

Update on Data Privacy and Cybercrime

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Introduction:

Data privacy and cybersecurity issues impact every industry as evidenced from the recent data leakage and cyber attack incidents. While continuing innovations in information and communication technology bring convenience and business opportunities, they also present new challenges to Hong Kong's businesses and their senior management.

The recently enforced European Union (EU) General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) may impose further obligations on Hong Kong companies, given its extra-territorial effect.

In this seminar, Ms Jill Wong, the speaker, will review hot topics concerning the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance and the application of EU GDPR to Hong Kong. She will discuss the regulators' expectations regarding cybersecurity and how to mitigate the damage from data breaches and cybercrime. Enforcement trends and case studies will also be discussed.

Highlights:

The speaker, Ms Jill Wong will cover:

- **Hot topics relating to the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance**
- **EU GDPR and its application to Hong Kong**
- **Management of cyber security risks: your regulatory obligations**
- **Handling breaches: data breach notification, regulatory investigations, etc.**
- **Enforcement trends and case studies**

Target audience:

- **Listed companies and multi-national companies and their senior managers**
- **Bankers, brokers, financial advisers, asset managers and insurers**
- **Data protection officers, cybersecurity officers, in-house counsel, compliance officers, internal auditors**
- **Directors, corporate secretaries, accountants and legal professionals**

Speaker Profile:



Jill Wong
Partner, Howse Williams

Jill specialises in financial services and corporate regulatory and compliance issues, and has been identified as a leading lawyer in numerous legal directories.

She was previously Deputy General Counsel at the Hong Kong Monetary Authority and was in-house counsel at Credit Suisse. In addition, Jill has also worked in leading international law firms in Hong Kong.

Jill's experience encompasses all aspects of banking and securities laws and rules affecting listed companies and financial institutions. She is also active in new areas of regulatory scrutiny such as data privacy / cybersecurity and competition law. She advises on both contentious and non-contentious issues, and often in both capacities for the same clients; making Howse Williams' regulatory practice unique in its ability to advise clients from all perspectives.

She has hands-on practical experience in liaising with regulators, advising on regulatory compliance and implementing changes to internal practices, conducting internal investigations and advising on corporate governance. Jill has represented clients, both institutions and individuals, in numerous regulatory investigations and disciplinary inquiries.

Jill is active in publishing books and articles, her most current project being the 4th edition of the Commentary and Annotations of the Securities and Futures Ordinance, published by Thomson Reuters. She is active in the financial services industry and is current Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce's Financial Markets Committee. She served seven years on the Disciplinary Panel of the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

Seminar Details

- Date:** 6 September 2019 (Friday)
- Time:** 3 pm to 5 pm
- Venue:** Pico Tower, 66 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong
- Medium:** English
- CPD:** 1.5 Law Society CPD Points to be applied for
- Seminar Fee:** You will enjoy early bird discount if register and pay on or before **16 August 2019.**
- HK\$780/ person (*regular*)
HK\$680/ person (*regular for ICC-HK members*)
HK\$580/ person (*early bird for public*)
HK\$480/ person (*early bird for ICC-HK members*)
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