

# Hong Kong Computer Society

## Cloud Computing Special Interest Group

### Executive Cloud Forum 2015

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#### Speaker Details

##### Keynote Speakers



##### **Mr. Chin Chin Tang**

Director, Marketing and Operations (M&O)

Microsoft Hong Kong Limited

Chin-Tang Chin is the director of Marketing and Operations Group (M&O) in Microsoft Hong Kong. M&O organization is at the core of leading the Hong Kong subsidiary in landing the mission of Microsoft in the local community: to empower everyone and every organization to do more and achieve more in the mobile-first and cloud-first world. He is responsible for leading business operations, marketing strategy and overall business performance of the various business groups.

Prior to his current role, Chin-Tang Chin was the director of Developer and Platform Evangelism (DPE) group for Microsoft Hong Kong. DPE is chartered with pitching the vision of Microsoft platform to Hong Kong customers and partners, through evangelizing the latest technology innovation across the breadth of Microsoft product portfolio.

Chin-Tang joined Microsoft in 1998. He started his career in Microsoft headquarters in Redmond, Washington as a software engineer. Chin-Tang has worked in various product teams including SQL Server, Hotmail and Windows Server; and in various engineering discipline from test to development to production operation. His wealth of IT experience built a strong foundation for him to be an effective architectural advisor to IT customers and partners in Hong Kong.

Chin-Tang received both his Bachelor of Sciences and Master's degree in Computer Sciences from the University of Wisconsin, Madison, U.S.A.

## Panel Discussion: Interoperability of the Cloud through Open Stack and Open Standards

Moderator:



**Dr. C K Wong, MH**

Chief Executive Officer

iASPEC

Dr. Wong is the founders of the iASPEC Technologies Group. The Group operates a number of software companies in Hong Kong, Mainland China and the United States since 1988.

Dr. Wong obtained his Ph.D. degree in Mathematics from the University of California, Berkeley. After a short teaching career at the university, he moved to the private sector as a consultant. While serving as the Principal Architect in a State of California government data centre, he received the Distinguished Services Award from the California Government in 1979 for his contribution in complex system design work.

Dr. Wong returned to Mainland China in 1982 and has served as a consultant to stateoperated organizations and has held senior positions in international IT companies in the Mainland and the Hong Kong SAR.

Dr. Wong is committed to the development of a strong information industry in the region. He is a Distinguished Fellow of the Hong Kong Computer Society. He has served as members of the University Grants Counsel, the Research Grants Council, the Advisory Committee on Technologies for the Hong Kong Commissioner of Privacy and Personal Data; member of Vetting Committee on ICT projects for the Innovation and Technology Commission; members in the Advisory Committees of various faculties and departments of the Chinese University, the University of Science and Technology, the Hong Kong University, the City University and the Polytechnic University.

He is currently serving as the Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the Information Engineering Department of the Chinese University; Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the Division of Science and Technology at the United International College, Zhuhai. He is also a member of the HKSAR Government Cloud Computing Expert Group and a member of the Joint Expert Group appointed by the HKSAR and the Guangdong governments. Dr. Wong is also serving as members in the Innovation and Technology Committee and the Business in IP Committee of the Hong Kong Trade Development Council.

## Panelists:



**Dr. David Chung,**

Chief Technology Officer

Hong Kong Cyberport Management Company Limited

Dr. David Chung has over 20 years of experience as an IT professional, entrepreneur and technologist give him a well-seasoned perspective for his role as the Chief Technology Officer of Hong Kong Cyberport Management Co. Ltd. In 2013, Dr. Chung was named by CEO/CIO magazine as top5 CIO of Greater China.

He leads core public mission effort of Cyberport, namely IT&T services operations, cutting-edge technology development, cross-continent industry collaboration and one-stop service platform for tech entrepreneurs. Under his direction, Cyberport continues to focus its effort on fostering the growth of tech start-up and SME companies in the region. Dr. Chung serves in many high-level advisory committees in the academic, professional and community arenas, and is currently a member of the Consumer Council and Expert Group on Cloud Computing Services and Standards.

Dr. Chung holds an Engineering Management Doctorate from the City University of Hong Kong, a Master Degree of Business Administration from the Open University of Hong Kong, Postgraduate Diploma in Business Management from the Chinese University of Hong Kong and Bachelor of Science (Engineering) in Computer Science from Imperial College London.

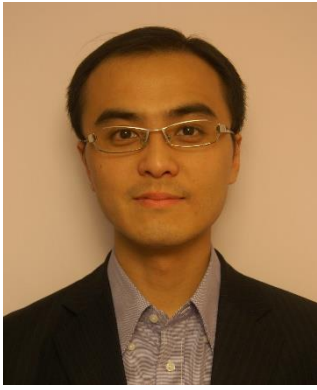


## **Mr. Nick Laqua**

Enterprise Architecture Lead, Cathay Pacific Airways

Nick Laqua is Enterprise Architecture Lead at Cathay Pacific Airways driving the technology strategy and ensuring that it meets the evolving needs of the company's customers and employees. His focus is the transformation of Cathay Pacific into a digital enterprise, fueled by technology disruptions such as Cloud, Big Data, Mobile as well as new "ways of working" such as Agile and DevOps and its impact on culture and organization.

Mr. Sims holds a Master in Informations Systems from Dresden University of Technology and has worked in IT strategy, transformation and enterprise architecture roles in Europe, US and Australia before coming to Asia.



### **Albert Law**

Team Manager, Solution Architect Team  
Red Hat Hong Kong

In his two decades of IT career, Albert is specialized in IT infrastructure solution, including storage, information availability, and cloud offerings. As a solution architect of Red Hat, he is an evangelist of open source, from U2L to cloud enablement, bringing the true value of open source to enterprises.



### **Mr. Ken Mak**

Director, DataCenter Solution  
Huawei

Ken joined Huawei Technologies Ltd. in early 2015 as Director of Data Center Solutions.

Before joining Huawei, Ken has been working as Manager of Professional Services and Solution Architect in VMware

He has 20+ years in IT solutions sales and architecture specialized in areas like Software Defined Data Center (SDDC); server, storage virtualization and cloud management.



## **Henry Tao**

Chief Cloud Technologist, HP Cloud

Hewlett-Packard Enterprise (HK) Asia Pacific

Henry has more than 30 years of IT service experience in the area of Infrastructure consulting, technology innovation and transformation, data center services and operation, risk assessment and compliance. In the recent years, Henry has led DC and cloud transformation services across APAC regions on cloud helping enterprises with their DC transformation, cloud and virtualization strategy and roadmaps, business impact analysis, IT operation strategy and optimization, backup restore and archiving strategy and design.

As the Cloud Chief Technologist at HP, Henry helps to drive excellence in the architecting of strategic cloud and hybrid IT strategy, solutions and services for customers. Prior to joining HP, Henry was a Cloud Services Director for a global telecom services provider. He was also a Lead Systems Consultant for a global storage, cloud and virtualization solution and services vendor. Henry has performed different IT transformation and consulting projects across APAC regions that covered cloud and virtualization strategy and assessment, business impact analysis, application alignment, IT and DC services strategies and roadmap, IT operation strategy and optimization, backup restore and archiving strategy and assessment, business continuity and disaster recovery.

Henry has a Master and a Bachelor degree of Computer Science from the University of Manchester, UK. Henry also has a Graduate Diploma in Accounting from the Macquarie University, Australia.

## Panel Discussion: FinTech

Moderator:



**Dr. Victor Ng**

Vice Chairperson of Cloud Computing SIG,  
Hong Kong Computer Society

Dr. Victor Ng manages the Productivity Training Institute at Hong Kong Productivity Council. The Institute provides professional training programmes and services to diversified industries, aims at enhancing the professional competence of industry professionals. The training scope includes information and communication technology, business management, creative design, engineering design and management, advanced manufacturing technology, environmental management, supply chain and logistics management. In addition to managing the Institute, Dr. Ng provides consultancy services to help enterprises and organizations enhance competitiveness through technology strategy and management, with current focus on cloud computing and mobile technologies. Dr. Ng is currently serving as the Vice Chairperson of Cloud Computing SIG of Hong Kong Computer Society and the Deputy Chairperson of the Certification Board of Hong Kong Institute for IT Professional Certification.

## Panelists:

### **Mr. Chan Chun Fai**

Chief Technology Officer

CASH Algo Finance Group Limited

Mr. CHAN has more than 15 years of experience in computer security and financial services industry. He is CTO of CASH Algo Finance Group and in charge of algo-strategy team incubation, computer infrastructure and trading systems. During his service in the company, three algo-teams have been launched and three more teams are currently in incubation. He is also a founding member of setting up Quant-Finance Lab and he has designed the architecture of various trading engines and risk control modules. Before joining the Group, he worked in front-office of a global investment bank, specializing in the development of structure product pricing applications. He was also a computer security expert and performed security assessments and ethical hacking to different financial institutions, government departments and stock exchange company.

He earned his Master degree in Finance in The Hong Kong University and Master degree in Computer Science in The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology. He is currently a part-time PhD student in The Hong Kong University.





**Mr. Vincent Chan**

Partner, Advisory Services,  
Ernst & Young

Vincent is the Partner in charge of Ernst & Young's Advisory Services in Hong Kong and China South. He also leads a team of professionals in the delivery of IT & business risk management, project management, process improvement, and information security advisory services to a variety of clients.

Vincent has over seventeen years' experience in the IT, audit, controls and security industry. In the late 1990's, he was an early adopter and advocate of a number of international leading practices, such as WebTrust assurance services, and implementing ISO27001 security management standard for various local and multinational organizations in the early stage of the rollout of these international standards. In recent years, Vincent's focus has been on assisting companies establish Enterprise IT Governance.

Vincent is a Certified Practicing Accountant (CPA Australia), Member of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Practicing Accountant (HKICPA), a Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA), as well as Certified in Governance of Enterprise Information Technology (CGEIT). Vincent was the President of ISACA (China Hong Kong Chapter) for five years in a row until end of 2009, and he is also involved in a number of industry roles including - Vice-President of the Hong Kong IT Joint Council (HKITJC), member of CityU's Information Systems Department Advisory Committee (ISDAC), and Convener of the Hong Kong Institute of CPA's IT Interests Group.



### **Mr. Alex Cheung**

Executive Vice President

Director of Platform Strategy, Infocast Limited

Alex Cheung is Director of Platform Strategy for Infocast that provides leading financial trading platform and market data solutions to banks and brokerages in Hong Kong and across Asia market. He brings more than 18 years of financial market technology experience primarily in Exchange trading and market data technology implementation to Infocast.

Alex joins Infocast from Hong Kong Exchanges where he most recently served as Assistant Vice President of Platform Development and Strategy. He has held various responsibilities in project governance enforcement, trading and market data business analysis, mission-critical system project management, and various technical expertise in trading application development, infrastructure architecture and exchange interfacing. Prior to HK Exchanges, Alex held various technical positions of bank and financial services firm in Canada.

A graduate of Social Science from Chinese University, Alex has attended master education programs of Finance and Information Technology at HK Polytechnic University.



### **Mr. Angus Choi**

Chief Executive Officer

Joint Electronic Teller Service Limited

Mr. Angus Choi is the Chief Executive Officer of Joint Electronic Teller Services Limited (“JETCO”), a consortium of banks supporting a range of banking services including the leading automated teller machine (“ATM”) network in Hong Kong and Macau. He is responsible for driving the expansion and innovation of its ATM network and payment business platform, to transform technology developed by JETCO into the standard for both the industry and the market.

Prior to joining JETCO, Mr. Choi was Managing Director of TransUnion Hong Kong (the Hong Kong Consumer Credit Bureau). With more than 30 years of experience in the consumer credit bureau and banking sectors, Mr. Choi has also held senior positions in Citibank's and DBS Bank's consumer and corporate banking businesses, as well as regional sales and marketing management positions at Visa International and American Express in Hong Kong and Canada.

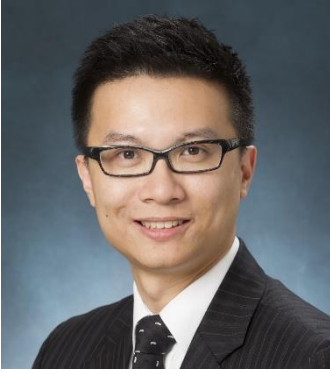


## **Dr Andrew Wat**

Director, Data Analytics Security and Data Sciences  
ASTRI

Dr. Andrew Wat joined ASTRI in 2001 and managed a number of projects about applied cryptography, digital rights management system and biometrics. Prior to working in ASTRI, he has extensive working experience in system management in both academic and commercial sectors. His current interests includes big data analytics, cloud computing and infrastructure engineering and cybersecurity, technology adoption and Internet business model.

He is currently leading the data analytics group in ASTRI.



## **Mr. Vincent Wong**

Director, Financial Services Industry & Global Accounts

Enterprise and Partner Group

Microsoft Hong Kong

Vincent Wong is the Director for Financial Services Industry & Global Accounts, Microsoft Hong Kong manages the overall relationship with Banks, Insurance, Capital Markets and Global MNC Accounts. Vincent led an Account team to drive the growth in business with solutions including Cloud technology and Mobile solutions. In this capacity, Vincent is responsible for leading the engagements with local and regional regulators, technology start-ups, and industry consultants to deliver the business value and cloud technology solution to the financial services industry.

Vincent currently serves as a member for the FinTech Workgroup, commissioned by the Hong Kong General of Commerce (HKGCC).

Prior to his current role, Vincent was the Senior Account Executive for Microsoft Hong Kong, focusing on developing key customer relationships and cross regional IT strategies for HSBC, SCB, ING, UBS and Citibank.

Before joining Microsoft, Vincent was the Managing Consultant Manager in IBM Hong Kong, leading the Application Innovation Practice in delivering IT Strategies and System Integration Projects in Hong Kong and around the APAC region.

Vincent holds a Bachelor of Science Degree, joint major in Business Administration and Computing Science from Simon Fraser University, Canada.