

# **ESG Intelligence: Theory and Practice**



19 May 2025



2:00-5:00pm



Chatham Room, Conrad Hong Kong, Level 7, Pacific Place, 88 Queensway, Hong Kong

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#### **Theme**

In recent years, ESG has been a hot topic for both academic research and industry practice in the areas of finance and accounting. The IDS project "Establishing a research infrastructure for ESG intelligence: A multi-stakeholder perspective (UGC/IDS(R)14/21)", recognizes the importance of measuring ESG efforts of corporations from the perspectives of major stakeholders.

The research team led by Prof. Louis Cheng will present the findings of the 3-year-long research project. In addition, industry executives representing relevant stakeholders will be giving their views at the event.

Who should attend? In addition to academics and PhD students	
Investment and wealth management professionals	Accounting professionals
Financial analysts	IR professionals and analysts

## Rundown

1:45-2:00 pm

#### Registration

2:00-2:05 pm

#### Introduction

Prof Louis Cheng, Dr S H Ho Professor of Banking and Finance, Associate Dean (Research), School of Business, Director of Research Centre for ESG, The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong (HSUHK)

2:05-2:30 pm

#### Keynote Speech:

Social Entrepreneurship and Policy

Prof Joshua Mok, Provost and Vice-President (Academic and Research), Dean of Graduate School, HSUHK

### Fireside Chat:

Investing for a Better Future

Moderator: Prof Louis Cheng, HSUHK

2:30-3:00pm

#### **Panel members:**

- 1) Dr Jacky Tang, Managing Director and the Chief Investment Officer for an international asset management firm
- 2) Dr Ricky Szeto, Member of the Social Welfare Advisory Committee HKSAR; Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Hong Kong Society for Rehabilitation

3:00-3:15 pm

#### Coffee Break

3:15-3:45 pm

#### **Featured Presentation 1:**

Providing Climate Change Solutions Through AI and Big Data

Ms Vivi Hu, Chief Executive Officer, YoujiVest

## Rundown

#### **Featured Presentation & Panel Discussion**

Featured Presentation 2:

ESG Intelligence Research: Theory and Practice

Presenters & Moderator: Prof Louis Cheng, HSUHK

**Panel Discussion:** 

Integrating Academic Research into Practice: A Stakeholder's

**Perspective** 

3:45-4:45 pm Moderator: Prof Louis Cheng, HSUHK

**Panel members** 

1) Dr King King Li, Associate Professor, Department of Economics and Finance, HSUHK

2) Mr Hauman Yeung, Director of Sustainability, Ascent Partners

3) Dr Eva Chan, Chairman, Hong Kong Investor Relations Association (HKIRA)

4:45-5:00 pm

**Closing Remark**