

I-CARE Social Enterprise Mentoring Scheme

Mentor list (excerpt)

Mr. Francis Chan (Retiree)

Mr. Francis Chan was the Head of Corporate Banking of the Industrial and Commercial Bank (Asia) Limited, covering relationship and banking business for large corporation from the mainland and local blue chip. He also served as a Senior Vice President and Head of Corporate Banking and Structured Finance Division at the China Construction Bank Corporation, Hong Kong Branch, covering relationship and banking business for local large corporations.

Mr. Francis Chan graduated from the Chinese University of Hong Kong with a Bachelor's degree in Economics. He is a member of CUSE Fund Engagement Committee.

Mr. Gordon Lam

Mr. Gordon Lam is a consultant of AM Partners, a private equity firm. He was one of the pioneer Citibankers who helped build and witnessed the development of the institution's business franchise in mainland China since early 80s. He had been with Citigroup for 30 years in various senior capacities on corporate banking, merchant banking, treasury, derivative products and private equity investments/funds. As a former Managing Director of Citigroup Venture Capital International Asia Limited, he managed Citigroup's Asian private equity investment portfolio. He also spearheaded project initiatives for its consumer banking business in Hong Kong.

Mr. Lam was the Management Director of Citicorp China Investment Management Limited responsible for managing Citi's first Private Equity Fund investing in China. Previously, he was Investment Advisor with the Merchant Banking and Head of Treasury for corporate business for Citibank, Hong Kong. He arranged various financing packages; most of them were the first of its kind in China, for power plants, petrochemical complex, and steel mills and provided the associated corporate exposure management services. Prior to his career with Citigroup, he completed the engineering professional internship with the Government of Hong Kong and had been a research analyst specialized in China trade.

Mr. Gordon Lam holds an MBA from The Chinese University of Hong Kong and a B.Sc. (Engineering) from the University of Hong Kong.

Mr. Eric Yip

Mr. Yip has over 30 years of experience in merchant banking and private equity investment in the Greater China region. He is currently the Chairman of AM Partners (Capital) Co., Ltd.

He was a director and Chief Executive Officer of Asset Managers (Asia) Co., Ltd. ("ASA") which was founded by him in 2004. ASA was mainly engaged in the private equity investment in the Great China region. The amount of asset under management of ASA exceeded HK\$2bn with more than 20 projects invested. He also facilitated the strategic investment made by ASA's parent company, Asset Managers Co., Ltd. (now known as Ichigo Group Holdings Co., Ltd.), in CITIC Inter-

national Assets Management Limited ("CIAM") of CITIC Group and was a director and Deputy CEO of CIAM.

Mr. Yip held a number of senior positions in various financial institutions, including the Managing Director of VC CEF Capital Limited and the Deputy General Manager of The Long-Term Credit Bank of Japan, Limited (now known as Shinsei Bank, Limited)-Hong Kong Branch. He graduated from the Chinese University of Hong Kong with a Bachelor's degree in Economics.