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Asia Women in Business Law Forum 2017

Promoting the talent pipeline

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Benefits of attending:

- Hear the personal stories of leading lawyers about their career progression
- Learn effective strategies for building a personal brand online and in person
- Understand the role of mentoring and sponsorship in developing your legal career
- Gain an insight on how to improve your work-life balance
- Map out the most effective methods to build a diverse pipeline of talent in your organisation

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OVERVIEW

Further to Euromoney Legal Media Group's Women in Business Law Awards, *IFLR* is pleased to host the fourth annual *Women in Business Law Forum*. Featuring some of Asia's foremost legal practitioners, this interactive event examines best practices and innovation around mentoring, personal branding, work-life balance, diversity, and breaking the glass ceiling.

The event includes some of Asia's leading women general counsel and private practice lawyers who will share their personal stories with the audience. Unlike many events that are aimed at only partner and general counsel level individuals, this event welcomes men and women at all levels of their career with an aim to provide an inclusive debate around building the talent pipeline and to promote the growth of diversity and inclusion initiatives in Asia.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This seminar welcomes men and women working within the law at all levels of their career. The aim of the day is to create and share innovative practice around building the talent pipeline within an organisation.

It will be of particular interest to:

- Banker's counsel
- Corporate counsel
- Private practice partners
- Private practice associates
- Other professional services

VENUE

Cliftons Hong Kong
Level 5 Hutchison House
10 Harcourt Road, Central
Hong Kong

ASIA

Women in Business Law AWARDS 2017

November, Hong Kong

The seventh annual Euromoney Legal Media Group Asia Women in Business Law Awards 2017 will be held in Hong Kong in November.

Using Euromoney Legal Media Group's respected rigorous methodology, we will be rewarding firms' progress in terms of gender diversity and talent management initiatives as well as individual female practitioners. We will also recognise the best in-house teams for women lawyers.

For more information on the submission process for the 2017 awards, please contact Jessica Shum at jessica.shum@euromoneyasia.com.



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AGENDA

Promoting diversity and inclusion in senior management

- Why is there still a glass ceiling for top management positions?
- The business case for diverse teams: how to change the way your organization approaches diversity and inclusion
- Ensuring targets are set at every level of the pipeline
- How can companies ensure that women are properly represented in boards, decision making and promotions
- How to build support structures within law firms and in-house – e.g. women's groups
- Effective talent retention methods

Making the most out of mentoring in your organisation

- How to be an effective mentor in your organisation/ how to find the right mentor
- Ensuring that senior management create an inclusive environment for women
- Practical tips on dealing with conflict in the workplace, effective communication and resolving differences
- Mentor and mentee sharing experiences
- Best practices in empowering and supporting mentees
- How can you cultivate potential sponsors and break through the glass ceiling?

Mapping your path to partnership and the boardroom

- Personal stories of Asia's leading female and partners
- Moving up the career ladder: practical advice on meeting your workplace goals
- Utilising leadership training and experience to build your skillset for a leadership role
- The importance of developing commercial awareness
- Characteristics of a good team
- Leveraging your job to give back to the community
- Negotiating your way to the board

Navigating work-life balance in your career

- Personal experiences regarding managing work-life balance in Asia
- Time management, maternity and paternity leave issues
- Family life v career: can a career and a family run in parallel?
- Flexible work arrangements- how companies can support new mothers when they return to work
- What a company can do to make sure it has good diversity and maternity policies in place

Building your own personal brand

- How to build and maintain your network internally and externally
- Why building your personal brand is vital for business development
- Is there unconscious gender bias in a business development environment?
- Practical tips on business development and communication skills, e.g. leading a pitch, speaking at meetings and events
- Creating and defining your personal brand online and in person

The road to general counsel

Hear the personal stories of some of Asia's leading general counsel regarding their career progression, work-life balance, overcoming obstacles and making it to the top of the legal ladder.

Confirmed speakers include

Farzana Aslam, principal lecturer, faculty of Law, **HKU**

Erica Chan, SVP and general counsel, **Walmart**

Lynne Barry, global head of learning and development, inclusion and diversity and leadership strategy, **Telstra**

Steven Chan, managing director and regional head of regulatory, industry and government affairs, Asia Pacific, **State Street**

Catherine Kardinal, general counsel, **Siemens**

Tina Tsui, managing director and managing counsel, **BNY Mellon**

Nadine Maurellet, senior legal counsel, **Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels**

Vanina de Verneuil, global general counsel, RCOM Enterprise & Global Cloud Xchange, **Reliance Communications**

Sharyn Chang, director and global counsel, **PwC**

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