SPEAKER PROFILES



VISHAL HARNAL

General Partner **500 Startups**

Vishal is a General Partner at 500 Startups, the world's most active seed stage venture capital firm in deals and exits with over 2400 investments across 70 countries. Vishal leads the Southeast Asia focused 500 Durians family of funds which have invested in over 200 companies in the region including being early in Grab, Bukalapak, Carousell and many other regional champions. Some exits in Southeast Asia include TradeGecko, PolicyPal and Kudo. Vishal is also a Kauffman Fellow and teaches and lectures on venture capital at some of the world's leading institutions.



ANKUSH JAIN

Chief Investment Officer & Co-founder Aaro Capital

As Chief Investment Officer at Aaro Capital, Ankush directs the firm's investment strategy, leading fund selection and portfolio construction. Before co-founding Aaro Capital, he was part of the Multifund investment team at \$24bn Nedgroup Investments, where he was actively involved in the asset allocation process as part of the International Investment and Strategy Committees. He also advised on manager screening and manager selection across multiple asset classes. Ankush has broad experience in financial markets, working closely with both institutional investors and HNWIs, and has been actively trading cryptocurrencies on his personal account since 2017. He holds an MSc in Investment & Wealth Management from Imperial College Business School. He is also a CFA Charterholder and a member of the CFA Institute.



YUZHI WANG

Senior Investment Manager, Infrastructure Investments **ADIA**

Yuzhi Wang is a Senior Investment Manager in the Infrastructure Division at the Abu Dhabi Investment Authority. Since joining ADIA in 2015, he has been responsible for sourcing, executing, and managing infrastructure assets in both the private and public markets. Previously, Yuzhi was part of the Infrastructure Private Investments group at CPP Investments, based in Toronto. He holds a MBA from Queen's University and is a CFA charterholder.



PETER GLASER

Head of European Direct Lending Alcentra (a BNY Mellon Investment Management firm)

Peter joined Alcentra in May 2018 and is Head of European Direct Lending. He is also a member of Alcentra's Executive Management Committee and Chairman of the European Direct Lending Investment Committee. Prior to joining Alcentra, Peter was a partner at KKR, where he built and headed the firm's sponsor finance business. In his role, he led the firm's origination and execution activities providing capital through its Private Credit and Capital Markets platforms. Peter was previously a Managing Director at Barclays Capital and held roles on the U.S. Leveraged Finance team as its Co-Head of Origination & Execution and Co-Head of the Financial Sponsors Group. He built and led the firm's client coverage activities and managed the team which provided execution support to all sponsor and corporate leveraged finance transactions. In his ~30 year career in finance, he has also held various positions in mergers & acquisitions and leveraged finance at Bank of America, Goldman Sachs, Dillon Read, and James D. Wolfensohn Inc. Peter received his MBA from Harvard Business School and a BA from the University of Pennsylvania.



CLAUS FINTZEN

Chief Investment Officer and Head of Infrastructure Debt Allianz GI

Claus Fintzen is the CIO and Head of Infrastructure Debt at AllianzGI in London. The infrastructure debt platform was created in 2012 in order to develop the institutional market for this asset class and to originate suitable transactions for the Allianz Group and certain external institutional investors. So far the team invested in excess of EUR18billion in projects of the transportation, social infrastructure, energy and utility sector globally.

Before joining AllianzGI Claus spent eight years at MBIA/Trifinium as a Director, where he was involved in a variety of transactions, including transportation, social housing, renewables, real estate and corporate debt, and was responsible for the origination and structuring of transactions in Germany and Austria. Before joining MBIA/Trifinium Claus spent nine years at Citigroup, working in the structured finance, securitisation and alternative risk transfer departments.

Claus has a degree in business administration from the European Business School in Oestrich-Winkel, Germany.



SVEN TREU

Head of Risk Management Solutions Allianz Global Investors

Sven Treu is a Director at risklab, the investment and risk advisory experts of Allianz Global Investors. He heads the Risk Management Solutions team and is responsible for advising institutional clients on risk management solutions. This includes the development and customisation of dynamic risk management strategies to specific client portfolios and requirements.

Sven joined AllianzGI in 2005 as a Financial Engineer at risklab. He has since led the Dynamic Asset Allocation team at risklab as well as the Munich Risk Management Overlay portfolio management team within the Multi Asset team. Throughout his career, Sven has contributed to AllianzGI's Risk Management Overlay offering and been advising clients in the strategy.

Sven obtained a master's degree in a combined course of studies in physics and economics (Dipl. Phys. oec.) from the University of Ulm, Germany, in 2005. Sven is a CFA charterholder.



VINCENT AU

Chief Investment Officer ALPS Advisory

Vincent joined ALPS Advisory in 2018 as Managing Director and is the Chief Investment Officer. His main focuses are designing and developing investment strategies and solutions for UHNW & HNW clients, and actively managing ALPS's multi-asset portfolios. Prior to joining ALPS, Vincent was a senior portfolio manager at Asia Capital Re in Singapore, an alternative investment portfolio manager at Aerion in the UK, a multi-asset portfolio manager at MMC UK pension fund and a G7 bond fund manager at British Airways Pension. A holder of a master's degree in International Trade and Finance from Lancaster University, UK. A CFA Charter holder.



ISAAC KURUVILLA

Head of Investments & Commercial Property Anglican Church, Diocese of Sydney

Isaac, Head of Investments - over 19 years has built a strong foundation of investment and finance experience from an endowment perspective. Isaac is passionate about using the resources of the Diocese to help its beneficiaries achieve their long term goals.

He is an active member of his Church, and is very passionate about volunteer work, with over 20 years at the Starlight Foundation to help brighten the lives of children through close-up magic and balloon twisting.

He is also a "squash tragic" and plays in a few squash competitions.



HIROSHI YOH

Chief Investment Officer Asset Management One (Singapore)

Mr. Yoh has 31 years of industry experience, having successfully built three asset management companies - Franklin Templeton Investment Management Japan, Tokio Marine Asset Management International Singapore and Janus Capital Singapore. Prior to AM One, he was the Head of Equity with AIA Investment Management. Hiroshi has a Masters from Tsukuba University of Japan and has also completed the Harvard Advanced Management Program. He is a CFA and CMA Holder.



CHRIS DREW

Investment Manager - Public Markets Australian Catholic Superannuation & Retirement Fund (ACSRF)

Chris Drew is the Investment Manager – Public Markets at Australian Catholic Superannuation and Retirement Fund. In this role Chris is responsible for the long-term strategy and day-to-day management of the Fund's \$4b.5n listed and unlisted equity portfolios.

Prior to joining ACSRF, Chris was an Investment Manager in the equities team at Sunsuper and Senior Investment Analyst at the Energy Industries Superannuation Scheme (EISS)/FuturePlus Financial Services.

Chris holds a Graduate Diploma of Applied Finance from Kaplan Professional and a BSc (Hons) in Management Science from the University of Wales, Swansea.



CYRIL PAILLARD

Head of Business Development – Structured Finance Division AXA Investment Manager Alts

Prior to AXA Investment Managers, Cyril Paillard worked at Jefferies Group, Inc. as a Managing Director in Mortgage- and Asset-Backed Securities, where he covered institutional clients in France and Northern Europe. He previously worked at ABN Amro Bank N.V. and therefore Royal Bank of Scotland, where he was EMEA Head of Credit Structured Products & Solutions Sales since 2001. Cyril graduated in 1992 from Grenoble Ecole de Management Management.



PHILIPP COTTIER

Chairman Bellegarde Capital

Dr. Philipp Cottier is an active investor and entrepreneur in blockchain, fintech and impact start-ups. He is Chairman of his family office Bellegarde Capital and of L1 Digital, a Zurich-based firm focusing on blockchain and crypto investments; and holds other board mandates including Crypto Finance, Persistent Energy and previously Bank Vontobel and responsAbility Investments. From 1998 to 2008 Philipp built up and successfully exited Harcourt Investments, a \$6b alternative asset manager. He started his career at UBS in Basel, NY, HK, and BCG in Sydney. Philipp holds two master's degrees and a Ph.D. in finance from University of St. Gallen. He is a committed philanthropist and avid supporter of girl empowerment through the Cottier Donzé Foundation. Philipp is also a passionate mountaineer and completed the first traverse of the North West Passage with a catamaran with his family.



TIM WONG

Co-Head of Portfolio Management, Alternative Solutions Group **BlackRock**

Tim Wong, Director, is the co-head of Portfolio Management for the Alternative Solutions Group within BlackRock Alternative Investors (BAI). He is responsible for managing investment solutions across Alternatives, covering both direct opportunistic and multi-alternative portfolios.

Mr. Wong joined BlackRock in 2014. Previously, he worked as a portfolio manager at AQR Capital Management focused on volatility strategies and hedging. He started his career at Lehman Brothers, first in automated market making and subsequently, in the Quant Research team within Fixed Income Repo.

Mr. Wong earned a BS degree in computer science from Stony Brook University in 2005.



NEERAJ SETH

Head of Asian Credit BlackRock

Neeraj Seth, Managing Director, is the Head of Asian Credit and has been in his current role since 2009. He is the portfolio manager for the Asian Tiger Bond Fund and Asia Pacific private credit fund. He leads the strategy for Asian Fundamental Credit and is responsible for providing oversight of the investment process, performance, and the team's infrastructure as well as determining the strategic direction and growth initiatives of the platform. He has been responsible for building the Asian fundamental credit business since 2009. Prior to joining BlackRock in 2009, Mr. Seth was a Senior Vice President focusing on the Asia Pacific market for R3 Capital Partners. He previously held a similar role with the Global Principal Strategies team at Lehman Brothers. Previously, he was an Associate Partner with McKinsey & Company where he was in the leadership group for the Technology & Telecom practice in Southeast Asia.

Mr. Seth earned a BE degree in mechanical engineering from Delhi University and an MBA degree in finance from the Indiana University of Kelley School of Business.



MARK BARTON

Former Anchor Bloomberg TV

Mark Barton is one of the best-known anchors in global business television news.

Mark was was one of five journalists who founded Bloomberg Television's European operations in London in the mid-1990s. Over the next two decades he went on to play an integral role in establishing Bloomberg TV as a global financial and business news network, broadcast in almost half a billion homes in over 70 countries.

Mark anchored all of Bloomberg Television's prime-time programs over a 23-year career, breaking and analysing the biggest global business, financial market and geopolitical events of the past two decades, including six UK general elections, six US elections, the global financial crisis and Brexit. He also conducted over 20,000 interviews with world leaders, finance ministers, central bankers and chief executives, including Bill Gates, Shimon Peres and Jean-Claude Trichet.

Mark left Bloomberg Television in August 2018 to embark on a new career as a moderator, media trainer and communications & public relations specialist.

He moderates panels on business, tech, financial markets, politics, sport & social issues, and gives coaching sessions to elevate presentation & broadcast interview skills.



SU TENGAH

Head of Alternative Asset Brunei Investment Agency

Surainah is Head of Alternative Assets at Brunei Investment Agency. Her primary responsibilities are strategy and oversight of the Sovereign Wealth Fund's private equity, multi-asset, hedge fund and commodities portfolios. In the past has covered research and portfolio management in the areas of Economics, Sovereign Bonds, Credit and Equity. Her other areas of interest are Asset Allocation, Portfolio Solutions and Financial Innovation.

Brunei Investment Agency

Brunei Investment Agency (BIA) is a future generation fund established in July 1983 by the Government of Brunei. The fund actively manages a portfolio of well diversified assets and aims to deliver superior risk adjusted returns driven by its core values of Excellence, Mutual Respect, Integrity and Teamwork.



JOANNE MURPHY

Managing Director Asia Pacific, Industry Relations, CAIA Association

Jo has been in Asia for almost 23 years, predominantly based in Hong Kong but with two valuable years spent in Singapore. She has held several senior Asia Pacific wide management positions, successfully leading sales, business development, marketing and client relationship management divisions for major institutions; and has both built and managed large and effective regionally located teams.

Jo was expatriated to Hong Kong, with Morgan Stanley, in early 1997 and has worked for several global institutions; covering intermediary, buy and sell side, entrepreneurial and now in a professional education business environment throughout the Alternative Investment industry.

In 2000, Jo joined HSBC Securities Services (previously Bank of Bermuda) as Head of Sales, Asia Pacific (based in Hong Kong) and in 2005 moved on to Head of Sales Asia (ex Japan) and Product Specialist for all alternative investment products at Deutsche Asset Management (in Singapore). In 2008 Jo rejoined the ex-Head of Bank of Bermuda / HSBC at Triple A Partners a privately held group. In early 2012 Jo joined the Chartered Alternative Investment Analyst (CAIA) Association, the international leader in alternative investment education and provider of the CAIA designation, as Managing Director, Asia Pacific.

Jo enjoys the reputation of being hard-working, capable, committed and commercial; was voted "Asia's most influential woman in the alternative sector" and also one of "The 25 most influential people in Asian hedge funds" by the industry's leading AsianInvestor magazine. Jo also was a founding member of the Hong Kong AIMA Chapter, previously held an Executive Committee Member position and now sits on its Education Committee. Further, she also holds a number of corporate advisory positions, is a Fellow of UniSIM University (Singapore) as well as an advisory council member of UPACA Gurukul (India).



JACK WU

Director of Content, APAC CAIA Association

Jack Wu serves as Director of Content, Asia Pacific at CAIA, where he supports the research, curation and development of knowledge in the alternative investment space. He is also responsible for executing the organisation's content strategy and CAIA Charter Program curriculum.

Prior to his role at CAIA Association, Jack served as an investment professional at fund manager - Credit Suisse and SC Capital Partners - focusing on Real Estate asset class where he completed over \$800 million of direct investments across Asia Pacific markets, and across real estate types. He has also worked at financial institution as an industry specialist focusing on power, oil & gas and real estate, and at sovereign wealth fund where he completed manager investments and direct investments in both private equity and real estate space. Jack earned a 1st class hons in Bachelor of Engineering (Computer Engineering). He also holds the Charted Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.



LEANNE TAYLOR

Head of Macroeconomic and Market Research Cbus Superfund

Leanne Taylor as head of macroeconomic and markets research Cbus Superfund since Jan 2018. Taylor was the head of investment strategy and research management at Allard Partners. She has previously held roles with IAG, Merrill Lynch, St George Wealth - Investment Solutions, Westpac and the Reserve Bank of Australia.



RAVI STICKNEY

Managing Partner & Chief Investment Officer, Real Estate Cheyne Capital

Ravi Stickney serves as the head of the firm's real estate business, since its inception in 2008, and has grown the business to its current position as a leader in the European real estate debt markets. He has over 20 years' experience in European real estate markets. Previously he was on ING Bank's proprietary investments desk (2005 to 2008), with sole responsibility for managing a €400 million long/short portfolio of European commercial real estate credits and CMBS, along with special situations investing. Prior to that, he was at Lehman Brothers, structuring and executing UK and European CMBS/RMBS and commercial real estate mezzanine loans. Ravi graduated from Cambridge University with a Master's degree in Engineering.



TIAN GAN

Chief Executive Officer & Chief Investment Officer China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Limited

Mr. GAN has over 15 years of investment management experience. Joining ChinaAMC(HK) since its establishment in 2008, he now serves as the CEO, CIO, and the portfolio manager of the firm's oldest equity absolute return strategy. Prior to joining ChinaAMC(HK), he was a Portfolio Manager at China Asset Management Co. Ltd, the parent company of ChinaAMC(HK), where he managed a Greater China equity absolute return strategy and the H-shares sub-portfolio of a QDII fund. From 2005 to 2008, he served as a Portfolio Manager in Guotai Junan Assets (Asia) Ltd, managed two open-ended China equity funds. Mr. GAN holds a Master's degree in Finance and Investment Banking at the University of Reading. He also holds a Master's degree in Business Analysis and Finance from the University of Leicester. Mr. GAN attended Sichuan University, PRC where he received his Bachelor's degree in Architecture and Environment.



SETH GINNS

Managing Partner, Head of Liquid Strategy and VC Investment Committee Member **CoinFund**

Seth is a Managing Partner at CoinFund serving as Head of Liquid Investments and a key member on the Venture Investment Committee. His expertise and network span from the earliest stage startups to the largest public companies, and from the cutting edge of innovation to more traditional industries. Seth made his first crypto investment in 2012 and has not looked back since, now holding a diverse portfolio of crypto and angel investments. In addition to his eight years in crypto investing, Seth brings eighteen years of traditional fundamental growth equities investing from Jennison Associates, Seth holds a BA in Mathematics and South Asia Studies from the University of Pennsylvania.



RAYMOND CHAN

Managing Director, Head of APAC Credit CPP Investments, Asia Inc

Raymond leads our Asia credit business. Prior to joining CPP Investments, he was a managing director at SSG Capital, responsible for special situations investments and secured lending in Greater China.

Previously, Raymond was the Head of Greater China at Intermediate Capital Group, Senior Fund Manager at RAB Capital and head of Asia Asset Management at D.B. Zwirn. He started his career with HSBC, departing as a team head of the Real Estate Sector.

Raymond holds a BSSc in Economics from the Chinese University of Hong Kong and an MBA from the EMBA program of the Chinese University of Hong Kong.



NIKLAUS HILTI

Chief Executive Officer & Chief Investment Officer Credit Suisse Insurance Linked Strategies Ltd

Niklaus has more than 20 years of experience in the insurance and ILS industry and has been with the team since the beginning at Bank Leu in 2003. Prior to joining Bank Leu and later Credit Suisse, he spent two years at Helvetia Insurance, where he was Head of the Non-Life Reinsurance team. Prior to Helvetia, he served as Head of the Natural Catastrophe Pricing team at Converium Ltd. Niklaus holds a Master's degree in mathematical physics and meteorology from the University of Basel, Switzerland. He also conducted research into climate modelling at the University of Hamburg, Germany.



HARRY MURRAY,

CFA, Portfolio Manager Deer Park Road Management Company, LP

Mr. Murray joined Deer Park Road in November of 2012. His role includes active oversight of the portfolios, monthly quantitative analysis, quantitative reporting and individual security analysis for valuation purposes. Mr. Murray was brought on as a Partner in 2019. Prior to joining DPR, Mr. Murray worked for three and a half years in New York City for Fogel Neale Partners, a wealth and institutional management firm, where he was an associate portfolio manager focused on fixed income and equity management. Mr. Murray graduated from the University of Colorado, Boulder, in 2010 where he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science. He earned his Master's in Business Administration from Duke University Fuqua School of Business in December 2019. Additionally, he is a CFA Charterholder.



JAI RUPANI

Chief Investment Officer & Principal Dinesh Hinduja Family Office (Gokaldas)

Jai is a man who wears many hats. As the CIO of the Dinesh Hinduja Family Office, he oversees investments across all asset classes for the group: real estate, equities, bonds, structured products, private equity and venture capital. He is also the Managing Partner for Gokaldas Lifestyle, the Group's luxury real estate development firm.

Prior to joining the Gokaldas Group, Mr. Rupani was part of the investment team at True North (erstwhile India Value Fund), a USD 2.2 billion private equity fund

in Mumbai. During his tenure at True North, Jai led the investments into Merucabs (one of India's first taxi-aggregation companies) and ACT Broadband (a leading IPTV and broadband service provider). Prior to True North, Mr. Rupani was an investment banker with The Royal Bank of Canada Capital Markets Group in their San Francisco office for several years. At RBC Capital Markets, Jai was an integral part of the technology investment banking team managing IPO's, private placements and M&A deals.

He has completed his formal education in Finance and Real Estate at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (BBA) and the University of Texas at Austin (MBA) in the United States. In his free time he enjoys mentoring start-ups, playing golf and spending time with his family.



JESSE FRIEDLANDER

CIO DVP

Prior to founding Des Voeux Partners, Mr. Friedlander worked in equity and credit research as well as capital markets for JPMorgan, Merrill Lynch and Susquehanna International Group. Previously he was a financial analyst for Yuanta Securities in Taiwan and a Bottling Operations Manager for the Coca-Cola Company in Beijing. Mr Friedlander has served on the Board of Governors of the American Chamber of Commerce in Beijing, as Presidents of the Yale Clubs of Beijing and Hong Kong, and as Trustee of New Asia College of Chinese University of Hong Kong. He graduated cum laude and with honors in East Asian Studies from Yale College and holds an MBA from Wharton and a MA from Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies. He is also a Chartered Financial Analyst and contributor to the Insights section of the South China Morning Post.



GAURAV SAHNI

Head of Asset Management Estee Capital

Gaurav runs Estee's Asset Management business globally comprising of trading strategies/ algorithms, business strategy & development and international operations functions. He has grounds up experience in automated trading business spanning strategy formulation, back-testing, portfolio management, followed by a gradual progression to the business side creating/implementing growth strategies to build scalable and profitable businesses. He has 15+ years of work experience in portfolio management, analytics and business development.



MOHAMMAD HASSAN

Head Analyst, Hedge Funds **Eurekahedge**

Mohammad Hassan, CFA heads the hedge fund research, analysis and indexation for Eurekahedge/HFM and oversees the company's monthly research reports with an audience of over 100,000 most of whom are institutional investor clientele. Hassan leads the company's indexation and benchmarking endeavors and is credited with the launch various hedge fund benchmarks notably the CBOE Eurekahedge Volatility Hedge Fund Indices, the Eurekahedge AI Hedge Fund Index and the first-of-its-kind Eurekahedge Multi-Factor Risk Premia Index. Hassan has expertise in quantitative investment due diligence on hedge fund strategies and has overseen manager selection for the Eurekahedge Asian hedge fund awards for the past eight years. As a subject matter expert on alternative investments, Hassan is regularly featured in news media and is regularly cited for his views on global macroeconomics and the hedge fund industry. Hassan regularly anchors and moderates complex hedge fund panels with institutional investors and family offices across Europe and Asia Pacific.

Hassan is a CFA Charter holder experienced in fund research and indexation with a bachelor's degree in Economics from the National University of Singapore and a professional certification from the Henley Business School Executive hedge fund program.



JETHRO GOODCHILD

CIO FWD

> Jethro is responsible for overall investment activities and portfolio management of the FWD Life Insurance Company (Bermuda) Limited, FWD Life Macau, and FWD General Insurance, as well as supervision of the investment team and supporting the FWD Financial Planning advisory business. He plays a central role in managing, repositioning and optimising investments across different asset classes and all portfolios. He is also responsible for portfolio strategy across the Group to drive portfolio performance through investment ideas and asset allocation.

> Jethro has over 20 years of experience in financial services, across actuarial and investment management. Before joining FWD Group, Jethro was Head of Asian Credit and Deputy CIO for Aviva Investors Asia for 7 years managing fixed income portfolios and delivering multi-asset solutions. Prior to this he managed investment portfolios across the Asia Pacific region at Deutsche Asset Management and AMP Capital. His career started at AMP Financial Services as an actuarial analyst for defined benefit superannuation plans. Jethro has a Bachelor of Economics in Actuarial Studies from Macquarie University, and is a Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries of Australia and a Fellow of the Singapore Actuarial Society.



ALI ASAD

Vice President, Portfolio Manager **GIC**

Ali Asad, CFA, Vice President, has been a Portfolio Manager in the Real Return Program at GIC's Economics and Investment Strategy Department since 2016. Ali currently manages a portfolio of Alternative Risk Premia (sometimes also referred to as Style Premia and Smart Beta), both internally and externally via asset managers and banks. Ali joined GIC from NTUC Income Insurance Co-operative, where he held various roles since 2010, ranging from external manager selection, asset allocation and management of a global quantitative macro portfolio. Ali holds a Bachelor's degree of Economics with a double major in Business (Finance) from Nanyang Technological University in Singapore. Ali is also a CFA charter holder.



STEPHEN PAU

Chief Investment Officer HeFeng Family Office

Stephen is currently the Chief Investment Officer at Hefeng Family Office. Before Hefeng, he held financial positions in various institutions, including senior portfolio manager at Veco Invest (Asia) Limited; managing multi-manager portfolios at The Hong Kong Jockey Club, the largest institutional investors in the Asia Pacific region; at the quantitative micro-strategy team with Deutsche Bank, ranked one of the top three research teams in the Quantitative / Derivative Category by Institu-tional Investors; a portfolio analysis specialist with JP Morgan Asset Management in the UK; and a fixed income analyst for The St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc. in the UK. Stephen has a MSc in Actuarial Science from Cass Business School in the UK, and is a Chartered Statistician and a Chartered Scientist.



NITAI UTKARSH

Lead - Investment Strategy Hero MotoCorp Limited

A Financial Services professional with deep expertise in Family Office and the Investment Advisory space, Nitai heads the Chairman's Family Office at Hero MotoCorp Ltd., the world's largest two-wheeler manufacturer. One of the first Family Office professionals in India, Nitai was key to development of the concept of Family Office Services in the country. His interests and expertise lie in dealing with complex structural issues (solutions for Family Governance, Global Wealth preservation and transmission) and in implementing portfolio risk-reward optimisation techniques. Nitai holds a degree in engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology and MBA from the Indian Institute of Management.



MARY DELAHUNTY

Head of Impact HESTA

Mary is the Head of Impact for HESTA and has been with the fund since early 2013. She has held senior roles in financial services organisations for over 15 years and is passionate about progressing responsible investment practices. HESTA is one of Australia's largest superannuation funds with \$54bn under management and over 870,000 members.

Mary is a 2015 Churchill Fellow awarded for the completion of international research on equity for women in pension systems.

Mary is the Chair of the Ministerial Advisory Council for Gender Equality in the State of Victoria. The Council's role is to advise the Minister for Women on the Safe and Strong equality strategy.

Mary is also a councillor and former Mayor of the City of Glen Eira. Mary is also a Board Member of The Emergency Services Telecommunication Authority and an advisory panel member for the State Government, she is a past Chair of Reclink Australia, a National Not For Profit organisation offering sports and recreation opportunities to break the cycle for disadvantaged Australians.

Mary holds a Masters of Finance (Corporate Advisory) and has three young children.



RODNEY DIOLA

Deputy Editor HFM AsiaHedge

Rodney Diola, the deputy editor at AsiaHedge, the HFM publication focused on Asian hedge funds, is a veteran journalist who has written extensively on Asian business, asset management, and finance in a career spanning more than three decades.

Besides HFM, Rodney has worked with other leading publications in the region, including Euromoney, The Asset, and the Hong Kong Standard. In the last ten

years his forte at AsiaHedge is breaking exclusive hedge fund stories from the region. He had also written several extensive special reports on private banking, investing, and electronic trading, among others, for the South China Morning Post and other Asian publications.

He was Associate Fellow in 1993-1994 for investigative journalism at the East-West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii, and the Center for Investigative Reporting in San Francisco.



ALAN LIU

Head of Treasury Hong Kong Housing Society

Alan Liu, Head of Treasury, Hong Kong Housing Society, is responsible for oversight of the Hong Kong Housing Society's HKD 30bn investment portfolio and will be our special guest for this inaugural event. In an intimate and candid discussion Alan will on the challenges of generating sufficient returns in an environment of elevated valuations across most asset classes. Alan Liu has a wealth of experience, prior to joining the Housing Society, Alan held senior positions as an Actuary, Asset Consultant, Investment Manager and an expert advisor and capability selector in alternatives, a very rare combination.



HENRY CHAU

Head of Investment Hong Kong Jockey Club

Henry Chau is Head of Investments for the Hong Kong Jockey Club. He is responsible for the management of the Club's financial assets and oversee a diverse portfolio across fixed income, credit, equities and alternatives. He leads a team of professionals in implementing the investment process across strategic asset allocation, evaluation of investment strategies, risk management, monitoring of existing managers and due diligence of prospective managers. Henry gained a Bachelor of Business Administration in Finance from Schulich School of Business, York University and holds the CFA and CAIA designations.



NEIL STANFORD

Head of Private Equity Hostplus

Neil Stanford is the Head of Private Equity at Hostplus, the national superannuation fund serving the hospitality, tourism, recreation, sporting and related industries in Australia. Hostplus is one of Australia's largest superannuation funds with over \$42B in assets, 1.2 million members and 180 thousand employers. Neil joined Hostplus in mid-2014 and leads its investment initiative across Private Equity and Venture Capital. He also leads the Fund's \$350M pool of capital for direct Private Equity co-investments into portfolio companies. Over the last four years, the Private Equity asset class has become a significant factor in the performance of the Fund, as it has become a more strategic and proactive investor. Prior to joining Hostplus, Neil was a Consultant at JANA Investment Advisors for 6 years where he had a range of consulting and research responsibilities, with a particular focus on Private Equity. Prior to that, Neil was with Russell Investments in a broad Private Markets role covering Private Equity, Infrastructure and Hedge Fund assets and strategies. Neil also held a number of IT and Engineering roles for 10 years prior to a career in finance and superannuation.



PARSHU ADIRAJA

Senior Investment Officer International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Based in Singapore, Parshu leads private equity and private debt investment transactions across emerging markets for IFC, focusing on financial institutions and technology-enabled business models in the financial sector. He was previously with the Capital Markets Origination business at Citigroup based in Hong Kong, advising issuers and on transactions in the financial institutions and real sectors. Prior to that, he worked at ABC Capital, an emerging markets private equity fund, in New York and Bahrain. Parshu graduated from the Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh and the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay.



DAVID ELMS

Head of Diversified Alternatives and Portfolio Manager Janus Henderson Investors

David Elms is Head of Diversified Alternatives and a Portfolio Manager at Janus Henderson Investors responsible for enhanced index, risk premia, and hedge portfolios. Prior to joining Henderson in 2002, he spent eight years as a founding partner at Portfolio Partners. He was initially based in Melbourne, where he managed derivatives and enhanced index portfolios, and was later seconded to Aviva in London in a corporate strategy role following Aviva's acquisition of Portfolio Partners. Earlier, he spent three years as associate director at County NatWest Investment Management, Melbourne, where he was responsible for equities and equity derivative trading as well as quantitative research.

David received a BCom degree (Hons) from the University of Melbourne, Australia. He has 29 years of financial industry experience.



JUSTIN NG

Investment Director King Seal Holdings

Justin is the Investment Director of King Seal Holdings, a single-family office based in Hong Kong. He started his wealth management career at Goldman Sachs advising ultra high net worth individuals, family offices and financial intermediaries. He subsequently joined Morgan Stanley and UBS.

Justin was part of Uber Technologies' three-person Hong Kong launch team. They turned the ride-hailing business profitable in just seven months. Justin graduated cum laude from Boston College's Carroll School of Management with a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance and Marketing.



NORMAN ZHANG

CIO

Legal Super

Norman was appointed in March 2020 and is responsible for managing investments. He has more than 12 years of financial services experience. Norman was 2018 winner of the Investment Rising Star Award, given by the Australian Institute of Superannuation Trustees (AIST).



DARKO HAJDUKOVIC

Head of Multi-Asset Primary Markets and Investment Funds London Stock Exchange Group

Darko Hajdukovic is Head of Multi-Asset Primary Markets and Investment Funds for the London Stock Exchange's Capital Markets business responsible for primary market offering for international companies, debt and investment funds. Darko has extensive experience in equity and fixed income transactions on public markets and is a member of the FCA's Listing Advisory Panel. Darko holds a Doctorate in Economics from University of London and is a member of the Royal Economic Society.



CHEUNG CHILOK

Portfolio Manager Mercer

Chilok Cheung, CFA is a Portfolio Manager in Mercer's Delegated Solutions business. Since he joined Mercer Investments (HK) limited in 2018, he has been responsible for the design, implementation and portfolio management of multiasset strategies for clients in Asia.

His experience with multi-asset strategies started in 2007, when he was a portfolio manager at ABN AMRO Asset Management that later became BNP Paribas Asset Management after a merger. After years of service at BNP Paribas, he had led the multi-asset portfolio management capacity at ANZ-ETFS and CISI Financial Group in Hong Kong before joining Mercer.



JANET LI

Wealth Business Leader Mercer

Janet Li, CFA, MAoF, is a Partner and the Asia Wealth Business Leader at Mercer. She oversees and is responsible for Mercer's Wealth (Investment and Retirement) Business in Asia. In her role, she leads and drives strategic growth to the business as well as its operations and implementations.

Janet has vast experience working with institutional clients (sovereigns, pension, insurance, corporate and wealth management). Her experience also spans across a wide range of investment services (asset liability review and strategy, portfolio construction, manager review, selection and monitoring, investment governance and transformation, discretionary management, member communication and education and related tools' developments) and a diverse range of asset classes (public equities and fixed income, private equities, illiquid credit, real estate and infrastructure).

Before joining Mercer, Janet was the Director of Investments, Greater China at Willis Towers Watson where she was a core member of the Asia leadership team. Janet is the Chairman of the Executive Committee, a Member of the Members Communication Sub-committee and a Member of the Business Strategy Subcommittee of the Hong Kong Retirement Schemes Association ("HKRSA"). She has been a Delegate to the annual Cross Straits Pension Forum (this year is the 12th anniversary), which the HKRSA has been one of the key organizers, for the past 10 years. Janet is also a Management Committee Member and a Member of the Research and Development Sub-committee of the Taiwan Pension Fund Association. In addition to these, she is serving as Advisory Committee Member of the FTSE Taiwan Index Committee, Mentor of the HKU Mentorship Programme, Manager of a School Board and Member of the Hong Kong Academy of Finance (AoF). Janet is named as the Pensions Woman of the Year by the Asia Asset Management 2020 Best of the Best Awards.

Janet graduated with a bachelor's degree of Economics and Finance from The University of Hong Kong and is a CFA Charterholder.



ADELINE TAN

Wealth Business Leader Mercer

Adeline leads Mercer's Wealth business in Hong Kong. Adeline's move to Hong Kong follows 12 years of consulting experience with Watson Wyatt (now Willis Towers Watson) in the UK. Her most recent role was primarily focused on delivering whole-fund investment solutions to clients that have chosen to delegate a greater part of their investment processes. In 2008, she returned to the UK after a secondment to the Shanghai office in 2007. She focuses on investment and actuarial consulting, specializing in the areas of long-term investment strategy, DB/DC pension design, asset-liability studies, dynamic derisking, performance monitoring and portfolio construction.

She serves a broad clientbase including corporations, wealth managers and public funds.

Adeline is a graduate of the Business School at the University of Warwick and is a Fellow of the UK Institute of Actuaries.



ALAN KAM

Chair - Investment Committee Nambawan Super

Alan Kam has a career in the financial and capital markets in London, New York and Los Angeles. He worked for Merrill Lynch & Co. & Standard Chartered Bank. Upon his return to Thailand, he was CEO of Aberdeen Asset Management, Manulife Asset Management before becoming Chairman of the Board of then GE Capital owned Krungsri Asset Management.

Currently, he sits on Boards of various public companies including Cal-Comp Electronics (Thailand) PLC, Tata Steel (Thailand) PLC, Mega Life Science (Thailand) PLC, Nambawan Superannuation Fund, Papua New Guinea, Cal-Comp (Brazil) Co. Ltd. Sao Paolo, Brazil, Thanakorn Vegetable Oil (Thailand) Co. Ltd., & Ticket Melon (Thailand) Co. Ltd.

Alan is also a Director of 2 charity group - Operation Smile Thailand Foundation and the Suvit Wanglee Foundation.

Alan received his Bachelor and Master in Business Administration from the University of Denver, USA.

He is a Chartered Director, Fellow Member and Faculty Facilitator at the Thailand Institute of Company Directors.



JOSH WONG

Portfolio Manager Nanyang Technological University

Josh Wong is a Portfolio Manager with Nanyang Technological University's Endowment Fund. Besides his primary responsibility in running the endowment's hedge fund programs, he also focuses on strategic asset allocation. Overall, Josh has 20 years' experience in the finance industry, and has managed multiasset and fixed income portfolios in asset management firms, hedge funds, and banks. Josh graduated with a Master's of Science from Stanford University and a Bachelor of Science from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.



WILLIAM MA

Chief Investment Officer Noah Holdings

Mr. William Ma, CFA, CAIA, with over 18 years of industry experience, is the Chief Investment Officer of Noah Holdings and the Chief Investment Officer of Gopher Asset Management. Gopher is one of the largest multi-asset multistrategy asset management company in China with USD25 billion AUM and 220 professionals. As CIO of Noah and Gopher, he is responsible for overseeing all investment management, asset allocation and investment products due diligence of combined USD80 billion of asset. He also actively manages the discretionary mandates and China domestic public market funds including a Greater China multi-managers fund, ranked the best emerging market fund of hedge funds globally (3 years annualized return) by BarclayHedge, and led the team won the prestige Golden Bull Award - Best Domestic Fund of Hedge Funds in China in 2018 as well as won numerous awards from InvestHedge, HFM and AsianInvestor.

Mr. Ma has been the Foreign Expert QDLP Review Committee Member for the Shanghai Municipal Government Financial Service Department since 2012, the APAC Committee Board Member of SBAI (Standard Board of Alternative Investment) since 2019, and the judge panel of Eurekahedge Asian Hedge Fund Awards since 2016.

Before joining Noah in 2015, Mr. Ma was the CIO of Gottex Penjing Asset Management (GPAM), the Asia asset management arm of Gottex Fund Management, a Swiss-listed alternative investment management firm with peak AUM of USD22 billion. At GPAM, Mr. Ma managed a team of 20 investment professionals in Asia, and was the lead portfolio manager of all of Gottex's Asian fund of hedge funds. Prior to joining GPAM in 2012, Mr. Ma was co-founder and Portfolio Manager of Penjing Asset Management managing the industry's first Asian funds of hedge funds since 2005. Before co-founding Penjing, he worked at Vision Investment Management (Asia) Ltd specializing in Asian hedge funds due diligence. Previously, he served as a research analyst at HT Capital Management Ltd, a Pan Asia Equity Long/Short hedge fund management firm in 2003. Mr. Ma joined the investment industry in Merrill Lynch's San Francisco office in 2001.



ISAAC POOLE

Global Chief Investment Officer Oreana Portfolio Advisory Services

Isaac is the Global Chief Investment Officer for Oreana Financial Services, an asset consulting and asset management firm providing outsourced CIO services across HK, Singapore and Australia.

Isaac was the Head of Capital Markets Research in the Asia-Pacific at Willis Towers Watson and Chief Economist at NSW Treasury Corporation. He worked in risk management at Lloyds Banking Group and policy analysis at the Reserve Bank of Australia.

Isaac holds an Economics PhD from the University of Sydney. Isaac is a Certified Investment Management Analyst® holder through the Investment and Wealth Institute.



ROXANNE DAVIES

Managing Partner Parly Singapore

Roxanne Davies is the Managing Partner of Parly Singapore Pte Ltd, the Asian investment arm for multi century old European family office (SFO). A family office veteran of 30 years, she has managed both operational businesses and multi-asset investment portfolios. Roxanne held positions such as Head of Private Equity and Head of High Net Worth Clients in banks such as HSBC and Union Bancaire Privee respectively, with deep expertise and focus in alternative asset management. She has held Board memberships on both listed and private companies. Currently, she sits on the advisory boards of several large family offices globally. Roxanne has been on the fund raising / advisory boards of the multiple philanthropic institutions, such Singapore Red Cross, SPCA, Human Rights Watch and several private charitable foundations. She has been a speaker and panellist at several industry conferences. She is Swiss, born in Manhattan, NYC and holds a Masters in Finance as well as a Masters in Business Administration.



STEVE ZHANG

Deputy CIO Ping An Insurance

Mr. Zhang is the Deputy Chief Investment Officer at Ping An of China Asset Management (Hong Kong) Company Limited and a director of the firm. He has over 18 years of global fund allocation experience, including 7 years in New York and 8 years in Singapore before he moved to Hong Kong to join Ping An in 2017. Prior to joining Ping An, Mr. Zhang was the head of external managers research at Avanda Investment Management in Singapore from 2015 to 2017. Prior to that, Steve was a multi-strategy portfolio manager at the global Fund of Fund industry leader, Permal Group, where he managed multiple billion USD assets on the strategy level. The Permal Emerging Markets Holdings under his management was awarded the best emerging markets fund of funds in the world by the Barron's and InvestHedge, respectively. Mr. Zhang graduated from Indiana University Bloomington with an MBA degree in Finance. He is a CFA charter holder.



CJ FINNEGAN

Chief Executive Officer & Principal Plotinus Asset Management

CJ is the CEO and Principal of Plotinus Asset Management. He is also Founder and CEO of Plotinus Ltd, a Northern Ireland Artificial Intelligence technology firm he formed in 2013 to harness 'Informational Dissonance' a philosophical concept he created.

The concept relates to derived data datamining from digitalized information, enabling a new analysis of rational systems. 'Informational Dissonance' can be used to provide additional tradable information from financial data. It can

measure how some financial data can deviate from reality whilst remaining internally coherent. There is a trading opportunity when this internal coherence is assumed erroneously to be the same as correctness. Having this analytic strength gives Plotinus a trading edge.

Plotinus combined the power of 'Informational Dissonance' in capital markets with Artificial Intelligence Technology, which integrates traditional techniques, creating the Plotinus Trading System to run its systematic managed futures Artificial Intelligence Trading Strategies.

CJ holds BA Hons in Scholastic Philosophy and Politics from Queen's University Belfast. Before founding Plotinus, he worked for many years as an independent logistics broker in Continental Europe.



JUN LI

Chief Investment Officer Power Corporation of Canada

Ms. Li is CIO of Power Pacific Corporation Limited. She is responsible for leading investment research and managing investment research teams. Throughout 15+ years of experience, Ms. Li has built deep investment insights and expertise.



DONG-HUN JANG

Chief Investment Officer Public Official Benefit Association (POBA)

Mr. Jang has joined the firm in November 2015 as a Chief Investment Officer of POBA. As the CIO, he has senior management oversight of the firm's investments totaling around US\$ 11 bil. and leads the firm's strategic expansion in overseas investment area, reflecting the growing importance of asset size and portfolio diversification. He is responsible for portfolio investments including equity, fixed income, and alternatives. Previously, Mr. Jang was the Assistant Director in the Financial Supervisory Services (FSS) of Korea. With more than 20 years of experience in the Korean investment industry including managing equity and PEF portfolios for the National Pension Fund, he is an all-rounded investment executive, who has worked across multiple functions including the CEO of AllianceBernstein Asset Management (Korea) and across private and government sectors. Mr. Jang earned a MBA from University of Iowa and a Ph.D. from Dongguk University.



NICHOLAS CHIA

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Nicholas Chia is a Senior Portfolio Manager at QBE Insurance, where he manages listed global equities and private equity. His predominant focus is in equities with marked experience in fixed income. He adopts both a top-down and bottom-up approach in investing and believes that improved outcomes can be achieved by managing risk through both lenses. Nicholas is a Chartered Financial Analyst. He has a Graduate Diploma in Applied Finance from Kaplan and obtained a degree in commerce from the University of Sydney.



SUSHIL B. WADHWANI

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Dr. Sushil Wadhwani, CBE, is the CIO for QMAW. Previously, Sushil was the CEO of Wadhwani Asset Management. He previously held positions at the Bank of England, Tudor Investment Corporation, Goldman Sachs and the London School of Economics (LSE). Sushil earned a BSc, MSc and PhD from the LSE.



DMITRY SUKHANOV

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Dmitry is an expert in global diversified financial markets with over 15-year experience. Successfully launched and managing Commodity Trading Advisor proprietary company with over 8 years track record. Built a team of quants and technology developers on a top-level Commodity trading Advisor/Hedge Fund level. Dmitry is also responsible for a capital allocation and portfolio management of the systematic trading program



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Chief Executive Officer Quant Infinity Group

Fabrice has over 25 years of experience in financial markets & private banking in Switzerland. He is a Chartered Alternative Investment Analyst (CAIA) and a Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA). Fabrice is the CEO and co-shareholder of the Quant Infinity Group as well as an owner of Argus Capital Management SA, an Asset Management Company in Switzerland. Fabrice speaks English, German, French and Spanish.



ROSS ISRAEL

Head of Global Infrastructure Queensland Investment Corporation

Ross co-founded QIC Global Infrastructure ('GI') in early 2006. He is a member of the QIC Global Infrastructure Investment Committee and a member of QIC's Executive Committee Management.

Ross has over 28 years of experience in the field of corporate finance and funds management with specialist skills in infrastructure, asset management, capital raisings and M&A.

Prior to QIC, Ross co-led the AMP Capital team responsible for the creation of the Diversified Utility and Energy Trusts (DUET). After which he was seconded into the management joint venture between AMP Capital and Macquarie Bank established prior to DUET's listing on the ASX in August 2004. He was DUET's Chief Operating Officer until his departure to QIC. Before joining AMP Capital in 2000, Ross worked for ABN AMRO and BZW in their Australian Infrastructure Corporate Advisory and London M&A teams and with Ernst & Young in their Sydney Corporate Tax division.

Ross is currently a director of Pacific Energy and Generate Capital, and an alternate director of CampusParc and Port of Brisbane.



RICHARD BERNSTEIN Chief Executive Officer & Chief Investment Officer Richard Bernstein Advisors

Richard Bernstein is the CEO and CIO of Richard Bernstein Advisors (RBA), which he founded in 2009. Prior to RBA, he served as Chief Investment Strategist at Merrill Lynch. A much-noted expert on style investing and asset allocation, Mr. Bernstein was voted to Institutional Investor magazine's annual "All-America Research Team" eighteen times and is one of only fifty-seven analysts inducted into the Institutional Investor "Hall of Fame".



KIF HO

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Kif Ho has over 13+ years of investing experience over multiple asset classes, and is passionate about global macro investing. He is a quantitative asset allocation expert who has studied extensively on competing asset allocation frameworks (Traditional stock/bond, Endowment, Risk Parity & Alternative Risk Premia) and develops industry-leading ex-ante risk tools, asset-liability framework, strategic asset allocation framework for managing multi-asset portfolio including illiquids & private investments. He strives to incorporate the latest quantitative techniques to improve overall asset allocation decisions, risk premium extraction and risk-adjusted outcomes to create the most modern endowment model.



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Senior finance professional with extensive experience in all aspects of financial management. Currently actively involved in a large-scale privatisation programme. Member of the board of directors for a number of companies in industries including railways, petrochemicals and construction.



SHINYA DEGUCHI

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Shinya Deguchi is Managing Partner of Star Magnolia Capital, a Shanghai-based multifamily office. In his two decades of experience as an asset allocator, he has reviewed and conducted Due Diligence on more than 2,000 asset managers. As an aid to other investors, Shinya undertakes analyses of famous hedge fund frauds, and publishes the case studies on his blog "The Importance of Being Diligent" (www.being-diligent.com).

In addition to his investing activities, together with Tiffany Liu, Mr. Deguchi cofounded Gen Z Group, an educational media company in Singapore. Gen Z Group publishes and distributes investment-related manga contents (Investor Z) as well as organizing a student investment club (Gen Z Club) for university students. (www.genzgroup.org)



ANDREW FISHER

Head of Asset Allocation **Sunsuper**

Andrew Fisher joined Sunsuper in 2010 and is currently responsible for managing investment strategy incorporating Strategic Asset Allocation, Dynamic Asset Allocation and Risk. His recent experience has included roles with the Guardians of NZ Superannuation as an Investment Strategist and with Milliman as a Consultant. Andrew has over 15 years of experience in the investment industry and is a Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries, Australia.



BRUCE TOMLINSON

Head of Alternative Strategies **Sunsuper**

Bruce Tomlinson, CFA, is manager, hedge funds and alternative strategies, which is an alternative investment program he established, at Sunsuper. He has also served as portfolio manager, Australian equities, at Sunsuper. Mr. Tomlinson has over 26 years of investment experience, including the past 18 years as a portfolio manager. Previously, he was a statutory fund manager and portfolio manager at AMP Capital Investors, where he helped manage both long-only and hedge fund strategies. Mr. Tomlinson has also served as head of performance measurement at Henderson Global Investors and AMP Asset Management and as a performance analyst at State Street. He was a founding director of the CFA Society Sydney, and he serves on the investment committees of the NSW Cancer Council and the Future Generation Investment Company. Mr. Tomlinson earned a bachelor of architecture degree from the University of Western Australia, a master of business administration degree from The Ohio State University, and a postgraduate certificate in management from the Macquarie University Graduate School of Management.



DAVID HUMPHREYS

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David Humphreys is the head of sustainable investing at TelstraSuper.

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SRIKANYA YATHIP

Secretary General
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Prior to joining GPF, Dr. Srikanya spent more than 10 years studying and working in Japan and the United Kingdom. Upon returning to home country, she spent most of her time working in a well-recognized Japanese advertising agency and finished her advertising career as Managing Director and Regional Strategy Director, the only Thai woman ever been in that position. She is very much wellknown in Thai advertising and academic world as she published many books on consumer behaviors, consumer research, marketing and branding. Some of them are in English and some are being used as a must-read book for advertising students in many universities.



SAM MEHTA Chief Investment Officer/Chief Executive Officer The Atlas Family Office

Sam Mehta is the Director of Atlas Venturez (family offices) and Director of Dr Mehta's Hospitals (leading 75+-year-old healthcare provider and educator in South India). He is the founder of Mehta Children's Hospitals, Atlas Advisory (enterprise accelerator), Everonn Medical Education (Health Education JV), and India Home Health Care and participates on various national healthcare and education committees.

Mehta brings over 2 decades of enterprise leadership, multi-national operating, project management, governance, strategic consulting, investment management, and entrepreneurial experience within leading organizations like McKinsey & Company, Shell and Fortune 10 and Family Business companies across multiple sectors (healthcare, education, energy, chemicals, technology, and retail) across Asia, Europe, Latin, and North America.

Mehta was a former venture advisor with TVS Capital and election observer with the OSCE/UN. He has an MBA from the Kellogg School of Management, Masters in Manufacturing Engineering Management, and Masters in Chemical Engineering.

Mehta is a Chartered Chemical Engineer (CEng) with the Institute of Chemical Engineers, a Professional European Engineer (EUR ING) with FEANI, a Chartered Scientist (CSci) with the Science Council, a Chartered Environmentalist (CEnv) with the Society for the Environment, and a Sainsbury Management Fellow (SMF) with the Royal Academy of Engineering, UK. He is a TIE Charter Member and on the Executive Committee of the Chennai Angels.



MARIANNA FASSINOTTI

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KRISTIN CUSTAR

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Kristin Custar is a Partner and Head of the Global Investor Capital Group of The Jordan Company. She is also a member of the firm's Executive Committee. Kristin joined TJC in 2007. Kristin oversees all of TJC's fundraising efforts, investor relations and general marketing activities. Prior to TJC, Kristin was the Director of Investor Relations at First Reserve Corporation. Prior to First Reserve, she spent two years working at GE Equity as a limited partner and four years at Arthur Andersen in the Transaction Advisory Group. Kristin currently serves on the board of directors of Syndigo. Kristin received a BS degree in Finance from the University of Illinois at Urbana and an MBA from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business.



PONTUS VON ESSEN

Head of Fixed Income, FX & Alpha The Seventh Swedish National Pension Fund (AP7)

Pontus von Essen is responsible for fixed income, FX and absolute return strategies at The Seventh Swedish National Pension Fund (AP7) which manages assets of around 80bn USD. He also oversees execution, treasury and financing activities for all asset classes. Mr von Essen has over twelve years of asset management and capital markets experience. Prior to his move to AP7 in 2017 he was Deputy CIO at Ericsson Pension Management. Before that he held several positions within proprietary trading and capital markets at the Swedish bank, SEB. Mr von Essen holds a Master of Science in Finance from the Stockholm School of Economics (SSE).



MAGGIE ZHANG

Finance and Investment Manager, Trust Waikato

Maggie joined Trust Waikato, one of twelve community trusts based in New Zealand, in July 2018. Her role is to look after the investments and finance of Trust Waikato, to ensure operational agility and optimal returns for the community. She is a Chartered Accountant and has experience in both the commercial and not-for-profit sectors.

Maggie is passionate about adding value to communities and helping them achieve their goals. She is interested in climate change and impact investing, and believes that through responsible investment, together, we can make the world a better place and enable more vibrant and resilient communities.



BASAK YELTEKIN

Head of ESG TT International

Basak is the Head of ESG at TT. Working alongside the Investment, Risk and Marketing teams, she helps to integrate ESG across all of TT's investment strategies.

Before joining TT in 2020, Basak spent six years at Norges Bank Investment Management, where she collaborated closely with the Investment teams and senior management to integrate ESG into their investment process. Prior to Norges, she was a Portfolio Manager on Harvard University's endowment fund, investing in Emerging Markets in a long/short equity strategy.

Basak graduated cum laude with an A.B in Economics from Princeton University. She also has an MSc in Management and Regulation of Risk from London School of Economics.



JAYNE BOK

Head of Investments, Asia Willis Towers Watson

Jayne Bok is the Head of Investments, Asia, based in Hong Kong. She is responsible for leading Willis Towers Watson (WTW)'s Investments business strategy, client delivery and business development across Asia.

Jayne leads a diverse regional team to help clients meet their goals and achieve better outcomes through a flexible range of delivery models - from providing

proprietary tools, offering advisory services, through to assisting clients with implementation via delegated solutions. She has over 20 years of industry and leadership experience.

Prior to her current role, she was Head of Sovereign Advisory, covering government funds, SWFs, central banks and other state-owned investment entities across Asia.

Before moving to Hong Kong in 2013, Jayne spent nine years in Korea where she successfully built the local investment consultancy.

Jayne started her career at WTW in Korea as a consultant in the Talent & Rewards segment before she is transferred to the Hong Kong Investments' practice in 2004. Before joining WTW, she worked with GE Capital's business development team in Seoul.

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