur.

Dr. Hanafiah is currently the Deputy Master of the Academy of Medicine Malaysia. He was the President of the College of Surgeons Malaysia, Asian Vascular Society and Vice President of the Vascular Society of Malaysia. He is also currently a council member of the MMC. Internationally, he is the country representative for the International Surgical Society based in Geneva and was appointed the International Surgical Adviser for the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh. He had received many accolades and awards including medals and honorary fellowships from distinguished societies internationally.

Andrew Hoh is a Senior Executive Director at Ernst & Young PLT, specializing in financial restructuring and debt advisory. With over 15 years of extensive experience in both London and Malaysia, Andrew has established himself as a trusted advisor in navigating complex balance sheet restructurings.

Recently, he played a pivotal role in advising on two significant cross-border restructurings within the oil and gas services and equipment sector. His strategic guidance includes managing key stakeholders, safeguarding critical assets, and adeptly navigating the intricacies of financial restructuring processes.

Andrew is an alumnus of the London School of Economics and Political Science and is a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW).

Dr. Ismet Yusoff is a seasoned corporate governance advocate with vast experience as a policymaker and strategist on governance and sustainability practices. He plays an active role in raising the corporate governance and sustainability standards of corporates in Malaysia by working closely with local and international stakeholders, including regulators, standard setters, professional bodies, and corporates.

Dr. Ismet is currently the Chief Executive Officer of the Minority Shareholders Watch Group (MSWG). Before MSWG, Dr. Ismet was the Chief Executive Officer of the Malaysian Institute of Corporate Governance (MICG) and served the Securities Commission (SC) Malaysia. He was instrumental in formulating Malaysia's corporate governance and sustainability regulatory framework, best practices, and strategic priorities. These include the development of the Malaysian Code of Corporate Governance, Malaysia's Corporate Governance Strategic Priorities, Governance Code for Malaysia MSMEs, Guidelines on the Conduct of Directors of Listed Corporations and Their Subsidiaries, Guidelines on Corporate Governance for Capital Market Intermediaries and Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirements, including Bursa Malaysia Sustainability Reporting Framework. He was also involved in developing analytics and machine learning systems for regulatory monitoring of governance disclosures, establishing the Institute of Corporate Directors Malaysia and other industry-led initiatives on corporate governance and sustainability.

Dr. Ismet is a member of the Corporate Governance Council chaired by SC Malaysia and a Corporate Governance

Expert for the ASEAN Corporate Governance initiatives under the ASEAN Capital Market Forum (ACMF).

Dr. Ismet graduated from the International Islamic University Malaysia. His doctoral thesis was on the effect of corporate governance and capital structures on the performances of Malaysian publicly listed companies.

Izniza Afzan Mustafa Albakri is currently a Senior Officer at the ASEAN Secretariat, where she coordinates regional cooperation on micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs). Since joining in 2019, she has been overseeing the implementation of key regional initiatives, including the development of a regionally comparable digital business identity system through the ASEAN Unique Business Identification Number (UBIN) initiative. This flagship initiative supports the ASEAN Digital Economy Framework Agreement (DEFA) by enhancing business trust and facilitating cross-border trade.

Prior to her role at the ASEAN Secretariat, Izniza served as an incubator manager at Technology Park Malaysia for eight years, providing hands-on support to startups and growing enterprises in sectors ranging from technology to food manufacturing. She worked closely with founders to guide their businesses from early-stage development through to commercialisation and growth. She began her career in SME policy at SME Corporation Malaysia, the country's coordination agency for SME development, during which she was involved in strategic planning and policy formulation to promote enabling environment for SMEs.

With over eighteen years of experience across policy, enterprise development, and regional integration, Izniza brings a blend of strategic and practical implementation insights to her work in advancing ASEAN's inclusive digital economy agenda.

She is also an alumna of the U.S. Department of State's International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP), a recognition of her role in promoting economic development and cross-border cooperation.

Javey Paul D. Francisco has been with the SEC for over 20 years rising from the ranks starting out as SEC Securities Counsel in 2001, SEC Director in 2007, and SEC Commissioner in 2018 to present. As Commissioner, he pushed for the implementation of the Digital Transformation and Technology Modernization Roadmap of the SEC ensuring the effective use of digital innovation towards ease of doing business,

promotion of the capital markets, and protection of the investing public.

Commissioner Francisco has supervision over the Company Registration and Monitoring Department in charge of the effective implementation of the company registration and monitoring system of the SEC as well as supervision over the SEC's Financial Analysis and Audit Department. He is also currently the Chair of the SEC Sustainability Committee.

His professional career as a lawyer began with a stint at the Angara Abello Concepcion Regala and Cruz Law Offices or ACCRALaw where he handled various corporate, labor, litigation as well as public interest cases.

He studied in Ateneo de Davao University and graduated with a degree in Philosophy and in Law. He subsequently earned a master's degree in management from the University of the Philippines.

Aaron Kee serves as the Chief Business Officer at CARSOME Group, a role he transitioned into in March 2024. In this capacity, Kee is responsible for driving the integration of strategies within the CARSOME ecosystem, leading business development efforts, and focusing on identifying and nurturing new business prospects beyond the company's core segments.

His appointment as Chief Business Officer follows a successful tenure as Chief Operating Officer, a role he was promoted to in 2023 after joining CARSOME as Chief of Staff in 2017. Under his leadership, the company significantly expanded across the region and launched several new business ventures. Kee also oversaw CARSOME's regional supply chain and operations, where his expertise in supply chain management, logistics optimization, and process improvement greatly enhanced operational efficiency and performance.

A Chartered Financial Analyst and an award-winning ACCA affiliate, Aaron's extensive background includes roles as an Equity Research Analyst at Affin Hwang Capital, a Senior Analyst at Maybank Investment Bank, and an Associate at PricewaterhouseCoopers Advisory. His deep understanding of financial dynamics and strategic decision-making has been crucial to his effective leadership at CARSOME.

Khairani M Yusof started her career as an advocate and solicitor of Malaya in 2004 and has few years working experience as an in-house counsel prior to joining Legal Services Division of SSM in 2011. In 2017, she was transferred to the Regulatory

Development and Services Division and starting from May 2025, she is tasked with overseeing all regulatory policy and law reform under SSM's purview.

Since joining the division, she involved with several regulatory development projects such as the introduction of beneficial ownership reporting framework in the Companies Act 2016 and the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2012, the review of the Trust Companies Act 1949 and her most recent project is the development of sustainability reporting framework under the Companies Act 2016.

As SSM also plays a major role in combating money laundering and terrorist financing at national level, she also represents SSM in ensuring Malaysia's compliance and effectiveness with the standards set by the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) as its member.

She holds both LLM in Corporate Law and an LLB (Hons) from Mara University of Technology (UiTM).

Khuzairi Yahaya started his career in the Information and Technology Division, Securities Commission in 1994. After 9 years, he moved on to be the General Manager of Information and Communications Technology Department, Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia (SSM) in 2003 and then Director of Internal Audit in 2007. Resumed as Director of Information and Communications Technology Division in 2010. Promoted on 15 March 2015 as the Deputy CEO (Registry and Business Services) and held the office until 14 January 2019. Manage all divisions under operations in SSM. Instrumental in the initiative to transform the mainframe-based registry system to web-based system in 2003. Implemented several initiatives to reduce operation cost and increase efficiencies at SSM. Directly involved in the establishment of a system and new work processes that resulted with Malaysia's Ease of Doing Business World Bank Ranking jumped to 6 for 2014 assessment. Implemented SSM Transformation Plan with the aim to transform SSM business and operating models by leveraging digital capabilities. Beginning 15 January 2019, he was helming the Enforcement Office as the Deputy CEO (Regulatory and Enforcement), SSM. Ensuring effective compliance with rules and regulations is an important factor in creating a well-functioning society and trust in government. Special attention is given on key issues as well as some key principles on which effective and efficient regulatory enforcement should be based in pursuit of the best compliance outcomes and highest regulatory quality. At the same time, to address the design of the policies,

institutions and tools for promoting effective compliance. After five (5) years wearing enforcement portfolio, starting from 4 March 2024 he is back to his previous role at Operation. Holding the title Deputy CEO for Registry and Business Services, three core functions now under his wings namely Marketing and Business Services, Registration Services and Information and Communication Technology, the backbone behind any digital transformation. Ensuring all of SSM services prescribed under the seven legislation and several subsidiary legislations are operating at optimum levels, high efficiency that meet customers and stakeholders expectations are the driving force covering people, processes and technologies.

Lee Shih is the Managing Partner of Lim Chee Wee Partnership, a boutique firm focusing on commercial disputes and insolvency. Lee Shih is especially active in matters concerning liquidations, schemes of arrangement, receivership and corporate rescue matters. He has acted as counsel for several cross-border restructurings and liquidations involving billions of Ringgit of debt. The legal directories have described him as “well regarded for his expertise in company law, as well as restructuring and insolvency cases” (Chambers Asia Pacific) and as “a rising star and a confident advocate, who gives sound commercial advice” (Legal 500 Asia Pacific). He is a Council member of the Insolvency Practitioners Association of Malaysia. His textbook on ‘Companies Act 2016: The New Dynamics of Company Law in Malaysia’, which he co-authored, has been cited in Malaysian court decisions on company law and corporate insolvency. He also authored the chapter on ‘Cross-Border Insolvency’ in Law and Practice of Corporate Insolvency in Malaysia.

Leong Weng Tat is the Deputy Chief Executive and Chief Legal Officer of Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority (ACRA), Singapore. Prior to this, he was a Deputy Public Prosecutor with the Attorney-General’s Chambers, specialising in financial crimes. He was also previously a corporate lawyer with Allen & Gledhill LLP, and had served as an Assistant Registrar and Justices’ Law Clerk with the Supreme Court. He has been an adjunct lecturer at the SMU Yong Pung How School of Law since 2018.

Jackie Mah is President & Chief Executive Officer, Institute of Corporate Directors Malaysia (ICDM), Jackie is responsible for the overall strategic direction, growth, and operational excellence of the organisation.

Prior to this position, Jackie’s tenure as Executive Vice President at ICDM saw her lead the Directors Development & Certification Framework, equipping boards with crucial skillsets for evolving governance challenges. She also facilitated board evaluations to enhance effectiveness, diversity, and culture. Recognising the importance of sustainability, Jackie completed the ESG Competent Boards Programme and was instrumental in integrating ESG into ICDM’s offerings. In this role, she also boosted operational efficiency, expanded outreach, and drove business growth through strategic alliances and market positioning. Furthermore, she managed the Research & Advocacy team, fostering thought leadership and maintaining strong stakeholder relationships, all while championing a collaborative, inclusive, and innovative team culture.

Before ICDM, Jackie served as CFO at the World Islamic Economic Forum (WIEF) Foundation, where her extensive experience spanned Financial Management, Strategic Planning, IT, HR, Business Development, Marketing, Communications, and leading global projects. Jackie is a member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) and the Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA).

Professor Mak Yuen Teen is Professor (Practice) of Accounting at the NUS Business School, National University of Singapore (NUS). He was a former Vice Dean of the School and the founder of the first corporate governance centre in Singapore at NUS, where he recently also founded the Centre for Investor Protection. He holds first class honours, master and PhD degrees in accounting and finance, and is a member of the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants (ISCA).

Professor Mak has served on three of the four corporate governance committees set up by the Singapore authorities to develop and revise the code of corporate governance for listed companies. He has just been appointed to a third three-year term on the Corporate Governance Advisory Committee under the Monetary Authority of Singapore (MAS).

Professor Mak was a director and Chairman of a healthcare charity and director and Deputy Chairman of the largest healthcare charity in Singapore. He also served six-year terms on the Audit

Advisory Committee of the two UN funds based in New York. He was also APAC head of research for a global consulting firm listed in New York and Singapore head of research of a Big 4 accounting firm while he was on leave from the university.

Professor Mak has published nearly 300 case studies relating to corporate governance around the world. He has extensive experience in conducting corporate governance training for directors, regulators and other professionals in Singapore and Malaysia, and is a regular speaker on corporate governance in conferences in Asia and beyond.

Nadia S Hassan has been a business journalist, broadcaster and producer for more than a decade. She has worked for well-known business news organisations including The Edge, BFM and the News Straits Times covering Corporate Malaysia. During her time, she has interviewed a number of high-ranking CEOs including Tan Sri Tony Fernandes, Tan Sri Syed Zainal Abidin and Dato’ Mohd Rashid Mohammad. She was part of the team that brought AirAsia X Bhd successfully to market, and moderated various corporate events. She is a graduate of the University of Cardiff, Wales with a BSc in Economics.

Naziah Mokhtar @ Sota is Director of Prosecution and Litigation Division. She is a legal officer from the Attorney General’s Chambers (AGC) with 25 years of experience. She joined the public service in 2000 and started her career in judiciary serving as Senior Assistant Registrar at Kuala Lumpur High Court and later as Magistrate in Sungai Petani, Kedah. In 2003 she served as Federal Counsel in Housing and Local Government Ministry before been appointed as Deputy Public Prosecutor (DPP) in 2004. From there on she has gained extensive experience in prosecution, serving as DPP for more than 10 years. From 2014 -2016, she was attached to Malaysian Department of Insolvency (Mdl) as Director of Bankruptcy Division and State Director of Johor. In 2016 she served as Assistant State Legal Advisor of Selangor where she represented the state government in civil litigation. In 2017 she was appointed as Director of Cyber Legal Integration Division at National Cyber Security Agency (NACSA). During her tenure at NACSA, she played a key role in drafting the National Cyber Security Bill. Prior to her current position, she served in Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency (MMEA) as Legal Advisor.

She obtained Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (Hons) from University of Malaya and Master of Laws (LLM) in International Legal Studies from University of Nottingham, United Kingdom. She is an alumnus of the International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP), a U.S. Department of State premier professional exchange program. She completed the Lead, Engage and Drive (LEaD) Program from Melbourne Business School in 2024.

Tan Sri Dato' Seri Dr. Noor Hisham Abdullah is a distinguished healthcare leader, serving as Chairman of the National Heart Institute (IJN), UCSI Healthcare Group, and the WHO Standing Committee on Health Emergency Prevention, Preparedness, and Response (SCHEPPR). He is the Former Director-General of Health Malaysia and a Senior Consultant Surgeon specialising in Breast, Endocrine, and General Surgery. Additionally, he contributes to global health initiatives as a member of the New Universal Health Coverage (UHC) Technical Advisory Group for WHO Western Pacific Region and the Board of Directors of the Drug for Neglected Diseases Initiative (DNDi). In his role, he has been prominent in leading Malaysia's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Noorlida Hanim Ahmad holds a Diploma in Technology Management from Universiti Teknologi Malaysia and a Bachelor's Degree in Technology Management from Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM). She began her career at the Companies Commission of Malaysia (SSM) in 2004 as Manager of the Business Registration Section. From 2008 to 2017, she served as Manager of the e-Service Management Section, overseeing the Name Search Unit. She was later promoted to Senior Manager of the Company Registration Section under the Registration Services Division, a role she currently holds.

Throughout her tenure, Noorlida has played a key role in the development of several major systems at SSM, including e-Lodgement, MyCoID, MyLLP, e-BOS, and e-Advertisement. She has also contributed to the review of client charters for both business and company services.

Currently, she is actively involved in the development of SSM's core system, the Corporate Registry System (CRS)—a comprehensive online platform.

Datuk Nor Azimah Abdul Aziz is the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Companies Commission of Malaysia (SSM). Prior to her appointment as CEO on 1 May 2020,

she was the Deputy Chief Executive Officer (DCEO) of Regulatory & Enforcement and thereafter, DCEO of Corporate Services between 2016 and 2020. She joined SSM as General Manager of the Corporate Policy, Planning and Development Department in 2003. She started her career in 1992 as an Advocate and Solicitor and from there on served as a Law Lecturer at the Accounting Department, Faculty of Business and Management, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM). During her tenure with UKM, in July 2000, she was seconded to the Regulatory and Standards Department of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA).

She has extensive experience in law reform initiatives and oversaw the passing of significant pieces of legislations under the purview of SSM, among others, the Companies Act 2016, Interest Schemes Act 2016, Limited Liability Partnership Act 2012 and Companies (Amendment) Act 2007. She is currently a Board Member of the Audit Oversight Board (AOB), Board Member for the Integrity Officer Accreditation Board (LPPIB), Board Member of the Financial Reporting Foundation (FRF), Member of the Approval and Implementation Committee of the Iskandar Regional Development Authority (IRDA), Board Member of the Labuan Financial Services Authority (Labuan FSA), Executive Committee member of the Corporate Registers Forum (CRF) which is an association of international corporate registries and recently appointed as an Adjunct Professor at National University of Malaysia.

She obtained her Law Degree from the Institut Teknologi MARA (now Universiti Teknologi MARA or UiTM) and her Master of Laws (LLM in Business Law) from the Aberystwyth University, United Kingdom.

Norhaiza Jemon is Director of Corporate Compliance Division of Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia (SSM) since 15 April 2024. Prior to her current position, she headed the Regulatory Development & Services Division. She is vastly experienced in regulatory policies through the review of legislations under the purview of SSM such as the introduction of the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2012, the Companies Act 2016 and the Interest Schemes Act 2016. She played key role in the introduction of regulatory framework for the beneficial ownership reporting for legal persons through the amendments to the Companies Act 2016 and the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2012. In her current role, she oversees SSM's various regulatory compliance programmes for the corporate sector towards ensuring the

effectiveness of the law under purview of SSM including the recent implementation of the discrepancy reporting mechanism on Beneficial Ownership.

Norhaslinda Salleh joined the Companies Commission of Malaysia (SSM) in January 2004. Currently she is the Director of Regulatory Development and Services Division since April 2024 where she manages and oversees the law reform initiatives towards creating a modern and conducive business environment in Malaysia through the review of legislations under the purview of SSM. Amongst the initiatives that she is currently managing are the revamp/amendment of the Trust Companies Act 1949, the Registration of Businesses Act 1956 and the introduction of a new legislation for secured transactions in Malaysia.

Prior to her current portfolio, she was the Director of the Registration Services Division (June 2023-March 2024) where she oversaw and managed the core operations function of SSM which comprises of all aspects of registration of companies and limited liabilities partnerships.

Her previous portfolios as Senior Manager were managing Insolvency Section (2015-2023) i.e. process and procedure of striking off, winding up, management of asset of dissolved companies and limited liability partnerships and overseeing the process and procedure relating to the Corporate Rescue Mechanisms (Judicial Management & Corporate Voluntary Arrangement) of companies, managing Corporate Planning Section (2011-2014) i.e. the strategic planning and project management of SSM and managing the Law Reform, Policy & International Affairs Section (2004-2015) i.e. the reform of the laws under the purview of SSM, drafting amendments to the laws, policy guidelines, practice directives and practice notes.

Prior to joining SSM in January 2004, Norhaslinda Salleh was in private legal practice where she was largely responsible in handling civil and commercial litigations since 1992.

Nurul Shams Rusli (Shams) is a Senior Deputy Director, Foreign Investment Division at MIDA. He is responsible for the coordination and facilitation of foreign investment promotional activities from North America and South East Asia-Oceania regional markets. He is also responsible for the high profile / official visits to those regional markets. Prior to this, he had the opportunity to serve various Industry Divisions and MIDA overseas offices such as the Food Technology & Resource Based Industries

Division, the Life Science & Medical Technology Division, MIDA US offices (Los Angeles, Houston and New York), the Chemical & Life Science Division and Foreign Investment Promotion Division.

Shams graduated in accounting (BA Hons) from Universiti Utara Malaysia in 1997 and served in the financial and accounting sector before joining public sector (MIDA) in 2002. He is also a certified chartered accountant.

Rezy Izwan Ramly was appointed as Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Corporate Services) of Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia (SSM) in March 2024. The portfolio under his supervision is Human Capital Division, Finance and Accounts Division, Administration, Procurement & Infrastructure Division, COMTRAC & Knowledge Management Division and State Office Operations Section. He started serving at SSM as the Head of the Prosecution Section in the Prosecution and Litigation Division in 2010. Then in February 2014, he was appointed as the Director of the Corporate Compliance Division and in July 2017, he was appointed as the Director of the Investigation Division. Then in June 2020 he was promoted to Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Registration & Business Services). He started his career as a Senior Prosecuting Officer at the Securities Commission. He has 13 years of experience in conducting criminal prosecutions related to white collar crime cases. Rezy Izwan Ramly graduated LLB (Hons.) from the University of Warwick, United Kingdom in 1998 and obtained the Certificate of Legal Practice (CLP) in 2000. He is also a Certified Financial Investigators (CFIs).

Ridhima Khanduja as a founder of ImpactPlus Consulting, leading as Partner and CEO, bringing over 20 years of consulting and line management experience. Ridhima is a recognized subject matter expert in leadership assessment and development, having shaped unique approaches that blends the science and art of coaching. She has successfully supported clients in various industries in developing their senior leaders.

Before founding ImpactPlus, Ridhima was the CEO/Partner leading Kincentric (a Spencer Stuart company) as the Country Head for Malaysia. She joined Kincentric through the strategic acquisition of Aon by Spencer Stuart, having previously spent over eight years at Aon, working across multiple geographies, including Singapore, Brunei, Vietnam, and the Philippines.

Before Aon, she held roles at PwC, ECS Limited, and HCL Technologies in India. With extensive expertise in people strategies, she has helped organizations achieve business outcomes through interventions in employee engagement, organizational culture, capability framework design, and HR effectiveness. As a recognized Subject Matter Expert in competency design, she contributed to Kincentric's unique approach to aligning the science and art of competencies. She has supported clients across industries—including Financial Services, Telecom, and Manufacturing—in defining behavioral and technical capability frameworks to enhance talent management.

She is a certified facilitator in multiple psychometric and cognitive assessment tools, including ADEPT (Aon's proprietary tool), MBTI, Facet 5, LPA, and IRIS. Leveraging these tools, she has assessed and coached over 500 managers across various levels and industries, tailoring competency-based, personality-driven, and cognitive-focused approaches to meet client needs.

Rosniwati Hussin is the Senior Manager of Marketing and Business Development Division (MBDD). Rosniwati is responsible in product development, marketing, and strategy. In MBDD, Rosniwati focuses on creating innovative product ideas based on emerging consumer trends. By researching customer behaviours, Rosniwati helps design effective marketing plans that connect with target audiences. Holding a degree in Management Accounting with honours from Universiti Teknologi Malaysia and with almost 22 years of working experience at Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia (SSM), Rosniwati brings a strong analytical and strategic mindset to her work.

Throughout her career at SSM, Rosniwati has developed a wealth of experience, including 16 years as a Manager in the Compliance Division. In this role, Rosniwati honed expertise in corporate compliance and data management, playing a pivotal role in ensuring that businesses remain compliant with regulatory standards. This experience has provided a unique perspective on how businesses can balance compliance with product innovation.

The Hon. Judicial Commissioner Tuan Saheran Suhendran was appointed Judicial Commissioner of the High Court Kuala Lumpur (Commercial Division) on 25 July 2024.

Judicial Commissioner Suhendran graduated with a Bachelor of Laws (Honours) from the University of London in 1982 and obtained a Master of Laws from the University of Cambridge in 1984. He is a Barrister-at-Law of the Honourable Society of Gray's Inn. He is admitted to the Bar of England and Wales (1983), the Malaysian Bar (1985), and the Singapore Bar (2007).

With close to 40 years of legal experience, Judicial Commissioner Suhendran practiced extensively in the areas of restructuring and insolvency, and corporate and shareholders' disputes.

The Honourable Judicial Commissioner is the co-author of the leading textbook relating to receivership law titled 'Corporate Receivership: The Law and Practice in Malaysia'.

Shai Ganu is passionate about corporate stewardship, embedding sustainability priorities, building better boards, combating climate crisis, and driving business transformations through effective incentives and organization development efforts.

Shai is the Global Leader for WTW's Executive Compensation & Board Advisory business. He leads a team of over 450 exceptional consultants, across 45 countries, who are trusted advisors to clients on issues related to board and executive compensation, performance management and incentives, board effectiveness, organisation design, culture transformation, and human-capital governance.

Based in Singapore, Shai has extensive experience working closely with the Boards and management teams of some of the largest companies in Asia Pacific and globally. He is a trusted advisor to more than a hundred Boards, Remuneration Committees, Nomination Committees, and Sustainability Committees.

Shai is a member of the Governing Board of the Singapore Institute of Directors (SID) and chairs its ESG Committee. He is faculty member at NED associations in the region – and teaches courses related on Remuneration, Nomination, Talent Management, and ESG matters.

He is a Senior Accredited Director and serves on the boards of leading companies and not-for-profits in the region and chairs the Compensation, Nominations, and Sustainability committees. He is a member of the Global Governing Board of Climate Governance Initiative (CGI), as well as the World Economic Forum's (WEF's) Climate Governance Global Community of Experts.

Tan Sri Andrew Sheng is a former central banker and financial regulator in Asia and a commentator on global finance. He is a member of International Advisory Council of National Financial Regulatory Administration, China Securities Regulatory Commission and China Investment Corporation, Advisory Board of Bank Indonesia Institute and he is one of the Chief Executive's Council of Advisers, The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region.

He is Pro-Chancellor of Bristol University and Distinguished Fellow, Asia Global Institute, University of Hong Kong, as well as Chairman, George Town Institute of Open and Advanced Studies, Wawasan Open University (WOU). He is an Adjunct Professor at the Graduate School of Economics and Management, Tsinghua University, Beijing and Faculty of Economics, University of Malaya. He is a Professor by Practice at School of Business and Administration, WOU. He also the distinguished professor at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen campus.

Tan Sri Sheng is author of "From Asian to Global Financial Crisis: An Asian Regulator's View of Unfettered Finance in the 1990s and 2000s" (2009) and "Bringing Shadow Banking into the Light: Opportunity for Financial Reform in China" (2015). He writes regularly on international finance and monetary economics, financial regulation and global governance for leading economic magazines and newspapers in China and Asia. In 2013, Andrew was named by Time magazine as one of the 100 most influential people in the world. He also appeared in the Oscar-winning film "Inside Job" in 2011.

Steven Yates is a technology executive and board member who is passionate about bringing people, process and technology together to achieve tangible outcomes. He has over 20 years' experience working in many roles, including chief technology officer, chief operating officer, director of strategy & consulting, enterprise architect, consultant, and coach across a variety of industries. Steven has extensive experience in working with the executive suite to simplify

and align security, data and technology with strategic directives.

Steven is currently the Chief Technology Officer for a leading boutique digital transformation firm headquartered in Singapore, and offices in Hong Kong, Australia, the United Kingdom, and Dubai. At the same time, he is the Chief Operating Officer for a leading cloud transformation organisation assisting the executive leadership of South Africa's financial services industry navigate their cloud transformation journeys and preparing them for the cyber threat landscape. He is also an executive technology leader (as outsourced CTO) for a globally renowned hospitality organisation to drive digital transformation, cyber risk management and governance.

Steven led the architectural design and adoption of a go-to-market framework across a global Telco organisation on behalf of the global services CEO. Apart from that, he developed and delivered the eHealth strategy for the Ghana health ministry, including the cross boarder engagement and cyber protection. He also designed and implemented a digital transformation programme for executive management at a global telco focusing on Enterprise Architecture, agile ways of working, cyber resilience, DevOps, Cloud migration, and Process Optimisation.

Steven produces the executive Cyber report for the Chairman of the Bankers Association of Philippines and CEO of Philippine largest Bank. In the past, he provided Architectural training for over 1000 financial institution executives down to mid-level managers to enable a global bank to accelerate their digital transformation and cyber reliance. Steven has held executive leadership delivery and coaching positions, and helped grow businesses across Africa, the UK, Australia, Singapore and Hong Kong. Steven holds the Togaf 9 Enterprise Architect qualification and is Certified Trainer (ExecuTrain). He has a Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration from University Pretoria and BSc in Computer Science from Rhodes University. As ICDM Facilitator, Steven has conducted various Cybersecurity & Technology Risk programmes for

companies from property & financial institutions.

As ICDM Facilitator, Steven has conducted various Cybersecurity & Technology Risk programmes for companies from different industries. He has received positive feedback on his engagement and delivery style and most importantly, his ability to address participants' concerns from a board director's lens.

Yau Yee Ming is a partner in M&A and Foreign Direct Investment, Christopher & Lee Ong, and has been in legal practice for over 20 years with deep industry knowledge across multiple sectors including telecommunications, information technology, logistics engineering, oil and gas services, and retail businesses.

With over 10 years of experience in strategy, commercial and general management roles within various multinational corporations across multiple industries, Yee Ming's forte is managing complex negotiations, especially in a technical environment, and drawing upon his ability to provide sound legal advice with significant commercial and industry insights.

Clients leverage Yee Ming's industry experience by engaging him to lead their in-house M&A teams in advising on project-managing, negotiating and closing transactions.

He has been engaged in projects involving the engineering, procurement and construction of monorail lines, wireless telecoms networks and information technology systems. He has also been involved in undertaking due diligence and advising on acquisitions and disposals of IT businesses, oil country tubular goods (OCTG) and waste treatment and disposal businesses, logistics businesses, mining concessions, commercial real estate projects and franchised retail businesses in the region, particularly in Malaysia, Singapore and Vietnam. Yee Ming has also consulted on and developed templates incorporating best practices for use in large-scale procurements.

Clients of the firm have lauded Yee Ming as "a good negotiator who provides strong advice" and a very "attentive" lawyer.



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As the leading authority in corporate governance, SSM ensures compliance with corporate and business laws through effective

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- Companies Act 2016 (Act 777)
- Interest Schemes Act 2016 (Act 778)
- Registration of Businesses Act 1956 (Act 197)
- Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2012 (Act 743)
- Trust Companies Act 1949 (Act 100)
- Kootu Funds (Prohibition) Act 1971 (Act 28)

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