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Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board (HKMPB)



Hong Kong has a rich maritime heritage. Its deep-water harbour, strategic geographical location, global connectivity, entrenched institutional strengths and vibrant maritime services cluster have made a Hong Kong a world-renowned maritime centre.

In April 2016, the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region set up the Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board to provide a high-level platform for closer collaboration among Government, the trade and academia to enhance the vitality of Hong Kong Port, foster professional maritime talents, and devise strategies and initiatives to develop Hong Kong into a maritime services hub. Its establishment underlines Government's commitment to supporting the continuous development of Hong Kong's maritime and port industries.

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Professor Anthony Cheung, GBS, JP

Secretary for Transport and Housing Chairman, Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board



Professor Anthony Cheung was appointed Secretary for Transport and Housing on 1 July 2012. As the Secretary for Transport and Housing, he is the Chairman of the Hong Kong Housing Authority, Hong Kong Logistics Development Council and Aviation Development and Three-runway System Advisory Committee. He is also board member of MTR Corporation Limited; Kowloon-Canton Railway Corporation; Airport Authority Hong Kong and Hong Kong Mortgage Corporation, as well as member of the Council for Sustainable Development and Economic Development Commission.

Professor Cheung received his bachelor's degree in social sciences from the University of Hong Kong, master's degree in public sector management from the University of Aston, UK, and PhD in government from the London School of Economics and Political Science, University of London, UK.

Before joining the Government, Professor Cheung was the President of The Hong Kong Institute of Education. He held a number of public service positions including Non-official Member of the Executive Council and Chairman of the Hong Kong Consumer Council.



Joey Lam, JP

Commissioner for Maritime and Port Development Secretary, Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board



Miss Joey Lam is currently Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) of the Transport and Housing Bureau, HKSAR Government. She is responsible for formulating and implementing policies, strategies and measures to drive, promote and support the development of Hong Kong's maritime, port and logistics industries.

Before Miss Lam joined the Transport and Housing Bureau in November 2015, Miss Lam was Deputy Government Chief Information Officer (Policy and Community) at the Office of the Government Chief Information Officer, HKSAR Government.

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Benjamin Wong

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Mr Benjamin Wong is the Head of Transport and Industrial Sectors at Invest Hong Kong (InvestHK), the Government department responsible for attracting and facilitating foreign direct investment. He has a much diversified portfolio covering maritime, aviation, road transportation, logistics, energy, infrastructures, mining, natural resources and construction and has helped numerous multinational companies landed in Hong Kong.

With extensive experience in both the private and public sectors, Mr Wong's expertise combines transport sector knowledge, international marketing and investment promotion. Before joining InvestHK, Mr Wong has spent years with some of the biggest European and American companies with regional responsibilities.

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Hon. Frankie Yick, JP

**Legislative Councillor (Transport
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**Member, Hong Kong Maritime
and Port Board**



Mr Frankie Yick joined Wharf group in 1994. He is now responsible for, inter alia, overseeing the Wharf group's public transport and terminals portfolio. Mr Yick has extensive industrial and management experience in the public transportation and logistics industry, and is a member of the Legislative Council of Hong Kong representing the Transport Functional Constituency.

Mr Yick is a non-executive director of Harbour Centre Development Limited (stock code: 51) and The "Star" Ferry Company, Limited and also a director of Modern Terminals Limited, all being subsidiaries of Wharf. He is also a director of Hong Kong Air Cargo Terminals Limited which is an associate of Wharf. Other than the private sector, Mr Yick has also been appointed as a Board member of the Airport Authority Hong Kong since 1 June 2014 and the Aviation Security Company Limited since 15 August 2014. On the maritime and logistics sector, Mr. Yick has been appointed as a member of the Hong Kong Logistics Development Council since 1 November 2012. Mr Yick is a chartered engineer. He holds a Bachelor Degree in Industrial Engineering awarded by The University of Hong Kong and a Master Degree in Industrial Management awarded by The University of Birmingham, UK.



Jenny Koo

**Director, Service Promotion
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(HKTDC)**



Ms Jenny Koo is responsible for formulating and implementing the HKTDC's promotional programme of Hong Kong's service sectors. These include advertising and marketing services, design and licensing services, film and entertainment, financial services, information and communications technology, infrastructure and real estate-related services, logistics services and professional services.

Over the years, she has been involved in the launching of new fairs and conferences, including the Hong Kong International Film & TV Market (FILMART), the Asian Financial Forum and, more recently, the Asian Logistics and Maritime Conference, Asian Licensing Conference and "Think Asia, Think Hong Kong" Campaign.

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David Cheng

Chairman, Promotion and External Relations Committee, Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board



Mr David Cheng was the Head of Ship Finance in Asia for Crédit Agricole CIB (CACIB) for 26 years from 1988 to 2014. From 1 May 2014, he has assumed the position of Senior Advisor to the Global Shipping Group of CACIB and Honorary Chairman of Credit Agricole Asia Shipfinance Limited, Hong Kong.

Mr Cheng had served as the Treasurer of the Hong Kong Shipowners Association for 8 years from 2001 to 2008. He was appointed by the Government of the HKSAR as a member of the Maritime Industry Council since 2009. In 2013, he has also been appointed by the HKSAR Government as a member of Working Group of Transportation, Economic Development Commission.

Since 2015, he serves as the Honorary Treasurer of the Hong Kong Maritime Museum.

In June 2015, he was conferred the Distinction of "Chevalier de l'Ordre National du Mérite" by the French Government.



Sabrina Chao

**Chairman, Hong Kong Shipowners
Association**
**Member, Hong Kong Maritime
and Port Board**



Ms Sabrina Chao is the Chairman of Wah Kwong Maritime Transport Holdings Limited. Ms Chao began her career in finance working for Jardine Fleming and PricewaterhouseCoopers. In 2001, she joined the shipping industry through enrolling in the Galbraith's Shipping course in London and subsequently gained experience in various shipping sectors from working with Tanker International, Britannia P&I Club, Bureau Veritas before joining the family business in 2002.

Ms Chao is the Chairman of the Hong Kong Shipowners Association, a trustee of the Hong Kong Maritime Museum, a director of the Britannia Steamship Insurance Association Limited, and a member of HKTDC – Logistics Services Advisory Committee. She serves on the Hong Kong Board of the Charterhouse School. She also sits on the CPPCC Jiangsu Province & Wuxi City.



Rosita Lau

Member, Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board



Miss Rosita Lau is a partner of the English international law firm Ince & Co. She studied law in England and holds a Master in Law degree and awarded with a Mark of Merits from LSE of University of London. She is qualified to practise as a solicitor in England & Wales, Hong Kong, Australia ACT and Singapore. She specialises in all aspects of transportation law, dry shipping, logistics, insurance, commercial and trade law.

She advises and acts for leading shipowners, shipmanagers, charterers, P & I Clubs, insurers, insurance brokers, logistics operators, terminal operators, commodities traders in domestic and international litigation, arbitrations (LMAA, ICC, HKIAC, CIETAC, CMAC and others) and mediations. She represents clients in courts of all levels in Hong Kong, in English Courts, and regularly handles China related disputes.

Accolades obtained include : One of the Top Ten Shipping Lawyers of the world (Lloyd's List), The Best Women Shipping Lawyer in Asia (Euromoney Media) and for 15 consecutive years till now ranked as a Leading Individual in Shipping Law (Legal 500).

Miss Lau also advises The Financial Services Development Council of the HKSAR Government on development of insurance business and, was a Chairman of the Building Appeal Tribunal for years.



Lianjun Li

Member, Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board



Mr Lianjun Li (M.Sc, LL.M, FCI Arb) is a partner and head of the shipping practice at Reed Smith Richards Butler. He qualified as a solicitor in Hong Kong, England and Wales. He has extensive experience in shipping, international trade, ship purchase and sale, ship construction, international commercial and shipping arbitration and cross border litigation.

Mr Li is a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. He is an arbitrator on the lists of some well-known arbitration institutions including Hong Kong International Arbitrator Centre, China International Economic Arbitration Commission (CIETAC), China Maritime Arbitration Commission (CMAC), Shanghai International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (Shanghai International Arbitration Centre), South China Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration), Qingdao, Wuhan and Xiamen Arbitration Commission. He is also a visiting professor to Dalian Maritime University, Korea University and the International Shipping Law School of East China University for Political Science and Law.

Arthur Bowring

**Managing Director, Hong Kong
Shipowners Association
Member, Promotion and External
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Maritime and Port Board**



Mr Arthur Bowring is the Managing Director of the Hong Kong Shipowners Association and a Maritime Arbitrator and Mediator. He is Chairman of the Labour Affairs Committee of the International Chamber of Shipping, Vice Chairman of the Special Tripartite Committee, Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 and Spokesman of the Maritime Employers' Group at the International Labour Organisation, and Chairman of the Maritime Services Training Board of the Hong Kong Vocational Training Council.

Mr Bowring is Council Member of the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre, Convenor of the Hong Kong Maritime Arbitration Group, and Fellow and Member of several professional associations and organisations. In 2014 he was awarded the Lloyds List 'Asia Lifetime Achievement Award', and in 2015 he was awarded the 'Contribution to the Development of the Hong Kong Maritime Cluster Award' by Seatrade Asia.

