



## Press Release

# Standard Chartered Hong Kong appoints Head of Wealth Management

**1 April 2022, Hong Kong** – **Standard Chartered Bank (Hong Kong) Limited** (“SCBHK”) today announced the appointment of Alson Ho as Head of Wealth Management, Hong Kong, effective immediately.

Alson will lead the wealth management team in Hong Kong to deliver a suite of wealth solutions and exceptional advice for all client segments, in line with our global Wealth Management strategy. He will report to Lay Choo Ong, Head of Consumer, Private and Business Banking (CPBB), Hong Kong and Marc Van de Walle, Global Head, Wealth Management.

Lay Choo Ong, Head of CPBB, Hong Kong said: “Wealth Management is of strategic importance to our CPBB business in Hong Kong. I am delighted to have Alson joining the team and bringing over 20 years of wealth management experience. I am confident that with his vision and expertise he would take the wealth management business to the next level.”

Marc Van de Walle, Global Head, Wealth Management, said: “Hong Kong is a significant contributor to our global Wealth Management business. With its status as a leading financial hub and proximity to Mainland China, we are looking to further tap the potential wealth opportunities to grow our business in Hong Kong. Alson’s broad experience and deep expertise will boost our ambition to deliver a fully integrated wealth proposition to help clients prosper and achieve their life goals.”

Prior to joining Standard Chartered, Alson was Head of Insurance for Citibank in Hong Kong. He first joined Citi in 2006 as a Management Associate and has developed and deepened his banking career, leading different wealth product teams including deposits, equities and trading and margin products. Alson holds a Master of Science, Financial Analysis from The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, and a Bachelor of Business Administration from the Chinese University of Hong Kong.

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The history of Standard Chartered in Hong Kong dates back to 1859. It is currently one of the Hong Kong SAR's three note-issuing banks. Standard Chartered incorporated its Hong Kong business on 1 July 2004, and now operates as a licensed bank in Hong Kong under the name of Standard Chartered Bank (Hong Kong) Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Standard Chartered PLC.

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