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ESG & SUSTAINABILITY ACCOUNTING CONFERENCE 2022

Shaping the Future of ESG Reporting

18 October 2022 (Tuesday)

Connexion Conference & Event Centre @ The Vertical, Bangsar South, Kuala Lumpur

Pressure is mounting for governments and businesses to adopt accounting, financial, and reporting approaches designed to support the transition to a more sustainable future. With work underway to harmonise complex financial and non-financial reporting frameworks, it is imperative that accountants stay ahead of the curve. Accountants must also be vigilant that ESG compliance does not create a burden but unlocks insights into the company's ability to create value for all stakeholders.

With the theme "Shaping the Future of ESG Reporting", MIA is advocating for accountants to fully embrace the ESG agenda. This Conference that will focus on thought leadership ideas, trending issues, innovation, and business solutions for practical application by the accountancy profession. Most importantly, you will be guided on how to leverage on your professional accountancy expertise and skills to lead organisations and integrate enterprise sustainability, especially in the sphere of ESG Accounting and Reporting.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Accountants
- Chief Financial Officers
- Chief Operating Officers
- Finance Directors
- Accounting Advisory
- Auditors
- Senior Level Representatives from Sustainability, Risk, Strategy, Operations
- Risk Owners
- Board or Senior Management Team Members



CONFERENCE OUTLINE

8.30 am PARTICIPANTS REGISTRATION AND WELCOME REFRESHMENTS

9.00 am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

ESG: A NEW ERA FOR THE ACCOUNTING PROFESSION

9.20 am [PANEL SESSION]

INTEGRATING ESG RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES INTO BUSINESS STRATEGY

Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) are the three key factors in measuring the performance of a company's sustainability and social responsibility. To remain competitive for their long-term economic sustainability, companies need to manage their relevant ESG risks and opportunities. This panel session will discuss the following:

- » Managing ESG risks and opportunities
- » Aligning ESG materiality with risk disclosed in legal risk filings
- » Accounting, financial, and reporting approaches to support the transition to a more sustainable future

10.30 am MORNING REFRESHMENTS & NETWORKING

11.00 am [PANEL SESSION]

THE NEXT PHASE FOR ESG: ENSURING SUSTAINABILITY INFORMATION IS DECISION-USEFUL

Significant progress is underway toward establishing global sustainability reporting standards. Now is the time for companies and their leaders to work together with regulators and society to achieve consistent global reporting standards that will help define corporate reporting and accountability for the next generation. This session will uncover:

- » ESG principles in strategy, action, and reporting
- » BURSA sustainability disclosure requirements and priorities for Public Listed Companies—PLC Transformation Guidebook
- » How are stakeholders driving change, and demanding better ESG performance of a company?
- » A preview of the Malaysian Climate Change Bill legal framework

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12.10 pm [PANEL SESSION]

INVESTORS' PERSPECTIVE ON ESG

As environmental, social, and governance concerns gain top of mind awareness for investors, ESG disclosures are gaining traction. This session will drive a deeper understanding of what ESG information is decision-useful for investors, how rating agencies use reported ESG information and provide advice for preparers by discussing the following:

- » ESG disclosures and their importance
- » The ESG Metrics used to-date and potentially for the future
- » How investors and rating agencies use ESG rating information in their decision-making
- » The future of ESG scores and disclosure regulation

MODERATOR

ROBERTO BENETELLO | Executive Director, BCSD Malaysia

1.15 pm NETWORKING LUNCH

2.15 pm **GETTING STARTED WITH ESG REPORTING**

Emerging growth companies and established businesses are rapidly vying for investor attention and learning a vital lesson—that it's not just about dollars and cents but also the business' ESG messages. This is where ESG reporting represents unique challenges and opportunities to the preparer community. However, the diversity of frameworks, practice, and stakeholders represents significant hurdles in providing relevant, high-quality information in a consistent and timely manner. In this session, panellists take a pragmatic approach as they discuss where finance leaders should begin as they navigate a rapidly evolving ESG ecosystem. Panellists will share:

- » How to embed sustainability into your organisation's value proposition
- » How to kick-start your ESG reporting journey for SMEs and PLCs
- » Insights on technology needs, talent needs, and roles and governance considerations

SPEAKER

DEREK LEE | Senior Executive Director, Tricor Axcelasia

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3.00 pm [POWER TALK]

COLLABORATIVE PARTNERSHIP: THE SUSTAINABILITY & FINANCE TEAMS

Collaboration between the sustainability and finance teams is essential to drive ESG initiatives forward in a mutually beneficial manner. The speaker will touch upon the following areas:

- » The roles of sustainability and finance teams as ESG reporting becomes an increasingly important part of financial reporting disclosures
- » How a shared vision between sustainability and finance teams can drive meaningful progress for both ESG and financial reporting
- » Recognise the role of technology on data quality assurance that's relevant for both ESG and financial reporting

3.45 pm **SCENARIO ANALYSIS STRATEGY: FROM PLANNING TO STRESS TESTING**

Stress testing addresses several key areas including asset-level counterparty modelling and the financial impact on loan and investment portfolios. We will look at the critical practical steps investors, banks and insurers can take to explore key risks arising from climate change namely:

- » Transition Risk: the risks arising from the significant structural changes to the economy needed to achieve net-zero emissions
- » Physical Risk: the risks associated with higher global temperatures

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4.30 pm AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS & NETWORKING

5.00 pm END OF CONFERENCE



CONFERENCE SPEAKERS



ROBERTO BENETELLO

Roberto is an Executive Director of the Business Council for Sustainable Development Malaysia (BCSD Malaysia Berhad). He has over 20 years of experience in general management, turnaround and change management, business facilitation, international and government relations, marketing, and business development. His experience covers several sectors including both Fortune-500 companies and start-ups. Roberto is also the CEO of EUROCHAM Malaysia. He is a member of the World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) Global Network, a member of the Industry Expert Committee (IEC): Sustainability under Human Resource Development Corporation, Malaysia, and a member of the Industry Advisory Panel, Centre for Global Sustainability Studies (CGSS), Universiti Sains Malaysia. HRDCorp Accredited Trainer, he holds an MBA from SDA Bocconi Milan, Italy; a Master's Degree in Marketing from The University of Lincoln, UK; and is currently a PhD Candidate at University Malaya.

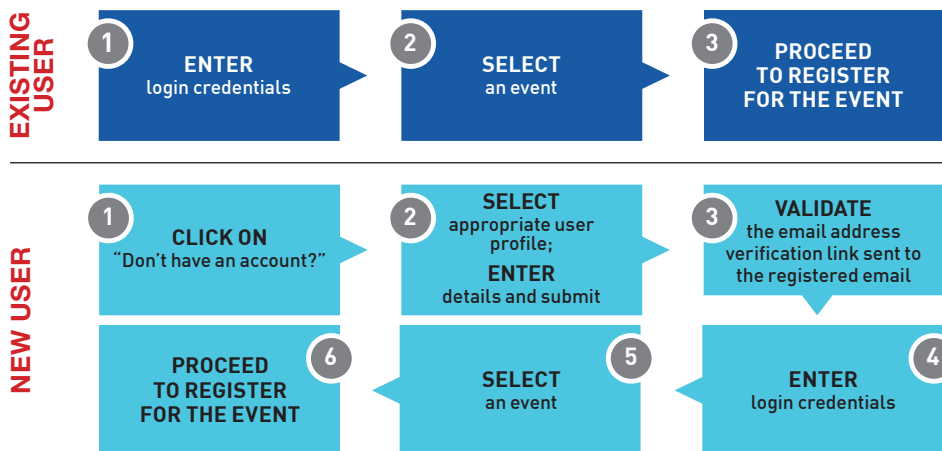


DEREK LEE

Derek has over 30 years of experience in strategic management, ERM, corporate governance, business continuity, business process enhancement, both 'Pre & Post-IPO' internal control advisory, and strategic internal audit. He had the experience of working in a cross-functional commercial environment that cover the areas of finance & accounting, sales & marketing, procurement, warehousing & distribution, inventory, logistics, production, MIS/IT, orders processing, contracts, project implementation & human resources. He has led and successfully completed many strategic, risk and controls advisory assignments in Malaysia, China, Singapore, Taiwan, India, Indonesia, Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia, Sri Lanka, and Myanmar for large private and public listed companies. Derek is also certified by the Institute of Internal Auditors Inc (USA) as an External Quality Assessor of Internal Audit Functions. Derek has been involved in training Board and senior level management on risk management, internal controls, and corporate governance subjects.

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