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YBC Conference 2025: The Art of Regulation

31 October 2025 (Friday)

2:00 – 5:00 pm

Niccolo Room, 25/F, The Murray, 22 Cotton Tree Drive, Central

Programme rundown (tentative, subject to change)

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| 2:00 – 2:05 pm | Introductory remarks by YBC |
| 2:05 – 2:15 pm | Opening remarks by Mr. Jose Maurellet SC, Chairman of the Hong Kong Bar Association |
| 2:15 – 2:30 pm | Keynote speech by Mr. Paul Lam SC, Secretary for Justice |
| 2:35 – 3:35 pm | Panel discussion 1: Navigating art law challenges and regulation <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. Ms. Martha Visser, Chief Governance Officer & General Counsel Stedelijk Museum, the Netherlandsii. Mr. Val Chow, Temple Chambers, Hong Kongiii. Mr. Ephraim Tan, Legal Associate, Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank and Research Consultant, Institute of Art and Law, UKiv. Ms. Leanne Tse, Registrar Loan and Exhibitions, M+, Hong Kong |
| 3:35 – 3:50 pm | Coffee break |
| 3:55 – 4:55 pm | Panel discussion 2: Civil and criminal regulation in cryptocurrency related disputes <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. Ms. Eva Sit SC, Vice-Chairman of HKBA, Temple Chambersii. Mr. Derek Chan SC, Council Member of HKBA, Plowman Chambersiii. Ms. Agnes Mak, Senior Director, Enforcement, Securities & Futures Commissioniv. Prof. Jack Poon, Professor of Practice (Fintech, Entrepreneurial Finance), Hong Kong Polytechnic University |
| 4:55 – 5:00 pm | Closing Remarks by YBC |