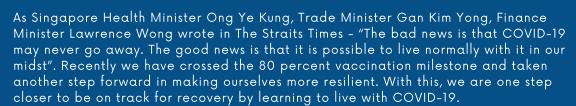


## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members & Partners,

The ripples of COVID-19 are still being felt across the globe and the impact has been felt by both individuals and business entities alike. Many of us know at least someone personally who has been affected by the pandemic while many of us have even been impacted directly.

While COVID-19 has impacted all of us, our healthcare workers were at the forefront of the fight against COVID-19 putting their life at risk to save ours. They worked tirelessly, with care, compassion and dedication providing care to the many affected by the pandemic. The frontline workers have played a crucial role in controlling the spread of the infection as well as lessen the impact of the pandemic in our day-today life. Let us extend our sincere appreciation to all our frontline workers for their dedication and tireless effort in this fight over the past year.



While it sounds promising, the fight is far from over and all of us have a role to play as COVID will be treated as endemic in the Singapore population. We need to be more responsible and alert as we start adapting to this new paradigm. Let us do our part to support the community around us and lend a helping hand to those in need around us. Being gracious and thankful would be a great place to start.

With these changes and as restrictions start to ease, we are cautiously optimistic that we will be able to meet you soon in one of the upcoming events that we will be hosting. Let us proceed with caution, stay responsible and do our part to support each other.

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Yours Sincerely,



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## AUSTRALIAN HIGH COMMISSION UPDATE

Australia is on the front line of climate change. We are committed to protecting our unique biodiversity and the ecosystems that support our prosperity. Our focus is on developing practical, scalable solutions to climate change that will enable Australia to reach net-zero while partnering with other countries to decarbonize and grow our economies.

In these efforts, Singapore is a partner who shares our vision to lower emissions and grow our economies through new green opportunities.

As our Prime Ministers announced in June 2021, Australia and Singapore are advancing discussions on a 'Green Economy Agreement.' This Agreement will facilitate trade and investment in environmentally sustainable goods and services and strengthen environmental governance and our capacity to address climate change. Prime Ministers also announced a \$30 million partnership to accelerate the deployment of low emissions fuels and technologies like green hydrogen to reduce emissions in maritime and port operations.

Australia's High Commissioner to Singapore, Will Hodgman, has personal experience overseeing the

use of technology-based solutions to lower emissions and achieve positive environmental outcomes. While he was Premier of Tasmania, Tasmania became the first jurisdiction in Australia – and one of few in the world – to achieve net-zero emissions.

High Commissioner Hodgman will speak on Australia's collaboration with Singapore on climate change action, and his practical experiences reducing emissions as Premier of Tasmania, on 2 September at the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators' 'Beyond Arbitration: Global Perspectives' Lecture Series. For more information and to attend, please head to <a href="https://www.siarb.org.sg/">https://www.siarb.org.sg/</a>.

We're working with the AAS to "hero" outstanding Singaporean alumni of Australian universities working across different industries and levels. Are you an outstanding AAS member currently working in the environmental sustainability field in Singapore? We'd love to hear your story and learn more about what you're working on. Please contact our Public Affairs team at <a href="Public-Affairs-Singedfat.gov.au">Public-Affairs-Singedfat.gov.au</a> and say "G'day!"

## COUNCIL OF ADVISOR SPOTLIGHT

#### MAH BOW TAN



Mr Mah Bow Tan was an elected Member of Parliament for Singapore's Tampines Group Representation Constituency from 1988-2015. He served in the Government holding various portfolios since 1988: Ministry of Trade and Industry, Ministry of Communications and Information, Ministry of the Environment and Ministry of National Development, where he served as Minister from 1999 until 2011 when he retired from Government.

Mr Mah's experience spanned the private, public and people sectors. In the private sector, he held Senior Management and Board positions with Singapore Bus Services (SBS), Singapore News and Publications Ltd (SNPL) and Singapore Press Holdings Ltd (SPH).

Mr Mah is currently the Distinguished Advisor to the Centre for Liveable Cities Singapore, Chairman of GlobalCities Consult Pte Ltd, as well as Adjunct. Professor at Nanyang Technological University's Centre for Public Administration, and National University of Singapore's Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy. In the social sector, Mr Mah was past President of, and now Adviser to, the Football Association of Singapore, as well as past Patron of the Samaritans of Singapore (SOS) and past Chairman of MILK International. He was also Chairman of the National Youth Achievement Award (NYAA) Council for 18 years from 1994 to 2012.

His awards include the Medal of Honour awarded by the National Trades Union Congress (NTUC) for distinguished service to the Labour Movement and the Alumni Award for Achievement awarded by the University of New South Wales for his outstanding contribution to the public service in Singapore. Mr Mah was awarded both the President's and Colombo Plan Scholarships to study at the University of New South Wales, Australia. He graduated with a First Class Honours in Industrial Engineering(1971) and a Master of Engineering degree in Operations Research (1973). He was conferred an Honorary Doctor of Science degree by the University of New South Wales in 2006.





## MEET REBECCA HALL

#### COMMISSIONER FOR VICTORIA TO SOUTH EAST ASIA



In this month's edition of Member Spotlight, AAS meets Rebecca Hall, Commissioner for Victoria to Southeast Asia. Ms Hall was appointed as Commissioner for the region in September 2020, bringing 20 years of experience in global engagement, industry policy, and strategy to the role. AAS caught up with Ms Hall to learn more about the role of the Victoria Government's offices in the region, and her top priorities including her work with Study Melbourne to bolster the recovery of Victoria's education sector.

AAS: Hi Ms Hall, great to meet you! Can you share more about your professional background, and role as part of the Victorian Government's presence in the region?

Rebecca: Pleasure to be featured! I've been fortunate to work across all levels of government in a range of roles, all with a core focus on global education and international relations. It's hard to believe that next month I will celebrate 12 months in this new role, but this is my second time working with the Victorian Government so it's great to be back. I am passionate about the role that education plays in creating a better world and I feel honoured to represent Victoria in South East Asia at this time.

As part of my role as Commissioner to the region, I lead the Southeast Asia (SEA) network of the Victorian Government Trade and Investment (VGTI) offices that span 11 markets across the region, with teams and offices in Singapore, Malaysia, Vietnam, and Indonesia. We represent key Victorian agencies and program areas such as Study Melbourne, Invest Victoria, and Global Victoria. Our goals are centered across 3 strategic areas: to assist more Victorian exporters to succeed in the region, to attract investors, talent, and new ideas to Victoria, and finally to support education and research engagement within the region.

AAS: Could you tell us more about Study Melbourne and the strong educational ties between Victoria and Singapore?

Rebecca: Absolutely, the Victorian education experience has benefitted students all over the world, creating a lifelong impact for the 200,000 international students from 170 countries who choose to come to Victoria to study. The purpose of Study Melbourne has been to preserve the cross-cultural ties that bind this international exchange of students, provide opportunities and connections to deepen the ties between alumni, as well as to maintain Victoria's status as the premier Australian education destination of choice. Study Melbourne is also focused on setting our international students up for professional success, and many of our initiatives such as the <u>Future Founders program</u> and <u>Career Catalyst have given our students the platform to make their aspirations a reality</u>.

While Singapore has been one of Victoria's strongest partners in bilateral trade and investment, we are proud that a large number of Singaporean students choose to further their studies in many of our Victorian education institutions. Our alumni members—including AAS members—have played a key role in deepening our trade, investment, and cultural relations, bringing mutually beneficial economic and social outcomes for both Singapore and Australia. These ties should therefore be preserved, as a key tenet of our bilateral friendship between both nations.

AAS: With COVID-19 taking a toll on global travel, restricting the movement of students between nations, how has the Victorian government bolstered the educational sector while setting it up for recovery?

**Rebecca**: As the state's single largest export sector in 2019 that was worth around AS13.7 billion and supporting around 79,000 jobs, international education has been understandably one of the largest priorities for the Victorian government throughout 2020 and 2021. To that end, the Victorian government outlined its International Education Short-Term Recovery Plan 2020/21, committing AS33.4 million to support the economic recovery of the education industry affected by the pandemic.

The support from the Victorian government towards the education sector has been really affirming, providing not just monetary and financial support towards international students and the sector at large, but also providing social and welfare support towards students who have been significantly impacted by the pandemic.

Last week the government announced a new International Research Partnerships Program that is now open, including 2 streams -

- the Study Melbourne Research Partnerships Program (S2.8 million), supporting significant strategic research projects and partnerships between Victorian public universities or TAFEs and an international partner (institutional or industry). This stream is being managed by leading research management organization VESKI; and
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  the Global Victoria EdTech Innovation Alliance (\$800,000), supporting partnerships between EdTech companies, researchers and international partners to conduct efficacy research on Victorian Edtech products for export, to be managed by leading EdTech body EduGrowth.

AAS: Thank you for speaking with us! How can we stay up to date with the latest developments and initiatives by VGTI SEA and Study Melbourne?

Rebecca: Thanks so much. We would love to stay connected and hear success stories from our alumni in Singapore. We are also here to help with any trade, investment or innovation questions from alumni who want to continue to engage with Victoria. LinkedIn is a great way to stay up to date and we've just kicked off our VGTI SEA company page for you to follow - <a href="https://www.linkedin.com/company/vgtisea/">https://www.linkedin.com/company/vgtisea/</a>. This covers all the updates relevant to the region from <a href="https://www.studymelbourne.vic.gov.au/">https://www.studymelbourne.vic.gov.au/</a> <a href="https://www.studymelbourne.vic.gov.au/">www.global.vic.gov.au</a> and <a href="https://www.invest.vic.gov.au/">www.invest.vic.gov.au</a>.

## KNOW YOUR COMMITTEE MEMBER

## RICHARD NGO, PRINCIPAL ENGINEER



Richard is a Principal Engineer with SP Group. He involves in the operation & maintenance of the Singapore electricity networks in keeping the country powered. He has been in the Energy industry for the past 25 years. While in his course of work, he had the opportunity to travel to different countries to witness factory acceptance tests.

He has been the contact person for the University of Tasmania Alumni Network in Singapore since 1997. During his university days, he was actively involved with the Singapore Students Society, in organizing activities that assisted new students, while also provided a connection with others. When there was an opportunity to be part of the AAS MC, he volunteered to serve.

In his free time or way to destress, he likes to take a walk at the Gardens by the Bay and take out his mobile phone to snap a few photos. Richard is still waiting for the family theme karaoke to reopen in the near future. He really misses singing his favourite songs.

Richard has been organizing and coordinating some of the recent events at AAS. Don't miss some of the exciting ones coming your way soon!







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## PARTNER UPDATES



# James Cook University in Singapore earns prestigious AACSB accreditation to enhance business offerings



James Cook University in Singapore's business accreditation by AACSB International is an honour that represents excellence in business education.

AACSB International has officially announced that James Cook University (JCU), Singapore has earned business accreditation from AACSB—a sign of excellence in business education. Achieving this accreditation involves a rigorous review process, and evaluation conducted by peers in the business education community.

"AACSB accreditation recognizes institutions that have demonstrated a focus on excellence in all areas, including teaching, research, curriculum development, and student learning," said Stephanie M. Bryant, executive vice president and chief accreditation officer of AACSB. "We congratulate James Cook University, Singapore and Dean Abhishek Bhati on earning accreditation and applaud the entire team—including the administration, faculty, staff, and students—for their roles in earning this respected honour."

Professor Lawrence Rose—James Cook University, Singapore's AACSB-appointed Mentor from 2020 and the Peer Review Team Chair—also extended his compliments: "Congratulations to JCU, Singapore for achieving the AACSB accreditation. Their leadership team has developed a unique mission focused on the tropics, and all stakeholders have bought into their vision and efforts to make a difference in the lives of those in Singapore and beyond."

Less than 6 percent of the world's schools offering business degree programmes hold the prestigious AACSB business accreditation. Currently, a total of 910 institutions across 58 countries and territories have earned AACSB accreditation in business, and only a small handful of universities and business schools in Singapore have achieved this distinction.

James Cook University Vice-Chancellor Professor Sandra Harding AO said that the University warmly welcomes the AACSB's accreditation decision. "To receive this accreditation is a great honour and reflects the very high standards of JCU's business programs—in terms of teaching, student learning, research and curriculum development. I congratulate JCU, Singapore for achieving this honour and warmly thank the AACSB for considering JCU, Singapore's application," Professor Harding said.

James Cook University in Singapore is committed to delivering impactful, high-quality education to students that remain relevant in their future careers. In reviewing the Master of Business Administration (MBA), JCU in Singapore refreshed the program in 2020 to add a suite of six new majors that better prepare students for a diverse business landscape.

Empowered by the accreditation, James Cook University in Singapore will be able to further innovate and improve upon its business offerings. At the same time, students at JCU in Singapore can feel confident that they are receiving business education held to the highest level of global business education standards, taught by highly qualified academics. What's more, students who graduate from AACSB-accredited schools have a better opportunity to connect with sought-after employers, as well as some of the best minds in business, to solve the most pressing challenges facing businesses and society.

Professor Chris Rudd OBE, Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Head of Campus, Singapore at James Cook University, said, "James Cook University in Singapore has always held a strong foundation in business, as we recognize the important role that business education plays in creating outstanding leaders that can make a difference. Earning this accreditation is truly a reflection of the incredible dedication and capabilities of both students and staff. We will continue to focus on our unique and diversified program offerings, and the societal impact of our research, so that we may create meaningful, positive impact worldwide."

Find out more about the Singapore campus of James Cook University & Business courses.

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## PARTNER UPDATES

## Celebrate Singapore's 56th Birthday with Lendlease



**SINGAPORE, 16 August 2021** – This August, Lendlease kicks off a three-month long season of exciting digital-first promotions to welcome shoppers back to its malls in full-swing as restrictions ease.

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#### Lendlease Plus x ShopBack New Sign-Up Bonus

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For more information on Lendlease's promotions, please visit <a href="https://www.lendleaseplus.com/happenings/events">https://www.lendleaseplus.com/happenings/events</a>.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> First receipt must be uploaded via the Lendlease Plus mobile app or the Concierge desk within 3 months from sign-up date. Capped at max. 20,000 bonus Plus\$. Limited to the first 5,600 new and eligible sign-ups. All other standard Terms and Conditions of the Lendlease Plus rewards programme apply.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Scratch card(s) will be dispensed within 7 days from transaction. Retailer's deal must be purchased between 1 Aug – 31 Oct 2021 and utilised in-store by 30 Nov 2021. Scratch card will be dispensed upon utilisation of retailer's deal instore. Transactions accumulated for \$50 spend must be made at the same Lendlease Mall. No cap to the number of transactions. ShopBack Terms and Conditions apply.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

## Panel Discussion - Finding Our Sense of Self in a Time of Crisis: Implications for Education

1 September 2021, SGT 4:30pm - 6pm via Online Webinar

## Finding Our Sense of Self in a Time of Crisis: Implications for Education

Panel Discussion -



The Covid-19 pandemic has had a monumental impact on different aspects of our lives, raising questions ranging from the practical, to economics, to the psychological dimension, and to our fundamental beliefs in life. Many students around the world are facing the difficult challenge not only in terms of managing their online learning experiences but also in terms of dealing with existential questions that have come to the fore during this time of COVID-19. As students struggle to find answers to these questions, their lecturers engage them in conversations and help them participate in meaningful discourse.

Lecturers perform their role not only as facilitators of learning but also as people with the capacity to inspire their students to reach their goals. Framed within the philosophical movements of phenomenology and existentialism, this panel discussion aims to open a critical space for students and lecturers to share their crisis for meaning, both in the academe and in the lifeworld, through a dialogue. The panel members will attempt to answer the following question: What makes life meaningful for a learner and a lecturer in a time of crisis?

For more info on speakers' profiles & to RSVP, please click on this LINK.

## Healthy Ageing Lecture #7: Longevity: The Alternative Perspective and Impact of Ageing

9 September 2021, SGT 4:30pm - 5.30pm via Online Webinar





From early ageing theories to new ageing frameworks. There are four new perspectives: successful ageing (health and medical focus), productive ageing (employment, activities and retirement), active ageing (health, participation and security) and healthy ageing (health and wellness focus). Find out how we can change the current mindset from ageing to longevity, viewed through the lens of physical, social, economic and cultural shifts.

#### <u>Speaker Profile</u>

### Professor Laurie Buys

Director of Health Ageing Initiative, University of Queensland

Professor Laurie Buys is a social gerontologist with extensive experience in active ageing, social sustainability, and responsibility. Professor Buys led, the Infrastructure for Sustainable Communities Theme and Institute for Future Environments at QUT. Professor Buys is the current Director of the Healthy Ageing Initiative at UQ. This initiative is a developing network designed to build a community of practice around healthy ageing, incorporating research and community engagement. She has a strong track record of bringing together diverse researchers to create transdisciplinary teams, in sectors as diverse as energy, smart city and senior living that delivered high impact outcomes.

Professor Buys has extensive experience in community engagement programs and evaluations. These strong collaborative partnerships have been from a wide variety of community, industry and government organizations, investigating both the dynamics and impacts of ageing within communities, examining issues such as quality of life, engagement and well-being. In particular, she led a community wellness review for a major Australian developer, she was a lead investigator on ARC developing an intergenerational park design for active and engaged communities and ARC Linkage reviewing community liveability and the impact on social connectedness and active ageing.

To RSVP, please click on this LINK.

## CYCLING WITH THE AAS PRESIDENT by Raj Kurup

@ East Coast Cyclist Park

Saturday, 18 Sept 2021 @ 4pm SGT

 Registration Link: https://forms.gle/m84uefsCAAEpjpth8



## BEACH CLEAN UP by Ocean Purpose Project

@ Pasir Ris Park (Carpark E)

Saturday, either on 25 Sept or 2nd Oct 2021 (TBC)

 Please stay tuned for confirmed date and timing via https://www.oceanpurposeproject.com/event



## Up-close & Personal with AAS Management Committee Members (Session 1)

Thursday 30 Sept 2021 @ 7pm

Venue: The Chamber @ Capital Square (Along Pekin Street)



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Come & join us for a chill & relaxing evening of networking and getting to know the AAS Management Committee Noel Ng & Richard Ngo (both alumni of University of Tasmania) at this BYO event.

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For interested participants, please kindly signup via <a href="https://forms.gle/whixrijLd67X9Rdt9">https://forms.gle/whixrijLd67X9Rdt9</a>.

## **PAST EVENTS**

## Conversations on Career & Purpose

17 Aug 2021 @7pm SGT



An interactive Zoom webinar titled 'Conversations on Career and Purpose' was held by Australian Alumni Singapore (AAS), which had more than 65 attendees.

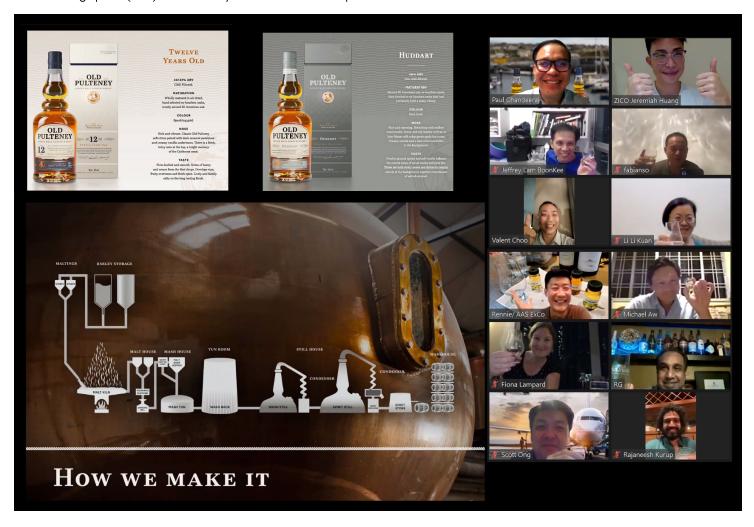
The engaging session was kicked off successfully by moderator Mr. Kevin Dam, CEO & Founder of Aemorph and joining in the conversations were SGX Market Strategist at Singapore Exchange, Mr. Geoff Howie and Ms. Li Li Kuan who is an Independent Director of many listed companies and non-profits organisations.

Ms. Kuan shared with us the anecdotes and highlights of her career that spans finance, current board-level positions and environmental protection.

## AAS - Old Pulteney Whiskey Master Class

27 Aug 2021 @8pm SGT

Paul Warathep Chandeeraj hosted an informative & engaging Zoom webinar that was organized exclusively for Australian Alumni Singapore (AAS) members by Asiaeuro Wines & Spirits.



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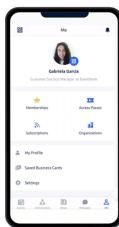
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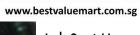




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## Technical Talent Acquisition (Singapore)

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Carousell is backed by leading investors, including Telenor Group, Rakuten Ventures, Naver, and Sequoia Capital. The Carousell marketplace has a diverse range of products across a variety of categories, including cars, lifestyle, gadgets and fashion accessories. As a team of passionate individuals working together to solve meaningful problems, there is so much more for you to discover in a career with Carousell.

As a young and expanding organisation, we are looking to hire a Technical Recruiter to join our Singapore team. In this role, the recruiter will help in identifying, screening, building a strong pipeline of best-in-class talent for Carousell and hiring qualified candidates through active headhunting. You will also partner with the People Team and focus on creating an engaging candidate experience, building a strong employer brand for the Carousell Group and being a trusted Talent advisor to our business leaders.

#### Responsibilities:

- End to end hands-on sourcing & managing of candidates for critical hires
- Develop relevant and effective sourcing strategies and provide consultat<u>ive service</u>s to meet recruitment needs; lead searches, build a network with key talents in the market and a healthy candidates pipeline for
- strategic/critical roles

   Build a robust talent pipeline through engagement with targeted universities, companies, interest and network groups, particularly in the Technology/Engineering space
- Partner closely with our functional and country People Business Partners and the leadership team to build Employer Branding strategies that support a high growth, high performing organisation

#### Key Requirements:

- 6-8 years of experience in Talent Acquisition;
  Bachelor Degree in Business or Human Resources Management;
- Must have significant in-house recruitment experience and the ability to manage high volume of technical
- Experience in a start-up/fast-paced organisation within the Technology sector or Classifieds or E-commerce space preferred;
- Experienced in Émployer Branding strategies and recruitment metrics;
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills and ability to provide great candidates' experience; and
- Highly collaborative and able to manage stakeholders

#### Senior Software Engineer, Frontend

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Carousell is backed by leading investors, including Telenor Group, Rakuten Ventures, Naver, and Sequoia Capital. The Carousell marketplace has a diverse range of products across a variety of categories, including cars, lifestyle, gadgets and fashion accessories. As a team of passionate individuals working together to solve meaningful problems, there is so much more for you to discover in a career with Carousell.

Here at Carousell, our engineering team works on a myriad of problem domains. You get to work on building the simplest buying and selling experience on our mobile applications, dive deep into our database systems that powers the business, or even work on tools to empower the rest of the teams in Carousell.

We are now looking for Senior Frontend Engineers to join our Engineering Team based in India.

- Build new and key features for the Carousell web platform by working closely with the product and design teams.
- Analyze and optimize performance and
- reliability of the web app.
  Build a high performance dynamic web application with technologies such as React,
- Flux, Webpack, ESó, Node js, etc.

  Take full ownership of projects from design (collaborate with the design team) to implementation and deployment.

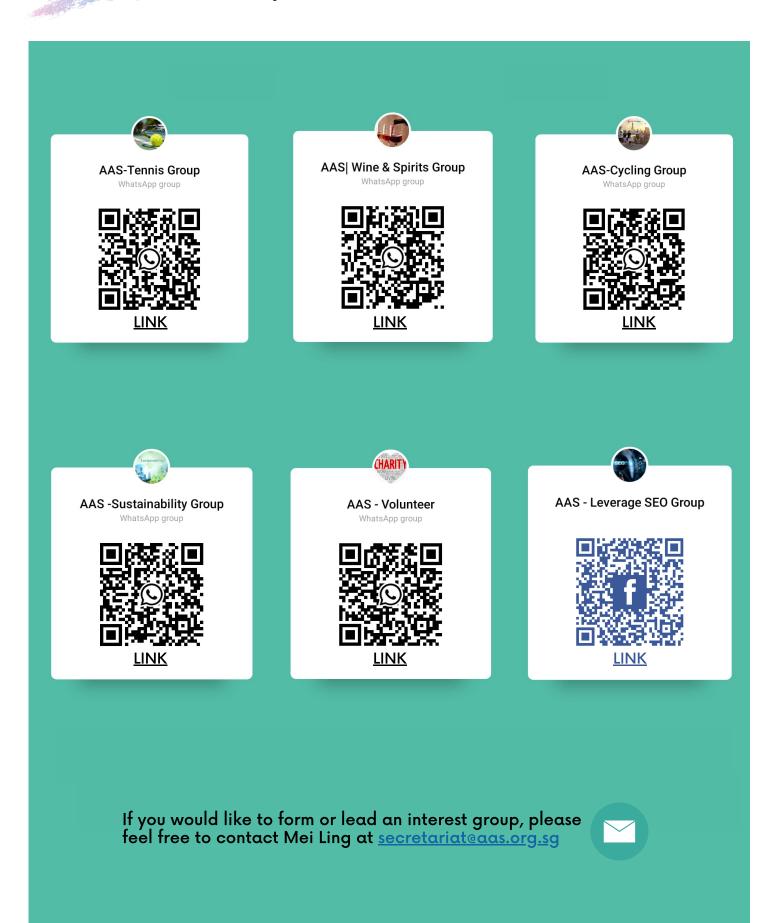
- At least 5 years of working experience in frontend development
- Commanding grasp of HTML, CSS and JavaScript
- Experience with modern JavaScript libraries and tooling
- Familiarity with all aspects of MVC web applications (especially those built on Django/Flask)
- Proven ability to ship beautiful, stable and high-performance desktop and mobile web applications from start to finish
- Experience with automated testing framework
- Strong Computer Science background



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