

SFC Regulatory Forum 2021

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Hong Kong, China's international financial centre: its future and the regulatory agenda

Programme

09:00 – 09:15	Opening remarks
	Mr Tim Lui, SBS, JP
	Chairman, Securities and Futures Commission (SFC)
09:15 – 09:35	Keynote speech
	Mr Paul Chan Mo-po, GBM, GBS, MH, JP
	Financial Secretary of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

09:35 – 10:35 Panel 1: Perspectives on the future of Hong Kong as an international financial centre

Industry representatives and global investors join Mainland and Hong Kong regulators to discuss the future of Hong Kong's unique role intermediating financial flows between China and the rest of the world amidst the changes which are reshaping capital markets.

Moderator:

 Mr Tim Lui, SBS, JP Chairman, SFC

Panellists:

- Mr Ashley Alder, SBS, JP Chief Executive Officer, SFC
- Mr Nicolas Aguzin
 Chief Executive Officer, Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited
- Mr Gokul Laroia
 Co-CEO Asia Pacific, Morgan Stanley Asia Limited
- Mr Charles Lin
 Vice Chairman, CLSA Group
- Ms Rachel Lord
 Chair and Head of Asia Pacific, BlackRock
- Mr Shen Bing
 Director-General of the Department of International Affairs,
 China Securities Regulatory Commission



11:00 – 12:00 Panel 2: Hong Kong's position as an international asset and wealth management centre

The panel will discuss the latest opportunities and challenges facing the asset and wealth management industry. Topics include recent industry trends, regulatory initiatives to optimise the business environment and market connectivity arrangements with the Mainland.

Moderator:

Ms Christina Choi

Executive Director of Investment Products, SFC

Panellists:

Ms Doris Lian

Chairperson, Chinese Asset Management Association of Hong Kong (HKCAMA) and Acting Chief Executive Officer, Bosera Asset Management (International) Co., Ltd

Mr Ming Lu

Head of Asia Pacific, Partner, KKR Asia Limited

Mr Dan Watkins

Chief Executive Officer, Asia Pacific, J.P. Morgan Asset Management

Mr Ivan Wong

Managing Director, Co-Head, North Asia at HSBC Global Private Banking

14:00 – 15:00 Panel 3: Deepening market connect schemes

Panellists will consider Hong Kong's strategic positioning with a particular focus on the expansion of connect schemes between Mainland and Hong Kong financial markets and Hong Kong's development as a risk management centre for Mainland assets. The panel will also discuss the management of operational, financial and regulatory risks in a rapidly-changing business landscape.

Moderator:

Ms Julia Leung, SBS, JP

Deputy Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director of Intermediaries, SFC

Panellists:

Mr Filippo Gori

Chief Executive Officer, Asia Pacific, J.P. Morgan

Dr Huang Haizhou

Managing Director and Member of Management Committee, China International Capital Corporation Limited

Mr Rico Leung

Executive Director of Supervision of Markets, SFC

Ms Angel Ng

Chief Executive Officer, Citi Hong Kong and Macau



15:20 – 16:10 Panel 4: Fostering a high-quality listing market in Hong Kong

The panel will examine current market trends and developments as well as policy initiatives to enhance Hong Kong's listing regime. Panellists will share their views on the key challenges and opportunities ahead for Hong Kong's stock market.

Moderator:

Ms Megan Tang
 Senior Director, Corporate Finance Division, SFC

Panellists:

Ms Bonnie Y Chan

Head of Listing, Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited

Ms Ding Chen, MH

Chief Executive Officer, CSOP Asset Management Limited; Permanent Honorary Chairperson of HKCAMA and Director of Financial Services Development Council and Mainland Opportunities Committee Convenor

Ms Catherine Leung

Chairperson, Chamber of Hong Kong Listed Companies and Co-Founder and Partner, MizMaa Ventures Ltd

Mr David Wong

Senior Investment Strategist, Head - Asia Business Development, Equities, Co-Chair - Responsible Investing Steering Committee, Asia-Pacific, AllianceBernstein Hong Kong Limited

16:10 – 17:00 Panel 5: How law enforcement agencies are responding to shifts in the financial landscape

Panellists will share views on how regulators and law enforcement agencies are adapting to changes in the financial services industry, such as the rapid transformation of the global information economy, which have given rise to new types of misconduct and made criminal investigations more complex.

Moderator:

Mr William Hallatt

Partner, Co-Chair of Global Financial Regulatory Group, Gibson Dunn

Panellists:

Mr Thomas Atkinson

Executive Director of Enforcement, SFC

Mr Marek Grabowski

Chief Executive Officer, Executive Director, Financial Reporting Council

Mr Sean Lam

Senior Managing Director, FTI Consulting

Mr Jon Witts

Head of Enforcement, Listing Division, Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited

Mr Wong Chi-kwong

Chief Superintendent of Police (Commercial Crime Bureau), Hong Kong Police Force