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Opening Key Note

Mr Wilson Jack Fu

Director/ Principal Consultant (TPM Consultancy & Training), Impact Management Services Pte Ltd



What are the secrets of growing - starting as a technician - into the role of an Operations Director with a MNC in Singapore & TPM Consultant in Europe and Asia?

With personal stories, Wilson will share his unrelenting journey of seeking knowledge and self-development, in achieving career success.

Wilson is a Japan Institute of Plant Maintenance's (JIPM) Certified Total Productive Maintenance (TPM) Instructor and has collaborated with Consultants from Japan (JIPM) and was a resource person for Asian Productivity Organization (APO).

Currently he trains international public & private sector officials on productivity management and total productive maintenance.

He holds an MBA from Hull University, and Diplomas in Telecommunication Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Industrial Management from Singapore Polytechnic.

Breakout Session A: Lessons from Entrepreneurs

Mr Royston Lim Cheng Kin
Founder, Cragar Industries Pte Ltd



How do you go from being an Employee to an Entrepreneur?

Royston will share with you his story of how he nearly went bankrupt. Come find out how to prepare yourself, pitfalls to lookout for and the risks and jubilation of being your own boss.

Hear his journey and preparation that he took to set up his company and grow it to what it is today. Join if you are keen to setup your own business and fulfil your dreams of being an entrepreneur.



Royston Lim graduated from Singapore Polytechnic with Diplomas in Production Engineering and Industrial Management.

His working experience spanned diverse MNCs and SMEs for ten years before he decided to

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| | <p>start his own business.</p> <p>Cragar Industries, was founded by Royston in 1990, specializing in Precision Engineering for the Optical and Medical Instruments.</p> |
| <p>Mr Keith Tan Quan Lai Co-founder, Wonderlabs</p>  | <p>Have you imagined being able to set up and manage more than 1 business before the age of 30?</p> <p>Hear from Keith as he shares with you on his journey of starting a social enterprise, Start Now and thereafter another start-up, Wonderlabs. He will share on the trials and tribulations in building and selling his company.</p> <p>Keith graduated from the National University of Singapore with a Bachelor of Arts, majoring in Political Science. He also holds a Diploma in Business Administration (with Merit) from Singapore Polytechnic.</p> |
| <p>Breakout Session B: Mid-Career Switch? Hear from the Professionals.</p> | |
| <p>Mr Wales Ong ECG Counsellor, SP</p>  | <p>Who am I? Where do I want to go? How do I get there? If you find yourself asking such questions, then this session is for you.</p> <p>A career switch during mid-life can be challenging. However, some of us may have multiple commitments that can compel us to move to greener pastures.</p> <p>In this session, Wales will guide you to chart your career by knowing your occupational interest. Learn about who you really are at this session! Then, network your way to success.</p> <p>Wales started his career working as a sales executive in various companies where he gathered valuable experience in sales and marketing. His success in the sales career began</p> |

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| | <p>when he started selling construction materials to architects and designers. He exceeded his sales target just six months into his employment which saw him getting in more than \$0.6 million in sales volume. He also set up two Food & Beverage (F&B) businesses supplying innovative food products to both local and overseas markets before joining the education industry. He joined SP Business School as a lecturer, teaching modules such as Management & Organisation Behaviour, New Venture Planning, Entrepreneurship & Small Business and Project Management. He is currently an Education & Career Guidance (ECG) Counsellor in Singapore Polytechnic, providing career and further education guidance to students.</p> |
| <p>Mr Lam Kheng Chong Head – Service Centre, e2i</p>  | <p>Hear the personal story of Kheng Chong who found his career success after being retrenched and unemployed for 9 months. He will share how he made difficult decisions for his career.</p> <p>Kheng Chong graduated from Singapore Polytechnic with a Diploma in Business Administration and has more than 20 years of work experience in both the public and private sectors. He built a diverse network while working in Ministry of Home Affairs, Hospitality Industry and the Singapore Tourism Board.</p> <p>Kheng Chong is now Head - Services Centre of e2i (Employment and Employability Institute).</p> |

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Breakout Session C: The Key Ingredients for a Successful Career

Mr Lim Tau Boon
Group Chief Operating Officer, All Cosmos Bio-Tech Holding Corporation



What do you Do or Do Not Do when working overseas?

Hear from the real life experiences of an alumni who has worked in Vietnam and Malaysia.

Tau Boon serves as Group Chief Operating Officer of All Cosmos Bio-Tech Holding Corporation with 8 years in top management based in Malaysia and also oversees the Vietnam export business in Bio-organic and Bio-chemical fertilizers.

Prior to joining this group, he gained more than 10 years of management experience as a Regional Director in a reputable listed company in Singapore and was in charge of business development in regional countries especially in China and Vietnam in the trading of Industrial commodities and food products.

He is currently the Vice-Chairman of Federation of Manufacturers Malaysia in the Johor branch.

He holds Singapore Polytechnic Diplomas in Mechanical Engineering and in Industrial Management.

Mr Prabu Naidu
Co-founder, Facilitators Network Singapore



Careers can be time phased as Early career, Mid-career and Late career. Each phase requires different strategies to be 'successful'.

In this session, Prabu will lead an interactive conversation and share his lessons learnt in his career life.

Items to be explored will include: Performance, People and Process strategies at each of the 3 phases of careers.

Using a 3 x 3 matrix grid; Prabu will unpack some ideas on how to find your seat in the 9 spaces!

Come prepared to define what career success means to you, discuss, reflect and map your career matrix grid & leave with a career action

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| | <p>plan for your next steps.</p> <p>Mr Prabu Naidu's 19 years of MNE experience (1980-1999) with Philips, AT&T and Compaq set the foundation for his current sixteen years of coaching, training, facilitation and consulting work in organisational development.</p> <p>With a Masters in Organisational Behaviour and Honours degree in Economics - both from the University of London – attained part-time after completing his Diplomas in Electronics & Communications and Industrial Management from Singapore Polytechnic; Prabu has been coaching and mentoring managers and leaders in MNCs and SMEs in Singapore and the Asian region since 1999.</p> |
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Breakout Session D: Finding Passion and Fulfilment at Work – Doing What You Love, Loving What You Do

Mr Ken Casimir Koh
Founder, Coach Works Asia



Ask around whether people truly enjoy their work, and chances are you will get ambiguous answers like, "Okay", "I guess so", "What to do", "No choice". Rarely, you will find people who can give a resounding "YES" and that they are truly passionate about work and loving what they do.

What about yourself? Are you finding Passion & Fulfilment at Work? Are you doing what you love and loving what you do?

In this one and half hour session, Mr Ken Casimir Koh will help you to rediscover your passion and how to derive fulfilment at work so that you can begin to do what you love and love what you do. Through carefully planned combination of presentation, activities, sharing and discussion, this one hour session will set you on a journey of your own discovery.

For more than 10 years, Ken has taken the path less travelled to pursue his passion and love for training and coaching people to achieve success. Thus far, Ken has personally coached and trained over 60,000 children, teenagers, parents, teachers, scholars, managers,

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| | directors, team leaders and sales professionals from Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, China and Hong Kong. Ken was also the CEO and Principal Trainer of a leading Real Estate training company in Singapore, where he trains and coaches average performing salesperson to become top producers and award winners. |
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