

MCI INSIGHTS CONFERENCE – KEYNOTE PRESENTATIONS AND DIALOGUES

The MCI Insights Conference featured keynote presentations and dialogues with industry and community partners for two concurrent tracks – Economic Track and Social Track. Each one-hour track comprised a keynote and a dialogue.

a) **Economic Track – Transforming Our Economy Through Digital Innovation**

Keynote: Transforming Businesses through Innovation and Technologies

This session showcased the trends, opportunities and challenges in the Digital Economy, and how businesses can tap new opportunities and markets through digitalisation and investments in innovation.

It featured the following panellists and moderator:

- Mr Aaron Wong, CEO Paypal Pte Ltd (Singapore), and VP, Global Entity Management and Oversight, Paypal
- Dr Ayesha Khanna, Co-Founder and CEO, ADDO AI
- Mr Russell Tham, Senior Managing Director, Strategy Office & Enterprise Development Group, Temasek
- Mr Zhou Junjie, Chief Commercial Officer, Shopee and CEO, Shopee Singapore
- Moderator: Ms Jane Lim, Assistant Chief Executive (ACE), IMDA

Dialogue: Helping Workers and Businesses Adapt to the New Normal

There remain opportunities in the ICT sector for both our businesses and workers amidst the economic slowdown because technology innovation and digitalisation are increasingly driving the growth of all sectors of our economy. This panel discussed how the Government can partner industry to help workers seize opportunities across the digital economy.

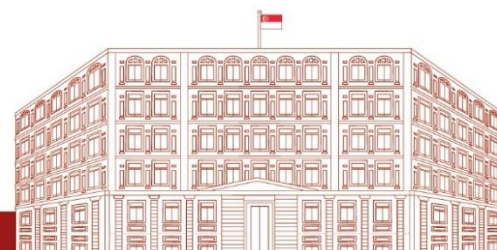
It featured the following panellists and moderator:

- Mr Martin Chee, Managing Director, IBM
- Mr Patrick Tay, Assistant Secretary-General, NTUC
- Ms Teo Lay Lim, Chairman, Accenture Singapore
- Mr Yuen Kuan Moon, Group CEO-Designate, CEO Consumer Singapore, and Group Chief Digital Officer, Singtel
- Moderator: Mr Kiren Kumar, Executive Vice-President DISG and ACE, IMDA

b) **Social Track – Building An Inclusive Digital Society**

Keynote: The Future of Content Creation: Perspectives from the Public and Private Sectors

This session covered the shifts in content consumption patterns and how it has shaped public discourse. It also showcased new platforms and tools available to create a vibrant content creation ecosystem, and how big and small players alike can leverage these opportunities.



It featured the following panellists and moderator:

- Mr Karl Mak, Co-Founder, SGAG
- Ms Tham Loke Kheng, CEO, Mediacorp
- Mr Vivek Couto, Executive Director, Media Partners Asia
- Moderator: Mr Howie Lau, Assistant Chief Executive, IMDA

Dialogue: Digital inclusion after COVID-19: Access, Skills, Mindsets

In a COVID-19 world, digital inclusion is no longer just a priority, but an imperative. Bridging the digital divide will require a nationwide effort, and additional support for segments that are at greater risk of being digitally excluded. This session discussed how the Government can partner the industry and community to ensure baseline digital access and skills, and change mindsets.

It featured the following panellists and moderator:

- Ms Melissa Kwee, CEO, National Volunteer and Philanthropy Centre
- Mr James Tan, CEO, Touch Community Services
- Mr Johann Annuar, Executive Director, Engineering Good
- Mr Ng Cher Pong, Chief Executive, NLB
- Moderator: Mr Aaron Maniam, Deputy Secretary, MCI

