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Monthly Newsletter for our Australian Alumni Community

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members & Partners,

After 3 long years with a stable COVID situation both locally and globally, on the 13th of February Singapore adjusted the DORSCON level from Yellow to Green indicating a return to pre-COVID times. While Singapore had a relatively stable COVID situation - thanks to the quick and decisive response from the government and the strong healthcare system, the announcement was a welcoming news for many.

After 2 long years, Australian High Commission in Singapore hosted the Australia Day celebration at Gardens by the Bay on 10th February. The event was attended by over 800 members from the Australian and Singaporean communities who contributed to strengthening the ties between both countries. It was also a farewell for His Excellency Will Hodgman, as the Australian High Commissioner to Singapore.

As the patron of AAS, Will played a crucial role in growing our community to what it is today during his short yet impactful tenure in Singapore. While we had an uphill task to build further awareness and continue the engagement with our community during the COVID days. Many thoughts and ideas Will shared played a crucial role in helping us set the strategy and to get to where we are today despite going through very unfavourable conditions. I would once again like to thank Will for his unwavering support, encouragement, guidance, and friendship he offered the Australian Alumni Community.

AAS' 68th Annual General Meeting will be held at the Australian High Commission on 29th March 2023. I would like to encourage everyone to register for the event early to accommodate security and clearance requirements at the venue. We are excited to meet you and discuss the future of the association in-person after 3 long years.

As we move into the next phase of growth for AAS, I would request any members who are keen to contribute to the community, interested to be part of the growth and influence of the association to join the new Management Committee to set the direction forward. Please reach out to me directly or AAS Secretariat (secretariat@as.org.sg) to arrange a discussion together.

Looking forward to seeing you at the AGM.

Yours Sincerely,



Rajaneesh R Kurup
#forwardtogether



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Will Hodgman making his farewell speech

After a 2-year hiatus, we were delighted to be able to host in-person Australia Day celebrations once more, at the beautiful Flower Field Hall at Gardens By the Bay on 10 February.

It was a night to come together and connect. To reflect, respect and celebrate Australia with those Australia shares a close friendship with in Singapore. We were thrilled to see so many of you from our alumni community on the night.

Your contribution to Australia when you called our country home, and our ongoing friendship, is an important part of what makes Australia the nation it is and a crucial foundation of the vibrant Australia-Singapore relationship.

This Australia Day was a special one for us in Singapore. It was an opportunity to thank Singapore for such stalwart support during the difficult days of COVID and to farewell Will Hodgman as our High Commissioner. During his final speech as High Commissioner, Will emphasised the close ties between Australia and Singapore and reflected on the strong friendship between our communities.

The night commenced with a moving didgeridoo performance by Yamitji musician Mark Atkins and the Australian and Singaporean national anthems, performed by the Australian International School choir. What followed was an opportunity to re-experience Australia through some of our amazing food, drink and experience booths.

We were so glad to be able to celebrate with so many of you. Thank you for your ongoing support and friendship!

Visit our social media to find out more about the night and our amazing sponsors!

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Didgeridoo performance by Yamitji musician Mark Atkins



Will Hodgman and AAS members



AAS members at G'Day by the Bay



Emcee, Hossan Leong with Quokka mascot

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AAS MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

**PAUL THAM, CEO & SVP, LIFELONG LEARNING
GLOAPP HUMAN CAPITAL PTE LTD
ALUMNUS OF CURTIN UNIVERSITY**



Paul Tham is a seasoned professional in managing partnerships for large multi-national companies. With more than 30 years in the IT industry, Paul is an experienced and highly knowledgeable consultant & facilitator. During the years, he has held various senior positions, from sales and marketing, customer service, business management to partnership management with leading IT multi-national companies.

Overall, Paul's extensive business management in Asia Pacific covering Japan, Australia and People's Republic of China working in large US multinational companies including HP, Compaq, Digital Computer Corporation, Sun Microsystems Inc, Polycom and Oracle Corporation.

Paul has been a mentor and coach to his team of executives. In recent years, Paul has provided HR consultation to a number of SMEs in Singapore and is also on the faculty of NUS School of Computing Strategic Technology Management Institute

Outstanding Australian University Alumni Association Award, 2022

Paul Tham, despite a busy work schedule and active volunteerism in grassroots work, is equally passionate in active leadership in the **Curtin University Alumni Singapore Chapter (CUASC)**.

Paul and his team members steered CUASC to win the **Outstanding Australian University Alumni Association Award, 2022** from **Australian Alumni Singapore**.



Serving the Larger Community

In 2013, Paul joined the **People's Association** as a volunteer in serving the community. Having been engrossed with career building during his younger days, Paul decided to embark on a new chapter in his life. Paul was appointed the **Chairman of Seletar Hills West Neighbourhood Committee** in January 2014. He spearheaded a team to promote neighbourliness and community bonding, connect with people to forge multi-racial harmony and social cohesion and inculcate a sense of belonging among Singaporeans. The team acts as the bridge between the Government and the people by providing feedback and helping to explain and implement government policies.

Paul was conferred the **Public Service Medal (Pingat Bakti Masyarakat)** at the **2022 National Day Awards**.



Fear of death may motivate us to play games excessively



A new study examines our fear of death as an unconscious motivation for gaming.

Video games are a form of escapism — a way for us to run away from the problems of the world and bury our heads in the sand. Consequently, video games offer a form of distraction to escape from the problem of death. After all, reminders of death compel us to do things that make us feel better about ourselves in order to cope with the anxiety.

Apart from distraction, video games can also reinforce self-esteem and close relationships through a myriad of stimuli that gamers find comfort in. These include a sense of achievement and feeling of competence, as well as the ability to socialise with other players.

Finally, some gaming elements could facilitate the pursuit of symbolic immortality. Dr Peter Chew, Senior Lecturer of Psychology at James Cook University in Singapore, points out, “For example, most games have a leaderboard where highly-skilled gamers are ranked and honoured. Also, game avatars enjoy virtual immortality; upon death, gamers have the option of either restarting the game or reviving the avatar. Taken together, gaming could help cope with the terror associated with mortality salience.”

Therefore, Dr Chew believes that an increase in mortality salience (in other words, the conscious awareness of death) is linked to a simultaneous increase in gaming activity, due to the ways gaming allow individuals to cope with both psychological distress and the problem of death. By studying over a 100 participants, Dr Chew hoped to further examine the effects of mortality salience on gaming activity.

The results showed that participants who faced mortality salience had a higher duration of gameplay, and were consistent with previous studies demonstrating self-esteem attempts following reminders of death.

“Specifically, participants might be playing longer to accumulate higher scores on the game. In doing so, they could obtain a sense of achievement and satisfy their need for competence,” explained Dr Chew. “More importantly, the high scores could provide a boost to their self-esteem, enabling them to cope with the terror associated with mortality salience.”

In addition, male participants had a higher duration of gameplay than female participants. As such, males are more likely than females to respond to mortality salience with increased gaming activity. This highlights the risk for males to engage in potentially problematic gaming activity during periods of heightened mortality salience, such as the COVID-19 pandemic.

PAPER
Chew, P. K. H., & Ayu, I. N. (2022, November 10). Death Anxiety as a Gaming Motivation: An Exploratory Study. *The Humanistic Psychologist*. Advance online publication. <https://dx.doi.org/10.1037/hum0000305>

Find out more about our [Psychology courses](#).

Find out more about the [JCU Singapore Psychology Clinic](#).

Check out [Dr Peter Chew's staff and research profiles](#).

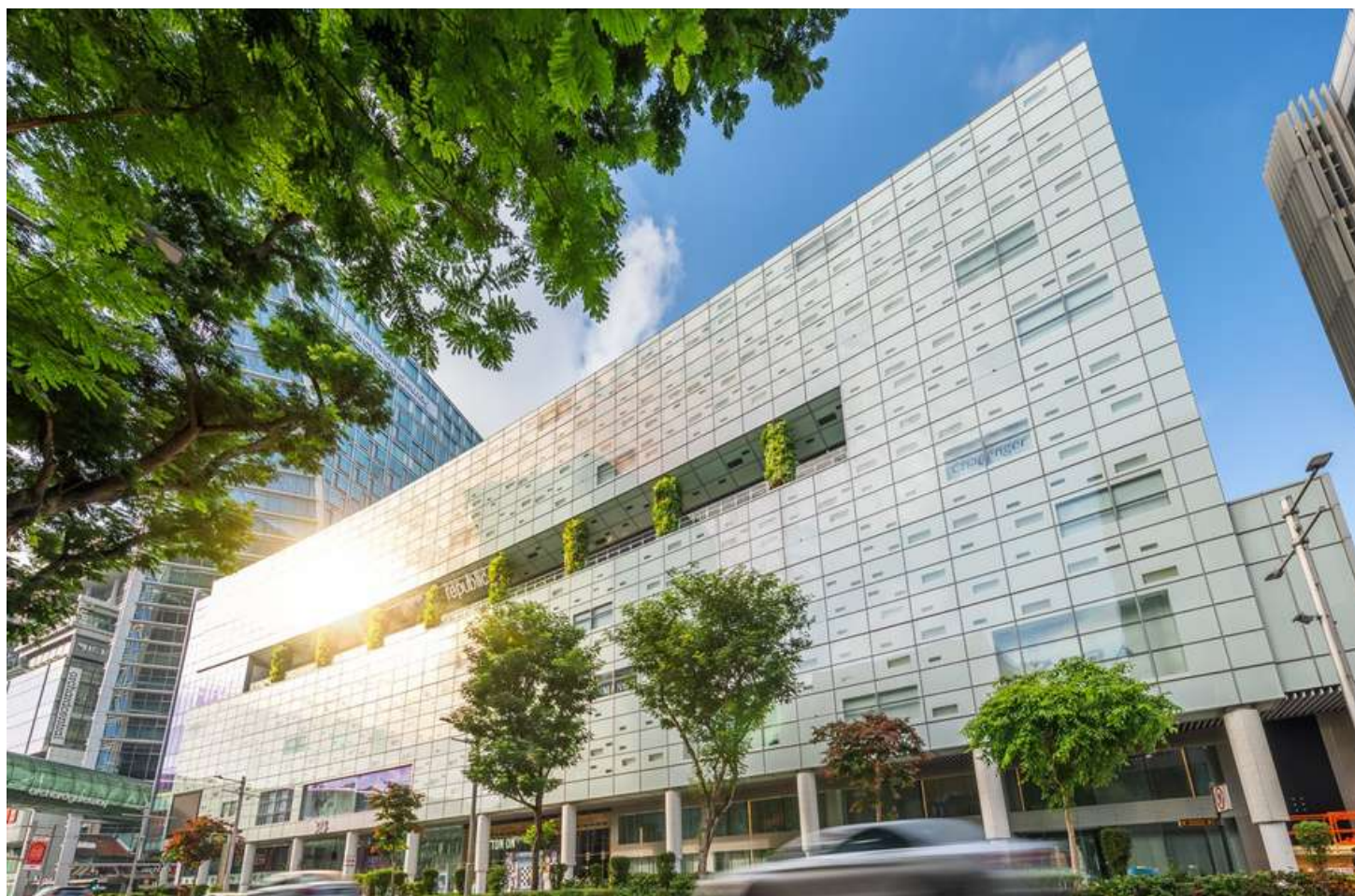
Discover further information on [areas of research and research strength at James Cook University in Singapore](#).

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PARTNER UPDATES

A quick look into: Lendlease Global Commercial REIT



Lendlease Global Commercial REIT (LREIT) primarily invests in a diversified portfolio of income-producing retail and/or office real estate properties globally. Its portfolio comprises leasehold properties in Singapore, namely Jem (an office and retail property) and 313@somerset (a prime retail property) as well as freehold interest in Sky Complex (three grade-A office buildings) in Milan. These five properties have a total net lettable area of approximately 2.2 million square feet, with an appraised value of S\$3.6 billion. LREIT's Sponsor, Lendlease Corporation Limited, is part of the Lendlease Group.

LREIT's key objectives are to provide Unitholders with regular and stable distributions, to achieve long-term growth in DPU and NAV per Unit, while maintaining an appropriate capital structure. LREIT integrates Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) considerations into its business operations across four main areas as follows:

- 1. Investment and Acquisition** – Potential assets that LREIT looks to acquire will undergo a stringent ESG checklist to ensure that it meets all the requirements. This ensures that only the best-in-class assets are added to the portfolio.
- 2. Asset Management** – Green building certification is a key indicator of LREIT's commitment to resource efficiency and environmental sustainability. Within Singapore, Jem and 313@somerset have been awarded the Green Mark Platinum certificate by The Building and Construction Authority (BCA). Sky Complex in Milan has also been awarded the LEED Gold certificate.
- 3. Capital Management** – LREIT has embarked on a sustainable financing journey to bring interest savings for Unitholders. Presently, sustainable financing accounts for approximately 62% of LREIT's total debt (or S\$960 million).
- 4. Social** – Aligned with Lendlease Group's social target, LREIT and the Group aim to create A\$250 million social value by 2025. In addition, LREIT was the first S-REIT to attain Net Zero Carbon in 2022, three years ahead of its target of 2025.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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All participants are to be fully vaccinated.

OCEAN PURPOSE PROJECT

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AAS CYCLING INTEREST GROUP MONTHLY MEETUP

SATURDAY, 25 MARCH 2023 | 6.30AM SGT

For more information and to Register, please scan the Whatsapp QR Code and join the AAS Cycling Social Interest Group below.



[LINK](#)

CITBA Webinar Series #1 – Trade Mega-regionalism and Great Power Geo-economic Competition

CITBA Webinar Series - Trade Mega-regionalism and Great Power Geo-economic Competition



When: 14 March 2023, 11.30am -- 12.30pm

Location: Online Webinar

The lecture focuses on mega-regionalism as a new format of governing and organising international trade relations that sits between unilateralism and multilateralism. The emergence of mega-regionalism since the late 2000s can be explained by competition between the United States, China and the European Union for economic benefits, geopolitical influence and normative authority. Momentum towards mega-regionalism in particular and trade liberalisation in general has, however, been held back by Trumpism and protectionism. The implications of the Biden administration's Indo-Pacific Economic Strategy will also be discussed.

Host & Moderator



[Dr Sook Rei Tan](#)

Lecturer of Business, James Cook University Singapore

Dr Sook Rei Tan was a research fellow at Economics department of Nanyang Technological University, before joining James Cook University Singapore. Her research interests include applied macroeconomics and international finance. Specifically, her current research focuses on panel data estimation on the relationship between financial openness indicators and financial stability of emerging market economies.

Her research works have been accepted and presented at several conferences, such as Conference of Computing in Economics and Finance, INFER Workshop on Applied Macroeconomics, Workshop on Economic Science with Heterogeneous Interacting Agents and Singapore Economic Review Conference.

Speaker



Dr Xianbai Ji

Associate Professor of School of International Studies, Renmin University of China

Dr Xianbai Ji is Associate Professor at the School of International Studies, Renmin University of China. He is also Director of the Office of Continuing Education and Executive Director of the International Political Economy Research Center within the School.

He works on regionalism, global economic governance and economic sanctions. He obtained his doctorate from the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Nanyang Technological University, Singapore as a Nanyang President Graduate Scholar. Before joining Renmin University of China, he held research or visiting positions at RSIS, EU Centre in Singapore and the Australian National University.

[Register now](#)

Photos and recording will be taken during the event for news and various publicity purposes

AAS 68th Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Wednesday, 29 March 2023 | 6.45pm -8.45pm SGT
Australian High Commission, Theatrette,
25 Napier Rd, Singapore 258507



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Thank You

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Itinerary:

- 6.15pm – Registration starts
- 6.45pm – Start of AAS' 68th Annual General Meeting
- 6.50pm – Opening Address by Presiding Officer
- 6.55pm – Welcome Speech & Annual Report by AAS President, Mr Rajaneesh Kurup
- 7.00pm – Financial Report by Hon Treasurer, Mr Noel Ng
- 7.10pm – Activities Report by Chair of Events, Mr Richard Ngo
- 7.20pm – Membership report by Chair of Membership, Ms Dipanti Das
- 7.30pm – Election of Management Committee Members and an Auditor
- 8.00pm – Discussion on any other business
- 8.30pm – End of AAS 68th Annual General Meeting
- 8.45pm – Networking and departure from AHC

Agenda:

- 1- To receive the Annual Report
- 2- To receive last year's AGM Meeting Minutes
- 3- To receive the Statement of Accounts for the previous financial year
- 4- To elect Management Committee Members and an Auditor
- 5- To consider any resolution, motion or proposal that has been properly tabled as part of the agenda for the meeting
- 6- To discuss general business for which prior written notice has been received two weeks before AGM in accordance with Article IX(2) of AAS Constitution

AAS members (Life, Ordinary & authorized representative of Institutions) with Active membership may attend & vote during the meeting. AAS Associate members may also attend but will not be allowed to vote.

At the meeting, members will have the opportunity to:

- find out about Australian Alumni Singapore's operations and finances
- ask questions about the operations and finances of Australian Alumni Singapore
- speak about any items on the agenda
- vote on any resolutions proposed

At the meeting, members will be asked to vote to:

- accept the minutes of the last annual general meeting
- accept the annual financial statements
- elect committee members
- appoint an auditor

Please kindly register via [Glueup](https://www.glueup.com) no later than 7pm on Wednesday, 22 March 2023.

INNOVATION IN A RAPIDLY CHANGING WORLD: SKILLS FOR AN (UN)CERTAIN FUTURE



AUSTRALIA ASEAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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INNOVATION IN A RAPIDLY CHANGING WORLD: SKILLS FOR AN (UN)CERTAIN FUTURE

MONDAY
6 MARCH 2023
VIA ZOOM

TIME
1:00 PM SG-MY
12 NOON JKT-BKK
4 PM AEDT

SPEAKERS

Prof. Ingrid Burkett
Director, Centre for Impact
Innovation at Griffith University

Carolyn Chin Parry
PwC Digital Innovation
Leader, Singapore

Datin Lorela Chia
President, Malaysia
Association of Sustainable
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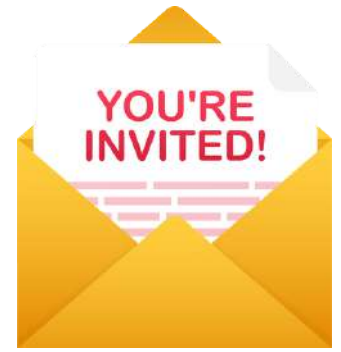
Peter Drucker, the famous management guru, once declared that business must “innovate or die”. But what is innovation in today’s world? What are the skills required to be innovative? How do you become an innovative doer and thinker?

Join us at the esteemed panel to find out about the latest trends in innovation both in business and society and the role you play in the innovation process. The Victorian Government is a proud partner of this event.

Date and Time: Monday 6 March 1:00pm SG; 12 noon JKT BKK; 4pm AEDT

Zoom Link: <https://lnkd.in/gXHtsQxj>

Contact: info@austchamasean.com



Dear AAS members,

It is our pleasure to invite you to celebrate the successful launch of CPA Australia's new Experience-Based Pathway.

The Experience-Based Pathway is a membership pathway that recognises the expertise and experience of business professionals from non-accounting backgrounds. We will consider your job responsibilities, career progression, and level of decision-making authority in the roles you have performed to determine your entry pathway into the CPA Program and bespoke study plan.

If you have working experience in the accounting and finance field and interested to get a professional accounting designation. This event is for you!

You can find out more from this [link](#).

We hope you will be able to join us for this momentous event on 7 March 2023 at the CPA Australia Singapore office at 1 Raffles Place #31-01 One Raffles Place Singapore 048616.

Kindly RSVP via to this [link](#) to accept our invitation.

We look forward to seeing you on 7 March 2023.

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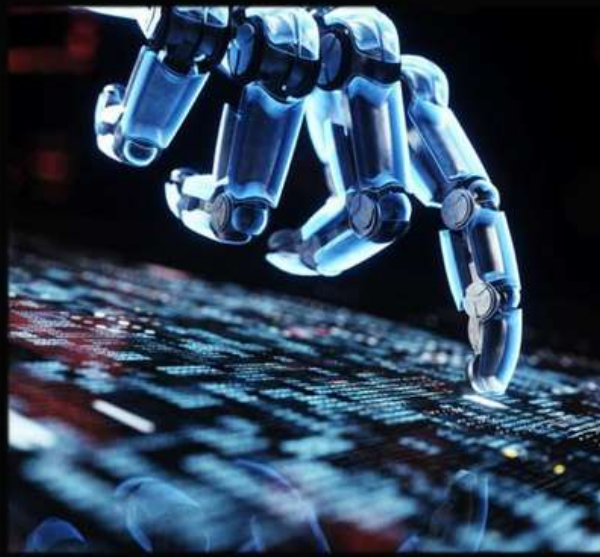
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Connect & network
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AI and Automation: what does it mean for you and your business in Singapore?

(In-Person Event)



8 March 2023
(8.30am – 10.30am)



Tower Club



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There is so much talk about the impact and/or potential impact of artificial intelligence (AI) and automation on businesses in Singapore. But, what does it all mean for you and your business? Our expert speaker Karen Blackmore, Deputy Head of School - Industry Engagement, School of Information and Physical Sciences, University of Newcastle, Australia will provide some answers. She will cover the potential benefits and drawbacks of implementing AI and automation technologies as well as their implications for the workforce and the economy.

The steps being taken to prepare for the increasing use of AI and automation in the business world will be discussed, with a focus on relevant Singaporean governance and regulatory frameworks. Karen will also examine the ethical considerations that come with the increasing use of AI and automation in businesses and what measures can be taken to mitigate potential negative impacts.

Click [here](#) to register and learn more!

Registration closes: 3 March 2023

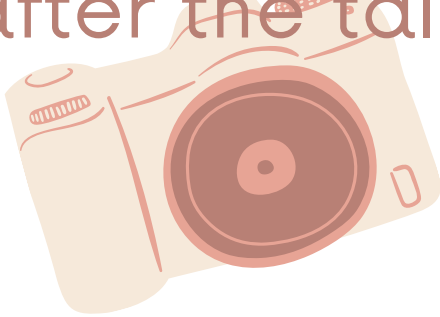
PAST EVENTS

AAS Networking Event & Wellness Talk Quantum Leap to Better Health

Wednesday 8 February 2023



Networking after the talk



For more photos, visit our Facebook page.



PAST EVENTS

AAS Beer & Brains Session by Raj, Noel & Richard

Thursday 16 Feb 2023, BAR.CELONA, CAVA & TAPAS GASTROBAR @ 30 Robertson quay #01-10/11



**Attendees of
the Beer &
Brains Session.
It was a fun
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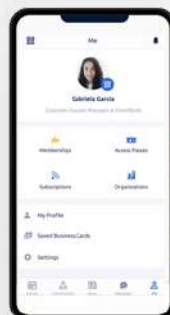
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Lendlease Malls | *You Won't Believe It's Trash - Trash to Couture Fashion Design Contest* | Now till 20 March 2023



'You Won't Believe It's Trash (Y.W.B.I.T)' has returned to Lendlease Malls with a Fashion Design Contest by reimagining waste and to turn Trash to Couture. With an intent to support Singapore's Zero Waste ambitions, the Fashion Design Contest helps to promote sustainable and creative zero-waste habits through upcycling materials and transforming them into couture pieces.

A Y.W.B.I.T Trash to Couture runway show will be launched on 11 May 2023 at 313@somerset featuring Apichet "Madaew" Atirattana, a Thai fashion designer and Internet sensation known for his innovative approach to fashion, from designing and modelling dresses made from unusual materials like mosquito netting, clothes hangers, cooking utensils, bicycle tyres and even various forms of plant life.

Following the runway show, the top 10 design pieces will join Madaew's pieces as showcases of a roving exhibition on fashion sustainability across the four Lendlease malls 313@somerset, Jem, Parkway Parade and Paya Lebar Quarter from 12 May 2023 to 2 July 2023.

Prizes of the contest as follows:

- Grand Prize - S\$10,000 (S\$5,000 Lendlease E-Voucher and S\$5,000 Cheque)
- 2nd Prize - S\$5,000 (S\$2,500 Lendlease E-Voucher and S\$2,500 Cheque)
- 3rd Prize - S\$3,000 (S\$1,500 Lendlease E-Voucher and S\$1,500 Cheque)
- 4th to 10th Finalists - S\$500 Lendlease E-Voucher each
- 11th to 15th Finalists - S\$200 Lendlease E-Voucher each

Entries may be submitted individually or on behalf of a team with up to three members by 20 March 2023, 2359 hours Singapore time. For more information on submission guidelines, judging criteria and to submit your entries, please refer to the [participation form](#) online.

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Paya Lebar Quarter

[Much March More](#) | 24 Feb – 26 Mar 2023

[Lendlease Plus Members Exclusive] Get more from your shopping! Receive \$10 Lendlease E-Voucher with a min. nett spend of \$200.

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[Upsize Rewards at Parkside](#) | 24 Feb – 26 Mar 2023

[Lendlease Plus Members Exclusive] Spend \$20 at any PLQ Parkside retailers and receive bonus 10,000 Plus\$2 (worth \$5 Lendlease E-Voucher). Stay tuned to PLQ Parkside retailer deals dropping on Lendlease Plus app on 10 and 17 March 12pm!

Spend in a single receipt. Limited to first 1,000 redemptions and 1 redemption per member per day.

[March Supercharge Plus\\$](#) | 24 Feb – 26 Mar 2023

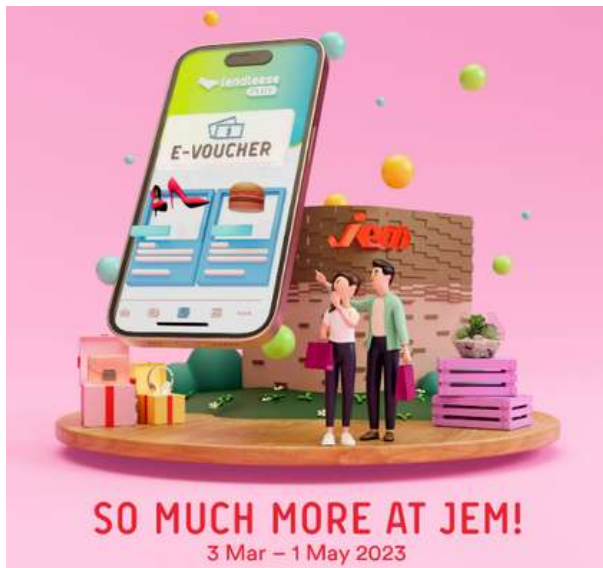
[Lendlease Plus Members Exclusive] Supercharge your Plus\$ and receive 3X Plus\$3 from Monday to Thursday.

Bonus Plus\$ capped at 10,000 Plus\$ per Basic member and 20,000 Plus\$ per Premium member per day.

[Parking Perks](#) | 24 Feb – 26 Mar 2023

[Lendlease Plus Members Exclusive] Redeem \$3 Park Plus\$ with a min. nett spend of \$30 in a single receipt. Head to PLQ Mall L4 Concierge Desk for redemption.

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Jem

[It's Time To Shop](#) / 3 Mar - 1 May 2023

[Lendlease Plus Members Exclusive] Redeem a \$5 Lendlease E-Voucher with a min. nett spend of \$150. Premium Lendlease Plus Members will be rewarded with an additional \$5 Lendlease E-Voucher.

Max. 3 combined same-day receipts. Limited to first 12,000 redemptions and 1 redemption per member per day regardless of total amount spent. Double spending required for FairPrice Xtra receipts.

[Build A Terrarium](#) / 23 - 26 Mar, 30 Mar - 2 Apr 2023 / 12pm - 9pm daily / B1 Jem Market

Get ready to create your very own self-sustainable garden! Redeem a terrarium workshop pass at B1 Jem Market with a min. nett spend of \$100!

Max. 2 combined same-day receipts. Limited to first 150 redemptions daily at B1 Jem Market and 1 redemption per member per day regardless of total amount spent. Double spending required for FairPrice Xtra receipts.

Parkway Parade

[Unbox These Great Deals](#) | 6 - 12 MAR 2023

Unleash your inner techie and shop smarter at the very first Harvey Norman Takeover Tech Show at Parkway Parade. Explore the latest IT trends and score unbeatable deals across 7 tech zones on 4 levels from Basement to L3!

[Assemble Your Plus\\$ Rewards](#) | 6 - 26 MAR 2023

Get a boost of 10,000 Plus\$ when you shop with a min. nett spend of \$200.

Limited to first 5,000 redemptions and 1 redemption per member per day.

[Citi Exclusive Bonus](#) | 6 - 26 MAR 2023

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[Weekday Parking Perks](#) | 6 - 24 MAR 2023

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You can also send chat with us via the website messaging, we will come back to you as soon as possible! We will be happy to welcome you for a nice fitting session.



AWA FASHION SHOW 2023 - Beauty in Diversity March 03, 2023 from 11am - 3 pm
Beach Road, Grand Ballroom

For the first time in 3 years, American Women Association is able to host our Annual AWA Fashion Show. This has always been a well attended and fabulous event for all involved. An opportunity to show your designs and advertise your brand to our influential members and their guests.

We are very glad to have been invited by AWA to showcase our headpieces and clutches. Hope you could register to this great event!

Registration <https://www.awasingapore.org/event-details/awa-fashion-show-beauty-in-diversity>



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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

REGIONAL FINANCE MANAGER, APAC

Our client a top tier professional provider of communication and high-speed network system solutions to networking, data center and telecom customers is looking for a Regional Finance Manager, APAC to be based in Singapore.

Responsibilities:

- Responsible for implementing relevant accounting policies and procedures, including cost, accounting, capital expenditure, key performance indicators and benchmarks against the company's operational controls.
- Responsible for the financial needs of the Asia-Pacific region, and conducted financial, operation and cost analysis based on business needs: researched and established management system rule forms such as the accounting, control, statistics and evaluation system of income and expenditure deposit indicators, followed up the achievement of various indicators, provided various reports, data and analysis support to the management to promote the achievement of the group's business objectives;
- Responsible for regional tax planning and tax compliance in the Asia-Pacific region. Liaise with external auditors and tax agents to ensure timely filing of tax reports for Asia Pacific accounts and participate in due diligence.
- Responsible for monitoring changes and updates to tax legislation and assessing the impact on business.
- Responsible for financial internal control and risk: established and improved internal control management system to ensure the safety of income and expenditure and operating cash flow, monitored the operation and risk of the company's internal control system, and conducted supervision and management.

Requirements

- Bachelor degree in accounting or equivalent;
- Professionally qualified and/or registered tax consultant/practitioner (income tax) preferred;
- At least 5 years finance related working experience (1-2 years tax related working experience), management experience/team building experience is preferred;
- Relevant tax experience in multinational companies, accounting firms or well-known law firms;
- Good communication, interpersonal and leadership skills;
- Strong project management ability and experience, able to effectively promote the project process;
- Comfortable to be based in Kallang.



MANAGEMENT TRAINEE, SINGAPORE OPEN TO ALL RECENT GRADUATE

Our client is one of the largest Fintech companies in China and listed on NYSE, providing various technology solutions for e-commerce consumers.

JOB DESCRIPTION

- Business expansion in European countries and North America
- Market research in target countries
- Company setup and local recruitment
- Driver management and operations
- Local client's development
- Other ad-hoc projects as required by senior management
- For high-caliber candidates, lead local team as general manager

What's on Offer

- Opportunity to apprentice directly with our senior management
- Travel and experience different cultures in various countries
- Participate in a successful new business initiative as key founding member

The Successful Applicant

- Bachelor's degree or above from a reputable university in Singapore or abroad
- 0-3 years of work experience after graduation
- Frequent global travel with alacrity
- Self-inspired and driven to achieve a great ambition
- Positive working attitude with down-to-earth capabilities

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