



## Programme - 16 March 13:30 - 20:00

13:30 - Registration

14:00 - Opening

Moderator **Grace Hui**, *Adjunct Professor, Division of Environment and Sustainability, HKUST*  
to present and open

Head of EU Office to Hong Kong and Macao **Thomas Gnocchi** to open

Remarks by EuroCham Chair **Iñaki Amate**

**Mr Cheuk Wing-hing, GBS, JP, Deputy Chief Secretary for Administration:**  
Keynote speech: "Making Hong Kong a green leader"

14:25

The view from the youth: **David Reyes** winner of ReThink HK 2022 debate

14:30 - I Finance

**Mr Joseph H. L. Chan, JP, Acting Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury:**  
"Hong Kong aims high, how high?"

A Discussion on ESG standards, taxonomies and talent fostering: the case for leadership and interoperability

A discussion with **Yasmine Djedjai**, *Co-Chair, EuroCham's Sustainable Finance Working Group;*

**Professor Kerstin Gisel Lopatta**, *European Financial Reporting Advisory Group;*

with **Mr Joseph H. L. Chan, JP, Acting Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury**

*Hong Kong has got ESG talents: discussion with the mentees*

Moderator to re-cap three recommendations

15:15

Climate solidarity and justice: The case for stakeholder involvement,

A debate with **Karina Chow**, *Assistant Manager, Civic Exchange*

and **Chris Brown**, *Founder & Director, ReThink HK & the ReThink Foundation*

– moderated by **Walter van Hattum**, *Head of Trade and Economic, EU Office to Hong Kong and Macao*

Moderator to re-cap one recommendation





**15:25 - II Mobility**

Discussion on green mobility in all its forms and shapes.

A discussion with **Per Augustsson**, *Consulate General of Sweden to Hong Kong and Macau*;

**Andreas Buchenthal**, *Vice-Chair, Passenger Cars, European Automotive Council*;

**Michelle Chu**, *Co-Chair, European Travel and Tourism Council*;

**Simon Ng**, *Chief Executive Officer, Business Environment Council*; and

**KC Lam**, *Head, Consulate and Chamber Engagement, Transport and Industrial, Invest HK*

Moderator to re-cap three recommendations

**16:15**

Coffee break

**16:30 - III City**

**Secretary for Environment and Ecology, BBS, JP, Mr Tse Chin-wan:**

“Hong Kong Climate Action and developing the Green City:  
what needs to be done and what can the EU contribute?”

Discussion on green buildings, circular economy, hydrogen power and waste management

A discussion with **Norman Cheng**, *Business Development Director, Veolia Hong Kong*;

**Melanie Kwok**, *Assistant General Manager - Sustainability, Sino Group*;

**Jonathan Chiu**, *Hong Kong President, Schneider Electric*; and

**Jenny Zhang**, *ESG and Decarbonisation Director – Asia Pacific, Urban Land Institute*

Moderator to re-cap three recommendations

**17:25**

**Allan Zeman:** A personal account

**17:35**

EuroCham and EU Office to present recommendations

**17:50**

**Financial Secretary Chan Mo-po, Paul, GBM, GBS, MH, JP** to receive recommendations

“Hong Kong is open for business – and we want it green”

**18:00**

Closure by EU Office and EuroCham

Cocktail

