

stars Singapore symposium 2023
Disrupted Disruptors - Expect the Unexpected
21-24 June 2023
Singapore, Changi Cove

Objectives:

- Broaden the horizon to better understand major global trends which will impact business and society over the next couple of years, like Disruptive Technological Developments, Geopolitics and Geo-Economics, Sustainability, Global Leadership
- Understand the Asianization of a World in Transition, Asia's Digital Disruption and the Potential of Southeast Asia
- Engage in interdisciplinary and intercultural dialogue and contribute to the personal development to drive responsible and sustainable actions

Wednesday, 21 June 2023 - Singapore

11:00	Opening of Conference Check-in		Hotel Lobby
12:00	Optional Early Bird Programme: Singapore City Tour		Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby
15:30	Welcome Coffee		Auditorium Foyer
16:30	Welcome Address	Stefan RAESAMEN Client Service Partner; Former Chairman, PwC Switzerland; Member, stars Foundation Board, Zurich, Switzerland	Auditorium
16:45	Global Challenges, Technology Futures, Investment Opportunities: How does GIC see the world?	LIM Chow Kiat CEO, GIC, Singapore	
	Plenary Discussion		
18:30	Group Picture, Cocktails and Dinner, hosted by PwC Singapore		Changi Cove Command House
	Night Cap		The Conservatory

Thursday, 22 June 2023 - Singapore

07:00 Breakfast White Olive Cafe

08:30 Success in Business and Beyond: Lessons in Leadership Auditorium

Sannie CHONG Senior Director, MSD; stars Alumna, Singapore

Ghim Siew HO CEO, Products of PSA BDP; Senior Management Council Member, PSA International; stars Alumna, Singapore

Marcus LAM Executive Chairman, PwC Singapore; stars Alumnus, Singapore

LIM Siong Guan Professor, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore; Former Group President, GIC; Former Head of Singapore Civil Service; Member, stars International Board, Singapore

Deanna ONG Chief People Officer, GIC; Member, Board of Directors, Swiss Re Group; stars Alumna, Singapore

10:00 Coffee Break Auditorium Foyer

10:30 Leadership Dialogues (in Breakout Groups) Breakout Rooms

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Moderator:

Markus HERRMANN Co-Founder and Managing Director, China Macro Group (CMG); Strategic Advisor Europe, Caixin Global; Member, stars Foundation Board, Zurich, Switzerland

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Moderator:

Mark DITTLI CEO and Editor, The Market, Zurich, Switzerland

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Moderator:

Hans HENGARTNER Professor Emeritus of Experimental Immunology, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich (ETHZ) and University Zurich; Co-Founder and Member, stars Foundation, Zurich, Switzerland

12:00	Lunch		Auditorium Foyer
13:00	Security Issues in the Asia Pacific - Debrief and Outlook after the Latest Shangri-la Dialogue	James CRABTREE Executive Director, Institute of International Strategic Studies (IIS), Singapore	Auditorium
13:45	Investing in Human Capital: The Rapture of Doing the Right	Hannes SCHMID Founder, Smiling Gecko, Cambodia	
15:00	Time at your Disposal		
15:30	Departure		Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby
16:30	Tour of PSA Innovation Gallery, including Virtual Terminal Tour		PSA Headquarters
17:15	Leading Change and Transformation of the World's Largest Transshipment Hub in an Age of Extraordinary Disruption	TAN Chong Meng Group CEO, PSA International, Singapore	
	Plenary Discussion		
18:15	Dinner, hosted by PSA		
	Night Cap		The Conservatory

Friday, 23 June 2023 - Singapore

07:00	Breakfast	White Olive Cafe
08:30	The Lack of Global Leadership in an Age of Geopolitical and Geoeconomic Disruptions (Plenary Discussion)	Auditorium
	Joerg WUTTKE Chief Representative, BASF China; Former President, European Union Chamber of Commerce in China (EUCCC); Member, stars International Board, Beijing, China	
	GONG Xue Assistant Professor, China Programme, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore	
	Raja MOHAN Visiting Research Professor, Institute of South Asian Studies (ISAS), National University of Singapore; Senior Fellow, Asia Society Policy Institute, Asia Society, New Delhi, India	
	Drew THOMPSON Visiting Senior Research Fellow, Centre on Asia and Globalisation, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore, Singapore	
	Plenary Discussion	
10:00	Coffee Break	Auditorium Foyer
10:45	The Promise of Frontier Technology	
	Food Security: Leveraging Data and Technology Innovations	Lesly GOH Senior Technology Advisor; Former Group Chief Technology Officer, World Bank, Jakarta, Indonesia
	Generative AI: A New Frontier for VC Investments	Yinglan TAN Founding Managing Partner and CEO, Insignia Venture Partners; stars Alumnus and Member, stars International Board, Singapore
12:15	Lunch	
14:00	AI Innovation and Emerging Technologies - The View from Asia's Tech Giant I	Dongliang GUO Head of Data Intelligence, Alibaba Cloud Intelligence International, Shanghai, China
14:45	AI Innovation and Emerging Technologies - The View from Asia's Tech Giant II	Brandon WU CTO, Asia Pacific, Huawei Enterprise Business Group, Singapore
15:30	Coffee Break	
16:00	AI Innovation and Emerging Technologies - The View from Asia's Tech Giant III	Walter LEE Senior Director, Managed Services, NEC Asia Pacific, Tokyo, Japan

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16:45	The Potential of Optical Fiber-Based Technologies	Perry SHUM Chair Professor; Deputy Head, Department of EEE, Southern University of Science and Technology (SUSTech), Director of Guangdong Key Laboratory of Integrated Optoelectronics Intellisense, Shenzhen, China; President Elect, IEEE Photonics Society, USA	
17:15	Time at your Disposal		
18:00	Departure		Meeting Point: Hotel Lobby
19:00	Cocktails and Dinner including a tasting from SGProtein		Swiss Club Singapore
	Night Cap		The Conservatory

Saturday, 24 June 2023 - Singapore

07:00	Breakfast		White Olive Cafe
08:30	Potential and Reality: Economic Perspectives in South and Southeast Asia (Plenary Discussion)	David WIJERATNE Partner, International Growth, PWC, Singapore WONG Su-Yen Chairperson, Singapore Institute of Directors; Adjunct Professor, National University of Singapore Business School; Independent Director - CSE Global, First Resources, Kemin Industries, Yoma Strategic Holdings, Singapore Tan Sri Francis YEOH Executive Chairman, YTL Group, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Auditorium
10:00	Coffee Break		Auditorium Foyer
10:45	Forward Singapore	Lawrence WONG Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Singapore	Auditorium
	Plenary Discussion		
12:00	Concluding Remarks	Stefan RAESAMEN Client Service Partner; Former Chairman, PwC Switzerland; Member, stars Foundation Board, Zurich, Switzerland	
12:15	Lunch		Auditorium Foyer

Moderation:

Mark DITTLI, CEO and Editor, The Market, Zurich, Switzerland

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