



ESG Series: How did Listed Companies React to the ESG Reporting Guide: A Review of the Reporting Practice and How to Move Forward

Many of the listed companies have issued their ESG reports following the ESG Reporting Guide set out in Appendix 27 of the Listing Rules of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange.

Interested to find out how the companies are reacting to the Guide's disclosure requirements, whether they are 'complying' or 'explaining' and their reporting quality, KPMG surveyed the ESG reporting of over 300 issuers to understand the ESG reporting landscape in the first year of the implementation of the Guide.

Participants of this seminar will get practical insights on how to improve the quality of reporting with reference to the results of the survey. The following topics will be explored:

- The reporting landscape (i.e. the reporting format and guidelines, and assurance practice)
- Definition of the report boundary
- "Comply or explain" on ESG aspects
- Disclosure of the key performance indicators
- Reporting quality with regard to general disclosures, the application of the reporting principles and other core elements of ESG reporting

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Speaker

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Mr. Ng is a Chartered Environmental Engineer/ Manager as well as Chartered Mechanical Engineer and Electrical Engineer. Currently, he is a director at KPMG responsible for business reporting and sustainability including ESG reporting and report assurance. Mr. Ng has over 20 years of administrative and management experience in the consulting sector including almost 10 years of solid experience in climate change and sustainability consultancy. He has hands-on experience on managing corporate sustainability and environmental reporting as well as sophisticated experience on standard assurance and data system due-diligence compliance audit. In addition, Mr. Ng is familiar with translating engineering terms to financial values for executive communication.

Participants

Professional accountants; Sustainability/ ESG reporters and other key stakeholders in sustainability/ ESG reporting

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