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1. Basic information

1.1 Nominee’s name:

Henry Seow Keong EE

1.2 Title:

Managing Director

1.3 Company:

BCP Asia

1.4 ARISE member since (specified in the ARISE welcome letter):

2016

1.5 Current ARISE Board member:

Yes

If “Yes”:

First term

—Second term

—No


1.6 Network or individual member:

Network Member: My network leader has endorsed my application.

If “Network Member,” please specify **which network**:

Network Member

Individual Member (i.e. no network affiliation)

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2. Curriculum Vitae

2.1 PLEASE ATTACH YOUR CV OR RESUME TO THIS SELF-NOMINATION FORM.

3. Questionnaire

3.1 Please indicate any past or present affiliations and accomplishments related to Disaster Risk Reduction / Prevention / Resilience / Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) / Environmental Social Governance (ESG) (max 200 words)

Henry is the founder of BCP Asia and he had promoting Business Resilience, business continuity & Disaster Risk management in Asia for more than 25 years. Henry has actively contributed to the industry's wider understanding in disaster risk reduction, preventing and building resilience and ESG. Henry was the first Asian to be appointed as the Business Continuity Institute (BCI) Board member in 2006, and follow by appointed as the Chairman for the BCI Asia Chapter.

Henry also the 1st Vice President for RIMAS(Risk and Insurance manager for Singapore), chairman for IAEM south East Asia Chapter, International Association for emergency management

Henry is also a working group member of the Public-Private Partnership in UNDRR since 2016, looking into Disaster Risk Management in the region. He served as the Technical Expert for Business Continuity & Resilience on the International Organization for Standards (ISO) for the most recent ISO22301:2019 review.


Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, Henry was also part of the team involved in drafting the updated Pandemic guide published by Singapore government agency Enterprise Singapore.

He is currently a professionally certified BC practitioner as FBCI and CBCP by the Business Continuity Institute, UK and Disaster Recovery Institute International, US. As a trainer, he is ACTA certified, and a certified trainer by British Standard Institute (BSI), PECB, EXIN and the BCI (UK).

3.2 Please specify if you have the decision-making and support capacities for ARISE within your company relating to at least one the four ARISE focus areas (SME resilience, investment, insurance, resilient infrastructure) at

a) Senior level (max 100 words each)

Henry actively promote Business resilience to SME and also assist them in building the redundancy, and risk management for their business operation. He also actively speaks in Conference for

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insurance, risk Management and Resilience industry. Henry Also participated in UNDRR conference in India and Mongolia, presented the topic on building resilience for SME in the Mongolia conference

b) Technical level (max 100 words each)

Henry personally conducts trainings and provide consulting advisory services. To date, he has implemented more than 400 projects and trained more than 7000 professionals across Financial, Information Technology, Logistics, Manufacturing, Transportation, Telecommunication and Healthcare industries from around Asia namely Singapore, Philippines, Bangladesh, Hong Kong, China, Malaysia, Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Mauritius, Macau, Australia and Saudi Arabia.

3.3 Please specify if you have the decision-making and support capacities within your company relating to other key areas such as Early Warning or Public-Private Partnership at national or local level (100 words)


As managing Director for BCP Asia and holding senior position in several society like IAEM, BCI and RIMAS in Asia Henry do have support and decision making for early warning system like mess notification system and PPP relationship.

3.4 Indicate if your company is affiliated with / member of any other global private sector networks such as the UN Global Compact, World Economic Forum (WEF), World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) International Chambers of Commerce (ICC), or other private sector network, including of other UN agencies (please specify) (max 100 words each)

UN DRR private and public sector members, ARISE member

3.5 Please list 3 goals which you would aim to achieve as Board Member of ARISE, specifically within (max 100 words)

- a) your 1st year
- b) long term

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- a) Henry plan to promote UN DRR to SME in Singapore, Malaysia and Southeast Asia
- b) Henry plan to organize seminar, webinar and conference in Southeast Asia.
- c) Henry plan to develop training based on UNDRR framework to create more awareness on this framework for SME in Southeast Asia.

Note:

Please consider the responsibilities for Board members and the parameters for a Board member to be designated inactive as specified in the Board elections Standard Operating Procedure (SOP).