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# **UNESCAP WGO Climate Finance Conference** Training on ESG and Sustainable Development Goals

#### October 15, 2019 (Tuesday)

10:00 am - 12:30 pm Morning Session 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm Lunch Break\*

2:00 pm - 4:30 pm Afternoon Session

Training Venue: Ballroom, Intercontinental Hotel, 18 Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui

## **Morning Sessions**

09:40 - 10:00 am

Registration

10:00 - 10:05 am

**Welcome Remark** 

## 10:05 - 10:10 am

**Introduction of speakers** 

#### 10:10 am - 10:40 am

## 1.Topic: The Development of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) - Brief history of MDGs and SDGs

- The mission of SDGs from a macro perspective
- The policy implication of SDGs for governments and private sector

## Dr. Tientip Subhanij, Chief of Financing for Development, UNESCAP, United Nations

- Ph.D. in Economics, University of Cambridge -Adjunct Faculty, Chulalongkorn University
- Former Director, Capital Market Research Institute, Stock Exchange of Thailand
- Former Division Executive, Bank of Thailand

<sup>\*</sup> No lunch to provide



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#### 10:40 am - 11:10 am

#### 2.Topic: The Application of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

- -Brief history of MDGs and SDGs
- Corporate's alignment with SDGs in Hong Kong context
- ESG performance in Hong Kong
- International trends in ESG Development

## Dr. William Yu, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, World Green Organisation

- Ph.D., University of Cambridge
- Executive MBA, Thunderbird School of Global Management, Arizona State University
- UNESCAP ESBN Task Force member

#### 11:10 am - 11:30 am

Tea Break

### 11:30 am - 12:00 noon

#### 3.Topic: SDG Impact and Measurements

- Difference between Sustainable Investing and Impact Investing
- Impact Assessment and KPIs
- SDGs Development

### Ms. Nguyen Huong Quynh, Economic Affairs Consultant, ESCAP, United Nations

- Ph.D. Candidate, Assistant Professor, Ritsumeikan University, Japan
- Former Lecturer, Viet Nam National University of Ho Chi Minh city
- Master degree, Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia

#### 12:00 - 12:30 pm

**Q&A / Group Discussions** 

#### 12:30 pm - 02:00 pm

**Lunch Break** 



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#### **Afternoon Sessions**

02:00 pm - 02:05 pm **Introduction of speakers** 

#### 02:05 pm - 02:35 pm

## 4. Financing strategies for inclusive and sustainable development in Asia and the Pacific: Case studies

- SDGs development in Asia
- An Overview -The application of SDGs from a micro perspective
- Case study

**Dr. Masato Abe,** Economic Affairs Officer, Macroeconomic Policy and Financing for Development Division, ESCAP, United Nations

- Ph.D., Thammasat University
- MBA., Emory University
- BA Economics, Fukushima University
- Co-author of the report: What the ASEAN Economic Community Will Mean for Businesses: A Look at the Case of Myanmar
- Paper Reviewer of Trade Finance for Sustainable Development in Asia and the Pacific

#### 02:35 pm - 03:05 pm

#### 5.Topic: ESG Standards and Integration

- Global research in ESG and Company's business performance
- How to integrate ESG reporting with Enterprise Risk Management System
- ESG development in Europe

Mr. Gabriel Wilson-Otto, Head of stewardship, Asia Pacific, BNP Paribas Asset Management Asia Ltd.

- Chartered Financial Analyst, CFA Institute
- B.Com. Finance and Economics, University of Melbourne
- B.IS. Information systems, University of Melbourne
- Former Executive Director, GS Sustain, Asia Pacific, Goldman Sachs



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### 03:05 pm - 03:25 pm

Tea Break

#### 03:25 pm - 03:55 pm

6.Topic: What's next for ESG?

- Challenges faced by SME in ESG reporting
- How to uplift the company value through ESG
- ESG Scoring System
- Disclosure performance of HK SME

Mr. Angus Yip, Adjunct Associate Professor, Institute for China Business, HKU SPACE

- Master Degree, Institute of Sustainable Leadership, University of Cambridge
- External Asset Management Consultant, UBS AG
- Director of Sustainability, CSG Group

03:55 pm - 04:25 pm **Q&A / Group Discussions** 

## 04:30 pm

**End of Training** 

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