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### Confirmed Speakers include

- **Steven Chong S.C.**, Attorney-General, **Attorney-General's Chambers, Singapore**
- **Chua Lee Ming**, General Counsel, **Government of Singapore Investment Corporation Pte Ltd**
- **Steven Lim**, Managing Director, **Clasis LLC**
- **Sophie Drake**, Senior Associate, **Clyde & Co**
- **David Doran**, Partner and Chairman; Managing Director, Thailand, Head of Energy, Mining and Infrastructure Group, **DFDL**
- **Jack Sheehan**, Regional Director, Tax and Customs Group, **DFDL**
- **Rashed Idrees**, Partner; Managing Director, Singapore and Bangladesh, **DFDL**
- **Henri Frederic Hibon**, Senior Adviser, Yangon, **DFDL**
- **Hri Kumar Nair S.C.**, Director, Dispute Resolution, **Drew & Napier LLC**
- **Francis Xavier S.C.**, Head, Disputes Practices, **Rajah & Tann LLP**
- **Chandra Mohan Rethnam**, Equity Partner, Commercial Litigation, **Rajah & Tann LLP**
- **Lee Suet Fern**, Senior Partner, **Stamford Law Corporation**
- **Bernard Lui**, Partner, Capital Markets, **Stamford Law Corporation**
- **Ng Joo Khin**, Partner, Capital Markets, **Stamford Law Corporation**
- **Susan Kong**, Partner, Banking & Finance, Corporate Real Estate, **Stamford Law Corporation**
- **Tan Chuan Thye**, Partner, Dispute Resolution, **Stamford Law Corporation**
- **Yap Wai Ming**, Partner, Corp/ M&A, **Stamford Law Corporation**
- **Ameera Ashraf**, Head – Competition & Regulatory Practice, **WongPartnership LLP**
- **Christopher Chuah**, Head – Infrastructure, Construction and Engineering Practice, **WongPartnership LLP**
- **Gerry Gan**, Joint Head – China Practice, **WongPartnership LLP**
- **Kua Lay Theng**, Partner – Infrastructure, Construction and Engineering Practice, **WongPartnership LLP**
- **Low Kah Keong**, Head – Asset Management & Funds Practice, **WongPartnership LLP**
- **Mark Choy**, Partner – Corporate/Mergers & Acquisitions Practice, **WongPartnership LLP**
- **Andre Maniam**, Senior Counsel – Head of Litigation & Dispute Resolution Group, **WongPartnership LLP**

**About the In-House Congress:** Now in its fourteenth year, the In-House Congress circuit is the largest series of events specifically for in-house lawyers along the New Silk Road and has become a regular fixture on the corporate counsel calendar in Hong Kong, Beijing, Shanghai, Seoul, Kuala Lumpur, Mumbai, Delhi, Jakarta, Tokyo, Bangkok, Singapore, Dubai and Abu Dhabi.

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## REGISTRATION

Please select one workshop in each session. Places are strictly limited. If the event is full, your name will be placed on a waiting list.

**08.30 – 9.00** Registration

**09.00 – 10.40** Welcome Remarks by **Patrick Dransfield**, Publishing Director ASIAN-MENA COUNSEL and Co-Director, [www.inhousecommunity.com](http://www.inhousecommunity.com)

Keynote address by **Steven Chong S.C.**, Attorney-General, Attorney-General's Chambers, Singapore

### "The Future of the Legal Industry: Fundamental Changes in Organisation, Business Models, Fee Structures, Careers and Service Delivery"

A discussion with **Chua Lee Ming**, General Counsel, Government of Singapore Investment Corporation Pte Ltd; **Steven Lim**, Managing Director, Clasis LLC; **Francis Xavier S.C.**, Head, Disputes Practices, Rajah & Tann LLP; **Andre Maniam**, Senior Counsel – Head of Litigation & Dispute Resolution Group, WongPartnership LLP; and moderated by **Lee Suet Fern**, Senior Partner, Stamford Law Corporation

**10.40 – 11.10** Coffee Break

### 11.10 – 12.40 Practice Area Workshops – Session A

- Traversing the Challenges of Cross-Border Investments – Stamford Law Corporation
- The Aftermath of Corporate Fraud – Drew & Napier LLC
- Singapore Abroad: Navigating M&A Transactions in Asia – WongPartnership LLP

**12.40 -13.40** Lunch

### 13.40 – 15.10 Practice Area Workshops – Session B

- Domestic and International Sanctions: Affects on Singapore-based Businesses from a Legal and Practical Perspective – Clyde & Co and Clasis LLC
- Current Developments in Dispute Resolution – Rajah & Tann LLP

**15.10 – 15.30** Coffee Break

### 15.30 – 17.00 Practice Area Workshops – Session C

- The Role of In-House Counsel in Minimising Time & Costs in International Arbitration – WongPartnership LLP
- Doing Business in the Mekong Region & Myanmar – DFDL

**17.00** Lucky Draw for Apple new iPad

## Registration Fee

This is a **free-of-charge** event. Attendance is by invitation only and will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

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