

Global Port Research Alliance Conference on "Port and Logistics Connectivity"

Keynote Session 2

Date: 21 May 2015

Time: 11:15am – 12:45pmVenue: Hotel Icon, PolyU

This keynote session aims to examine the port and logistics connectivity from the perspectives of terminal operations, liner shipping management, and international transport logistics:

- The first part of this session explores the sustainable development of the port of Hong Kong. Mr Gerry Yim (HPH Trust) discusses the issues of positioning of the port of Hong Kong and challenges to the port of Hong Kong. Mr Yim also covers the topics of combating the challenges and roles of the Hong Kong government in port development.
- The second part examines liner shipping management from OOCL. In today's highly competitive business environment, Mr Andy Tung (OOCL) talks about the dynamics of the liner industry and explores the challenges and opportunities that carriers face while working with business partners along the supply chain to offer the best products and services to customers.
- The third part of this keynote session investigates connectivity by alternative transport modes. Dr Kelvin Leung (DHL) talks about the recent trend of transport connectivity. The modes of road freight, rail freight and multi-modal will also be discussed.

Session Moderator: Dr Khalid Bichou, Imperial College London

About the Speakers

Mr Gerry Lui-fai Yim has been the Chief Executive Officer of the Trustee-Manager since July 2012. He is also the managing director of HIT and a member of the HPH Trust Exco, a committee of executives that determines the strategy for HPH Trust. He was the managing director of the Africa, Middle East and Americas division of HPH and was employed by the HPH Group from 2003 to 2009 in various senior positions before joining Hysan Development Company Limited, a company listed on the Main Board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited, in December 2009 as its executive director and subsequently in March 2010 as its chief executive officer. He has also held senior positions in general management, finance, and investment banking at major organisations in Hong Kong. He is the chairman of the Shipping & Port Operations Group of the Employers' Federation of Hong Kong and a member of the Hong Kong Port Development Council. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Economics and is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

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Mr Andy Tung has been the Chief Executive Officer and Senior Managing Director of Orient Overseas Container Line (OOCL) since July 2012. Headquartered in Hong Kong, he is responsible for OOCL's global business and growth. He also serves as an Executive Director and a member of the Executive Committee of Orient Overseas (International) Limited (OOIL), the parent company of OOCL, since March 2006. Prior to his current appointment, he was the Chief Operating Officer of OOCL since January 2009. Between 1993 and 1998, he served the OOIL Group of companies in various capacities, including Director of Reefer Trade of OOCL. He held senior executive responsibilities in Hong Kong Dragon Airlines Limited, the last position as the Chief Operating Officer, prior to rejoining OOCL in 2006. He holds a Bachelor degree from Princeton University and a Master of Business Administration from Stanford University in the USA. He is currently a member of the Executive Committee of the Hong Kong Shipowners Association and the Hong Kong Port Development Council.

Dr Kelvin Leung is Chief Executive Officer of DHL Global Forwarding for Asia Pacific and is responsible for managing and directing the business unit's activities in the region. Between 2008 and 2011, he was Chief Executive Officer for North Asia Pacific and prior to that appointment, was Chief Operating Officer for Asia Pacific. He joined Danzas AEI, now known as DHL Global Forwarding, in 2002 as Managing Director for Hong Kong, South China and Macau. In 2004, he became Vice President of South East Pacific Region for DHL Danzas Air & Ocean. From 2002 to 2005, he played an instrumental role in making the company the market leader and more than doubling the size of the business. In 2005, he became Vice President of DHL Global Forwarding for Hong Kong, South China and Macau. Prior to joining Danzas AEI, he started his career with Cathay Pacific Airways in 1989. For the next twelve years, he held several managerial positions including his final position as Manager of Global Network Revenue Operations. He graduated from the University of Cambridge, Magdalene College, with a Masters in General Engineering Science. He received his doctorate in business administration at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University.