

SID Focus Series

Business Value of Sustainability

Organised by: Singapore Institute of Directors and KPMG
Designed for: Directors, C-suites and Senior Management

Date: Tuesday, 27 June 2017

Venue: Marina Mandarin Singapore

Time: 9.00 am to 11.00 am

CPD Hours: 2 Hours

SID Member: \$\$98.00 (Inclusive of GST)
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The Singapore Exchange's comply-or-explain sustainability reporting requirements mandate sustainability reporting for all listed companies in Singapore.

Is this new requirement really just additional compliance burden?

Often, there is a perceived disconnect between the business agenda of maximising profits and a business' sustainability reporting responsibilities. As a result, businesses may find it a challenge to reconcile these objectives and derive value from their sustainability reporting process.

With the right perspective, businesses can enjoy tangible benefits from the sustainability reporting process and unlock opportunities previously overlooked when efforts are focused on improving short term financial returns, with cursory attention for environmental, social and governance issues that would potentially have significant impact in the medium to long term.

Starting with a clear sustainability strategy, through to meaningful stakeholder engagement and a robust analysis of forward-looking, non-financial risks and opportunities, businesses can, and have, translated the sustainability reporting exercise into a boardroom discussion around the protection and enhancement of business value.

At this talk, Mr Ian Hong, Partner of Sustainability Services in KPMG Singapore, will share his experience and insights on how businesses may derive value from its sustainability journey. Participants will learn strategies to manage sustainability issues while impacting future profitability.

Programme

8.30 am Registration and breakfast

9.00 am Presentation, discussion and knowledge sharing

10.30 am Q&A

11.00 am Programme ends



About the Speaker



Ian Hong

Partner, Sustainability Services, KPMG Singapore

Ian has over 17 years of experience in both professional and commercial practice and leads the KPMG Singapore Sustainability Services team. He advises prominent companies from a range of sectors on governance, management and monitoring of sustainability issues including development of sustainability governance structure, sustainability programs, materiality process and sustainability reporting. He keenly supports sustainable financing and participated actively in the launch of City Development Limited's inaugural green bond, which was also Singapore's first launch.

Ian is a member of ISCA Corporate Reporting Committee, which has been tasked to increase the awareness and quality of sustainability reporting in Singapore, as well as the Singapore Institute of Directors (SID) Sustainability Council. He sits on the assessment committees for the Singapore Environmental Achievement Awards and the Singapore Apex CSR Awards to assess and provide recommendations on a range of sustainability solutions and best practices. Ian contributes to sustainability thought leadership and publications and participates actively as a speaker or panelist in sustainability forums and panel sessions organized by regulators, professional bodies and industry associations including the SGX CEO Forum, CAANZ event on sustainability reporting, the 2016 CSR and Social Innovators Forum, the AICHAR event on Humans Rights and the ASEAN CSR Seminar on Responsible Businesses.



Registration

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