



E-learning webinar:

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# Current Corporate Restructuring Developments in Cayman and Hong Kong

## About the topic

The Cayman Islands' legislature has gazetted the Companies (Amendment) Bill 2021, which will establish a new legislative rescue process for debtors facing financial distress. The proposed regime, which includes provision for the appointment by the court of a dedicated restructuring officer, seeks to balance the interests of all stakeholders, with a view to maximising the chances of debtors being able to successfully restructure their affairs and to continue as viable going concerns.

The Institute is pleased to invite three experienced practitioners to hold an interactive panel discussion to share their views on the proposed regime and the current corporate restructuring developments in Cayman and Hong Kong as follows:-

- The proposed amendments and the implications for the restructuring and winding up of Cayman companies
- Expectations of the regime
- Recent decisions in Hong Kong and the Cayman Islands relevant to the restructuring of companies with connections to both jurisdictions

## About the programme

<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Thursday, 4 August 2022</b> <b>1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Format</b>	<b>Live Webinar</b> (There will be real time Q&A)
<b>Fee</b>	HK\$150 per person for RIF members HK\$250 per person for Non-RIF members
<b>CPD credit</b>	1 hour (subject to actual attendance)
<b>Law Society CPD credit</b>	Being applied for
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Competency</b>	Insolvency *
<b>Rating</b>	Intermediate/Advanced level*
<b>Application Deadline</b>	<b>1 August 2022</b> (offline enrolment by 28 July 2022)

### Rundown

<b>1:00 pm</b>	Introduction
<b>1:05 pm</b>	Panel discussion
<b>1:50 pm</b>	Q&A
<b>2:00 pm</b>	Closing

*\*Live polling questions will be asked*

### Panellists

#### **Kenneth Yeo**

Moderator: Chairman, RIF Executive Committee (RIFEC) and Director and Head of Specialist Advisory Services, BDO

#### **Shaun Folpp**

Member, RIFEC and Managing Partner, Campbells (Hong Kong)

#### **Sunny Hathiramani**

Member, RIFEC and Partner, Tanner De Witt

\* Please refer [here](#) for descriptions of the various ratings and competencies.



## About the panel

### **Kenneth Yeo**

**Chairman, RIFEC and Director and Head of Specialist Advisory Services, BDO**

Kenneth is a director of BDO in Hong Kong and heads up the Specialist Advisory Services division. He has over 30 years of experience in providing restructuring and advisory services to many multinational corporations in the region. He is a high-profile insolvency practitioner and has led teams on restructuring and insolvency appointments in Hong Kong, China and Australia. His other work experiences include financial reviews and valuations, forensic accounting investigations and acting as expert witness.

### **Shaun Folpp**

**Member, RIFEC and Managing Partner, Campbells (Hong Kong)**

Shaun is a partner in Litigation, Insolvency & Restructuring Group and Managing Partner of Campbells' Hong Kong Office. He has extensive experience acting for and against insolvency practitioners in all forms of external administrations, as well as acting for parties involved in general commercial, financial services and trust disputes, and has been involved in many of the largest offshore disputes to come before the courts of the British Virgin Islands and Cayman Islands in recent history.

Shaun also has considerable experience advising on corporate governance matters, including in relation to the duties owed by directors and general partners, in addition advising more generally on the proper operation of investment funds and other offshore structures. He is one of only a few offshore practitioners in Hong Kong to have spent significant time living and working in each jurisdiction, and regularly appearing before their courts.

### **Sunny Hathiramani**

**Member, RIFEC and Partner, Tanner De Witt**

Sunny is a partner in the Restructuring and Insolvency Practice Group and was recognised in the Asian Legal Business 2020 list of "40 Under 40" most accomplished lawyers in Asia under 40 years old. Sunny focuses on all areas of contentious insolvency matters with a strong emphasis on cross-border related issues. In addition to his cross-border expertise, he has successfully represented both the applicant and contemnor in contempt of court proceedings. His practice also includes advising private equity funds and other financial institutions on distressed securities and dealing with complex issues arising from regulatory investigations and civil proceedings.

## Registration

- **Online enrolment by 1 August; offline enrolment by post or e-mail also by 28 July:**

Complete the enrolment form and return it to the Institute by 28 July, together with full payment. Cheque should be made payable to "Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants" or "HKICPA". E-mail registration will be accepted for payment by any VISA/ Master card or the BOC HKICPA UnionPay card.

**You may consider your registration to be successful unless you receive notification from us to the contrary.**

- Upon successful enrolment, the meeting URL and login password will be provided nearer the event date.
- **Contact Mr. Marco Yip at 2287-7009 or Mr. Bryan Kwok at 2287-7057 for enquiry.**