

# SID Fundamentals Series So, You Want To Be A NonProfit Director

Organised by: Singapore Institute of Directors

Date: Thursday, 1 March 2018

Time: 5.00 pm to 9.00 pm (Registration & Dinner starts at 5.00 pm)

Venue: FTSE Room, Level 9, Capital Tower, 168 Robinson Road

Cost: S\$ 170 (excl. GST); S\$181.90 (incl. GST)

SID Corporate Members may utilise their complimentary vouchers.

Subsidy: There is National Silver Academy (NSA) subsidy of \$83 per eligible senior

who are Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents aged 50 and above in the year of course commencement, subject to a cap of

100 eligible seniors.

Please refer to **NSA SUBSIDY ELIGIBILITY & PAYMENT** for more details on the subsidy.

CPD Hours: 3 hours

# **Programme Outline**

It is one thing to be a director in a for-profit organisation, it is very different being a director of a nonprofit organisation or charity. The majority of board members for nonprofit organisations serve as volunteers without compensation. Notwithstanding this, they are fiduciaries who steer the organisation towards a sustainable future by adopting sound governance and financial management policies.

This introduction session is an engaging one. You will come up close and personal with those who are directors and deeply involved in the nonprofit sector. The session will cover essential aspects of:

- The directorship landscape
- Director's duties, responsibilities, liabilities and benefits
- The director's journey

So, if you have the desire of serving on a board of a nonprofit organization or have just started serving on one, this course would be a good one to give you the insights into the workings, risks and value of the nonprofit sector.

Taking only two hours, this session provides a broad roadmap for participants to digest as they consider the important role of a nonprofit director. Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Appreciate the macro view of the directorship landscape in Singapore, especially as it relates to nonprofit organisations.
- Identify the range of duties, responsibilities, liabilities and benefits of being a nonprofit director.
- Appreciate the key differences between a commercial and a nonprofit board.
- Make an informed decision before joining a charity board.
- Understand the next steps in their directorship journey.





## **Programme**

5.00 pm: Registration & Light Dinner

6.00 pm: Presentation and Q&A

9.00 pm: Programme Ends

# **Course Facilitators**

# Mr Willie Cheng

Mr Cheng is the Chairman of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

He is a former managing partner of Accenture. He retired in 2003 and currently sits on the boards of several listed and private companies, and nonprofit organisations. He is particularly active in the nonprofit sector and his nonprofit boards include NTUC Health, SymAsia Foundation, apVentures, and Catholic Foundation.

He is author of *Doing Good Well: What does (and does not) make sense in the nonprofit world,* and co-editor of *The World That Changes The World: How philanthropy, innovation and entrepreneurship are transforming the social ecosystem.* 

He is a Fellow of the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants (ISCA), a Fellow of the Singapore Institute of Directors, and an Honorary Fellow of the Singapore Computer Society.

### **Dr Wilson Chew**

Dr Chew is a council member of the Singapore Institute of Directors.

Dr Chew is a Partner at PwC Singapore. He specialises in Strategy in the Entrepreneurial & Private Clients practice in the firm.In 2012, he was appointed to the board of Swee Hong Limited, an infrastructure and civil engineering company listed on the Singapore Exchange.

Dr Chew began volunteering at the National Arthritis Foundation (a charity with the Ministry of Health) in 1992 before being called to serve on its board in 2012.

In 2008, Dr Chew was awarded the Asia Brand Leadership Award for his outstanding contribution to the applied knowledge of brand strategy in management science. He has authored three books: Killer Differentiators: 13 Strategies to Grow Your Brand, B2B: 10 Rules to Transform Your Business into A Brand, and Differentiation: How To Win In A Disruptive Market.

Dr Chew holds a Doctorate in Business Administration from the University of South Australia, an MBA from the University of Strathclyde Graduate Business School (which he currently serves as a visiting lecturer), an Executive Diploma In Directorship from SMU/SID and successfully completed the Corporate Board Leadership program at Harvard Business School. He lectures at SMU Lien Centre for Social Innovation and served as one of the university's advisors in the Wharton-SMU-IBM Business & Industry Insight Program for 2012.



#### Ms Theresa Goh

Ms Goh is the Board Advisor to The Centre for NonProfit Leadership.

She has over 20 years' experience in the Technology sales, Executive Search and Leadership development business in Asia. Her background is in organizational psychology.

Theresa's career began with IBM Singapore where she managed global accounts in the petrochemical and transportation sectors. For the last 15 years, through her boutique firms, the 360 group, she provides services in the areas of leadership search, assessments and coaching and Strategic talent acquisition, development and succession planning. She is an associate leadership coach with The Centre for Creative Leadership. In 2008, she was selected by Business-Week as one of 'The World's Most Influential Headhunters'.

She is a board member with the Agency for Integrated Care (Ministry of Health), National Volunteer and Philanthropy Centre and SATA CommHealth where she is Chairperson.

#### **REGISTRATION**

Please register online at <a href="https://www.sid.org.sg">www.sid.org.sg</a> by 22 February 2018.

Should you require assistance, contact us at:

The Secretariat Tel: 6422 1188 Fax: 6422 1199

# **TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR SID COURSES/EVENTS**

SID's courses and events are subject to terms and conditions as set out below. The Institute reserves the right to changes these terms and conditions without notice.

#### **COURSE/EVENT REGISTRATION**

A participant is successfully enrolled for the course/event once an invoice is generated.

# **NO CANCELLATION**

There will be strictly no cancellation once the participant is successfully enrolled for the course/event.

#### **NO-SHOW**

There will be strictly no refund of fees for no-show.

# REQUEST FOR REPLACEMENT OR DEFERMENT

Where a participant cannot attend a course, he/she may request to send a replacement or defer the course subject to the following condition:

Deferment of a course to the next scheduled date (for same course) is subject to at least 10 working days prior notice in writing. Deferment is only allowed for half day and full day courses run by SID. An administration fee for each deferment of \$\$50 (for half day course) and S\$100 (for full day course) shall apply.



# **CANCELLATION OF COURSE/EVENT BY SID**

SID will exercise all possible care to run the confirmed courses. However, in the event of unforeseen circumstances or low enrolment, SID reserves the right to cancel or defer the course/event, and/or to change venue, speaker, course date and fees. SID will make all reasonable efforts to notify participants of changes, should they happen.

If SID cancels a course, a full refund will be made to the participants.

#### **CPD HOURS**

CPD hours/attendance letter is subject to the participant arriving no later than 30 minutes after the programme starts or leaving no more than 30 minutes before the programme ends, and submitting the module Assessment Form only at the end of the event.

#### **CAR PARK COUPONS**

There will be no complimentary car park coupons.

#### **PAYMENT POLICY AND OPTIONS**

Course/Event fees are due upon registration, and payment should reach SID at least 7 working days before the course date. SID reserves the right to refuse admission if payment is not received in full before a course/event.

#### 1. Online Payment

Log in to your account at www.sid.org.sg Select invoice to pay at "My Open Invoices".

#### 2. Cheque Payment

Payable to: Singapore Institute of Directors (please quote invoice number behind the

cheque)

Mail to: 168 Robinson Road, #09-06, Capital Tower, Singapore 068912

Attention to: Finance Department

# 3. Telegraphic Transfer

Bank Name: DBS Bank Limited Branch: Raffles Place Branch

Bank Code: 7171

Beneficiary Name: Singapore Institute of Directors Account Number: 048-016620-2

Swift Code: dbsssgsg

Reference: Please quote invoice number

(Note: All bank charges are to be borne by the applicant)



#### **NSA SUBSIDY ELIGIBILITY & PAYMENT**

- 1. There is NSA subsidy of \$83 per eligible senior for the cost of this programme.
- 2. An eligible senior must be a Singapore Citizen or a Permanent Resident aged 50 and above in the year of course commencement.
- 3. Seniors who wish to apply for NSA subsidy <u>must</u> submit the required information in the consent form in Appendix 1 for processing. On the day of the course, seniors are also required to bring along their original NRICs or FINs for verification.
- 4. Seniors may submit the requisite documents via the following ways:
  - a) Via email at <a href="mailto:events@sid.org.sg">events@sid.org.sg</a>
  - b) Via mail to the following:

Singapore Institute of Directors, 168 Robinson Road, #09-06, Capital Tower, Singapore 068912

Attention: Ann Chong

Reference: SYN NSA Subsidy

5. The full course fee of \$181.90 (inclusive of GST) is to be paid upfront. Upon verification of the requisite documents, eligible seniors will be refunded the subsidy amount of \$83 via cheque. Seniors will be entitled to the subsidy only upon fulfilment of the eligibility criteria. The verification and refund process may take approximately 1 month.



#### Appendix 1

# SYN Course: So, You Want To Be A NonProfit Director Application Form for NSA Subsidy

#### **Consent for Use of Personal Data**

By submitting this form, I consent to my personal data being collected, disclosed to, and used by C3A and its relevant partners, for purposes that shall include but not limited to the following: course administration, keeping me informed of relevant information on programmes, research and other publicity relating to active ageing (via sms, email and/or other modes of communication, whether mobile electronic or otherwise), as well as for statistical studies, comparison, research and/or any other related use. Do note that photographs and videos may be taken during the course for publicity purposes.

I understand that I may update my personal data or withdraw my consent at any time by emailing dataprotection@c3a.org.sg. C3A's privacy policy may be viewed at www.c3a.org.sg.

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Please note that all the fields indicated below a	re mandatory.
Name of Senior Participant (as per NRIC):	
NRIC or FIN No:	
Resident Status (SC / PR):	
Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY):	
Gender (M/F):	
Race (C/I/M/O):	
Contact No:	
Email:	
Postal Code:	
Payee Name (if different from above):	
Payee Address:	
Name & Signature	Date

#### **About C3A**

The Council for Third Age (C3A), set up in May 2007, is an agency which promotes active ageing in Singapore through public education, outreach and partnerships. As an umbrella body in the active ageing landscape, with its focus on senior learning and volunteerism, as well as positive ageing, C3A works with and through partners to help third agers age well. C3A is appointed to administer the National Silver Academy (NSA).

