

stars Singapore symposium 2018
Global Risks - Impact and Opportunities
28 February - 3 March 2018
Changi Cove, Singapore

Objectives:

- Develop better “Leaders of the Next Generation” by providing them with the opportunity to learn from the leadership experience of c-suite leaders from multinational companies and by discussing broader topics of geopolitical and strategic relevance like The New World (Dis)order, Global Leadership, The Next Digital Revolution and Soft Power
- Broaden the horizon to understand major Asian trends like the rise of China in a global context and the further integration of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)
- Get on-the-ground impressions about how Singapore is punching above its weight by going behind the scenes of Singapore's cutting edge research ecosystem and visiting the facilities of PSA, the world's largest transshipment hub

Wednesday, 28 February 2018

12.00	Conference Check-In open		Changi Cove
13.00	Early Bird Programme: Singapore City Tour		Changi Cove Lobby
15.30	Welcome Coffee		Auditorium Foyer
16.30	Welcome Address	Toni SCHOENENBERGER , Executive Chairman, stars Foundation, Stein am Rhein, Switzerland Fidah ALSAGOFF , Head, Life Sciences, Temasek, Singapore	Auditorium
16.45	Impact Investing: Smiling Gecko – Changing the World	Hannes SCHMID , Founder, Smiling Gecko, Cambodia	
	Panel Discussion		
18.15	Cocktails		Auditorium Foyer
	Flying Dinner		
	Nightcap		The Conservatory

7.00	Breakfast		White Olive Cafe
08.30	The New World (Dis)order: Geopolitical Perspectives		Auditorium
	ASEAN: Paper Tiger or Regional Powerhouse?	Danny QUAH , Li Ka Shing Professor in Economics, Acting Dean and Vice Dean (Academic Affairs), Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore, Singapore	
	The Chinese Perspective	CUI Lei , Research Fellow, Department for US Studies, China Institute of International Studies, Beijing, China	
	The US Perspective	Brian HANSON , Vice President, Studies, Chicago Council on Global Affairs, Chicago, United States	
	The Global Perspective	Urs SCHOETTLI , Consultant on Asian Affairs, former East-Asia Correspondent of Neue Zuercher Zeitung, Tokyo/Zurich	
	The Business Perspective	Joerg WUTTKE , President, European Union Chamber of Commerce in China (2014-2017), Chief Representative BASF China, Beijing, China	
	Panel Discussion		
11.00	Coffee Break		Auditorium Foyer
11.30	Long-term Investing in Turbulent Times	LIEW Tzu Mi , Chief Investment Officer, Fixed Income and Managing Director, GIC, Singapore, stars alumna Yoichi TAKITA , Chief Editorial Writer, Nihon Keizai Shimbun (Nikkei), Tokyo, Japan	Auditorium
	Panel Discussion		
13.00	Lunch		Auditorium Foyer
14.30	Leading the Digital Banking Revolution	Piyush GUPTA , CEO and Director, DBS Group, Singapore	Auditorium
16.00	Time at your Disposal		
16.45	Departure		Lobby
18.00	Tour of the Port Facilities		PSA
	Challenges of the World's Largest Transshipment Hub	TAN Chong Meng , Group CEO, PSA International, Singapore	PSA Terminal Building
20.00	Flying Dinner, hosted by PSA		
	Nightcap		The Conservatory

7.00	Breakfast		White Olive Cafe
8.30	Expect the Unexpected: The Next Digital Revolution		Auditorium
	The Future of Artificial Intelligence (AI): How AI will Fundamentally Change the Way we Work	Kazuto ATAKA , Chief Strategy Officer, Yahoo Japan Corporation, Tokyo, Japan	
	Driving Digital Transformation through Innovation - The Case of Huawei	Nigel BRUIN , Principal Consultant, Business and Network Consulting, Huawei, Singapore	
	Cyber-Security	Boon Hui KHOO , Former Singapore Police Commissioner, Former President of INTERPOL, Singapore	
	Panel Discussion	Panel Discussion with the 3 Speakers and Sunil KHARBANDA , Chief Customer Officer, SAP India, Mumbai, India	
10.45	Coffee Break		Auditorium Foyer
11.15	Global Leadership	Kathryn SHIH , President UBS Asia Pacific	Auditorium
	Panel Discussion		
12.30	Lunch		Auditorium Foyer
13.30	Leadership Dialogues		Breakout - Rooms
		Jeffrey JAENSUBHAKIJ , Group Chief Investment Officer, GIC, Singapore	
		Jeffrey LAM , Chief Operating Officer, Singapore Technologies Aerospace Ltd., Singapore, stars alumnus	
		Markus R. NEUHAUS , Chairman PwC Switzerland, Member of the Board of PwC Europe, Zurich, Switzerland	
		Jayne PLUNKETT , CEO Asia and Member of Group Executive Committee, Swiss Re, Singapore	
		Andrew HUNT , VP Learning and Development, Hilti, Singapore	
15.00	Time at your Disposal		
15.30	Departure		Lobby
16.30	Singapore's Research Ecosystem: Site Visits		
	Biopolis A*STAR	Katja FINK , Principal Investigator, Singapore Immunology Network, Singapore, stars alumna	Biopolis
	Singapore-MIT Alliance for Research and Technology (SMART)	Daniel HASTINGS , CEO & Director, Singapore-MIT Alliance for Research and Technology (SMART), Singapore	CREATE
	Singapore-HUJ Alliances of Research and Enterprise (SHARE) Nanomaterials for Energy and Water Management (NEW)	LEE Pooi See , Program Leader, Nanomaterials for Energy and Water Management (NEW), Singapore	
	Singapore-ETH Centre: Future Cities Laboratory & Future Resilient Systems Programme	Gerhard SCHMITT , Director, Singapore-ETH Center, Singapore	
19.00	Cocktails		Swiss Club Singapore
	Dinner, co-hosted by Fasico and Gustav Kaeser Training International Pte Ltd.		
	Nightcap		The Conservatory

7.00	Breakfast		White Olive Cafe
9.00	Singapore's Perspective on the Digital Revolution	Vivian BALAKRISHNAN , Minister for Foreign Affairs and Minister-in-Charge of the Smart Nation Initiative, Singapore	Auditorium
10.00	Coffee Break		Auditorium Foyer
10.30	Contemporary Art as Soft Power in Asia	Michael SCHINDHELM , Author, Film Director, Lugano, Switzerland; London, UK Doryun CHONG , Deputy Director and Chief Curator, M+, Hong Kong, China Jason WEE , Artist and Director, Grey Projects, Singapore Ulf Henning RICHTER , Professor, School of Economics & Management, Tongji University, Shanghai, China	Auditorium
Panel Discussion			
12.00	Concluding Remarks	Toni SCHOENENBERGER , Executive Chairman, stars Foundation, Stein am Rhein, Switzerland	
12.15	Lunch		Auditorium Foyer

Moderation:

- Mark Dittli, Independent Author and Journalist, Zurich, Switzerland

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