



## [Webinar] ESG: Leveraging and Regulating the Financial Markets to Drive ESG Goals in Singapore and the Region



13 October 2022, Thursday  
12.30pm – 2.00pm



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**1.5**

Practice Area:  
**Contemporary  
Issues in Legal  
Practice**

Training Level:  
**General**

## About the Programme

Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) issues continue to significantly impact the global economy and drive business decisions. This seminar will explore how Singapore is using regulation and collaboration to shape the development of the sustainable finance market in Singapore and across Asia Pacific. We will also discuss how the financial markets can be deployed to advance ESG goals. Lawyers from Clifford Chance will draw on their experience advising on ESG matters to identify current trends and market practices. The audience will have an opportunity to ask questions and share their perspectives on the topics discussed.

## Programme Outline

Time	Programme
12.00pm – 12.30pm	<b>Registrants to log on</b>
12.30pm – 12.50pm	<b>Overview of ESG Regulatory Landscape in Singapore</b> Lena Ng – Partner, Clifford Chance Yaru Chia – Associate, Clifford Chance
12.50pm – 1.20pm	<b>Green Loans and Sustainability-Linked Loans</b> Charlotte Leung – Consultant, Clifford Chance
1.20pm – 1.50pm	<b>Green Bonds and Sustainable Bonds</b> Chong Ying Chiang – Counsel, Clifford Chance
1.50pm – 2.00pm	<b>Key Takeaways &amp; Questions</b>
2.00pm	<b>End</b>

## Speakers' Profile



### Lena Ng – Partner, Clifford Chance

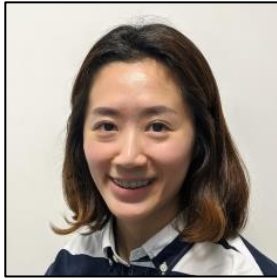
Lena Ng leads the financial regulatory practice in our Singapore office and advises on the full range of financial regulatory issues relating to financial services and market products, including banking services, securities, futures, derivatives, funds and payment services.

Lena advises banks, financial institutions, corporates (including commodities houses), funds and payment service providers on licensing requirements, exemptions, conduct of business and other regulatory requirements. In addition, she advises on custody, collateral, netting and clearing issues, as well as cash and credit risk management.

Lena's practice extends to advising on bank secrecy, confidentiality and data privacy. She is also part of the firm's Tech Group and advises on fintech, cryptocurrency and blockchain related matters.

Originally from Singapore, she joined Clifford Chance in 2001 after receiving her LL.M from University College London. She is admitted to practice law in multiple

jurisdictions including as a solicitor in England & Wales and Hong Kong, and as an advocate & solicitor in Singapore.



**Yaru Chia – Associate, Clifford Chance**

Yaru is an associate in our Derivatives, Structured Products & Financial Regulatory practice. She has experience advising on licensing and regulatory requirements in the conduct of financial services and FinTech businesses, as well as drafting and negotiating of derivatives documentation. She is also an adjunct research fellow at the Centre for Banking & Finance Law, NUS Law, and has spoken and written on financial regulatory and tech issues (both locally and internationally).



**Charlotte Leung – Consultant, Clifford Chance**

Charlotte specialises in leveraged and acquisition financing and other general banking matters including syndicated lending, corporate loans, direct lending, fund financing, distressed buyout servicing private equity firms, credit funds, financial investors and corporate borrowers.

Charlotte is admitted in Hong Kong and is fluent in English, Cantonese and Mandarin.

She is currently Clifford Chance's representative on the Green and Sustainability Loan Committee of the APLMA.



**Chong Ying Chiang – Counsel, Clifford Chance**

Chong Ying Chiang specialises in debt and equity capital markets transactions for companies and real estate investment trusts in Singapore and across South East Asia, and is a member of the Global Financial Markets group. Ying Chiang is an active supporter of diversity and inclusion, and is a founding member of the Clifford Chance Singapore women's network.

Ying Chiang is admitted in Singapore and England and Wales.

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