

CFIG E-learning webinar: HKEX Recent Consultation on Proposals to Enhance Listing Framework Competitiveness (archived session)

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About the topic

The Exchange has recently issued a consultation paper, aiming to review and enhance Hong Kong's listing framework to attract a broader diversity of companies while maintaining robust investor protections and invite the public to provide feedback. Against this backdrop we are delighted to invite Paul Malam, Senior Vice President, Head of Policy and Secretariat Services, Listing Division and Kelly Lee, Senior Vice President, Policy and Secretariat Services, Listing Division from Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEX) to share and provide their insights on those proposed reforms, including but not limited to:

- Enhancements to various weighted voting rights ("WVR") listing criteria
- Lowering the financial eligibility thresholds for secondary listing of an overseas listed issuers
- Adjustments to initial listing requirements and arrangements in various kinds, including but not limited to, ownership, financial reporting, and confidential filing.

About the event

Enrolment period	22 April 2026 – 20 June 2026
Viewing period	30 days from the date of successful registration
Format	E-seminar
Fee	HK\$160 per person for CFIG members, HKICPA members, students and IAs of HKICPA HK\$360 per person for non-HKICPA members <i>Priority is given to CFIG members. Not a CFIG member? Click here to join. CFIG membership is open to all members of the Institute.</i>
CPD hours	1 hour (subject to actual attendance)
CPT credit	Please check with your compliance officer or other relevant personnel of your firm as this event may be acceptable for CPT recognition for SFC licensed persons
Language	English
Competency	Industry Knowledge *
Sub-competency*	Understanding of capital market and financial products, business and product knowledge
Rating	Intermediate level*
Application Deadline	20 June 2026 (offline enrolment by 17 June 2026)

Speakers

Paul Malam

Senior Vice President, Head of Policy and Secretariat Services, Listing Division, HKEX

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* Details of [Competency and Rating](#) information



About the speakers

Paul Malam

Senior Vice President, Head of Policy and Secretariat Services, Listing Division, HKEX

Mr. Paul Malam is the Head of Policy and Secretariat Services of Listing Division at Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (“HKEX”). Prior to joining HKEX in 2006, Paul worked for the London Stock Exchange's Listing Division and subsequently the Markets Division of the UK Financial Services Authority (now Financial Conduct Authority) on policy initiatives and monitoring issuers' compliance with UK Listing Rule continuing obligations. At HKEX, Paul played a key role in developing and implementing several listing reforms and regimes, including the 2018 Listing Reforms (Chapters 8A, 18A and 19C), the SPAC listing regime, the Specialist Technology Company regime, the GEM Review, and the recent initiatives on IPO price discovery and open market reform.

Kelly Lee

Senior Vice President, Policy and Secretariat Services, Listing Division, HKEX

Ms. Kelly Lee joined Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (“HKEX”) in 2013. She works within the Policy and Secretariat Services Unit of the Listing Division, and has been involved in HKEX’s major listing policy. She is leading the corporate governance, diversity and ESG regulatory initiatives in recent years. Ms. Lee is currently a member of the Sustainability Disclosure Standards Committee and the Sustainability Assurance Advisory Panel of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants. She is also an advisor to the Climate Change Framework for Building and Construction initiative under the Sustainable Development Committee of the Hong Kong Green Building Council.

Remarks

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