

Green and Sustainable Finance: Market and Regulatory Development (Zoom Webinar)

Introduction

With the increased awareness of climate change, green and sustainable finance is an expanding area of financial activities in the recent years. The Hong Kong Government and regulators are actively promoting this asset class with various incentive schemes, with the ultimate aim of establishing Hong Kong as a green and sustainable finance hub.

This webinar will address and navigate the market and regulatory development in the green finance journey by **case study sharing**.

Highlights

The speaker will cover:

1. Green Loan and Green Bond Principles
2. Major green finance products
3. Green certification
4. Hong Kong Green Latest Regulatory Development

The speaker will use real life cases from Hong Kong to illustrate the key points in the webinar, highlighting the importance of green finance from the market and regulatory perspectives.

Target Audience

Listed Companies, Board Members, Directors, CXO Level Management, Chartered governance professionals, Risk Management Officers, Legal and Compliance Officers, Lawyers, Internal Auditors, Investors, Debt capital market professionals and Sustainability/ESG professionals.

Speaker's Profile

Dr. Stan Ho
Adjunct Professor

Dr. Stan Ho is an experienced investment banking and credit rating expert, with equity capital market and corporate finance experience in Credit Suisse, Merrill Lynch and Bear Stearns, and credit rating experience at Fitch Ratings and Lianhe Global. Stan is the Adjunct Professor (EMBA) of the College of Business at City University of Hong Kong (CityU).

Stan has solid and direct green finance and certification experience. Stan is involved in the rating of green and sustainable bonds issued by various Chinese issuers in the international capital market. Stan is also the Green Finance Certification Scheme Technical Committee Member of Hong Kong Quality Assurance Agency (HKQAA), where he is one of the approval members of the HKQAA green certification of the bonds issued, and loans borrowed, by Chinese and Hong Kong corporates and financial institutions. Stan is the Green Finance and Sustainability Subject Advisory Panel Member at Hong Kong Institute of Bankers (HKIB) and the Sole Author of the Certified Banker (Stage Two) Study Guide "Green Finance and Sustainability". Stan is the Faculty Member of the Executive Certificate in ESG Analysis & Green Finance Valuation of Friends of the Earth Hong Kong (FoE HK), and is the EFFAS Certified ESG Analyst (CESGA).

Stan graduated with BBA in Information Systems at HKUST, MBA from University of Cambridge, and DBA from CityU. Stan is awarded the Distinguished Alumni Award by CityU College of Business in 2022. Stan is a Member at the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb).

Dr. Christopher To
Gilt Chambers
(Moderator)

Christopher is a chartered arbitrator, certified adjudicator and accredited mediator, chartered engineer, chartered information technology professional, barrister-at-law and a law professor (adjunct) who is on the panels of various leading global alternative dispute resolution bodies. He has arbitrated, adjudicated and mediated a variety of cases and is representing clients in cases within the dispute resolution field.

Christopher is currently a barrister at law and the Programme Director of the LLM in Arbitration and Dispute Resolution at the City University of Hong Kong and was the Secretary-General of the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (1998 to 2008).

Event Details

Date:	22 November 2022 (Tuesday)
Time:	6:00pm – 8:00 pm (HK Time)
Medium:	Cantonese
Fee:	<p>You will enjoy <u>early bird rate</u> if register and pay before <u>8 November 2022</u></p> <p>HK\$460/head (regular)</p> <p>HK\$430/head (<i>‘early bird’ for public</i>)</p> <p>HK\$400/head (<i>‘early bird’ for ICC-HK/ HKCGI/ HKPASEA members</i>)</p> <p>HK\$400/head (<i>‘early bird’ for company with 3 registrants +</i>)</p> <p>HK\$375/head (<i>‘early bird’ for ICC-HK/ HKCGI/ HKPASEA corporate members with 3 registrants +</i>)</p>
Registration:	<p>Please fill in the registration form attached and return to us by <u>15 November 2022</u>. Successful registrants will receive a link and password confirming their attendance by email.</p>
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