

## Media Release

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## SSIA SUMMIT 2022 - Advancing Technologies Towards A Sustainable Future

A record-breaking show of nearly 100 companies participating in this year's Summit

**Singapore, 29 September 2022 –** The strong showing of solidarity and support from nearly 100 companies for Singapore Semiconductor Industry Association (SSIA)'s flagship Summit 2022, continues to demonstrate the vibrancy and resilience of the semiconductor industry and ecosystem.

The Summit is the biggest onsite in the industry since the pandemic started and is attended by a diverse group of stakeholders in the industry from key stalwarts in multi-national companies, SMEs, academic to government leaders and partners.

Gracing SSIA Summit 2022 as Guest-of-Honour is Mr Alvin Tan, Minister of State, Ministry of Trade and Industry & Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth. The focus of this year's Summit is on Sustainability with the theme "Advancing Technologies Towards A Sustainable Future".

One of the largest demand drivers for semiconductors has been the shift to more efficient electrification in support of a greener future. Paradoxically, semiconductor manufacturing has a large carbon footprint, and significantly impacts the environment. Hence, the Summit explores this contradiction and how our ambitions will be part of our national sustainability goal towards Singapore Green Plan 2030.

There is a strong line-up of speakers including Russell Tham of Temasek International, Xinying Tok, Carbon Trust, Kenneth Ng of Razer Inc, Ta Chyang Lee, STMicroelectronics, Dallal Slimani, Schneider Electric, Jen Tan, Sembcorp Industries, Mehbub Khan, Veolia Water Technologies, and Siva Gunesparan, Guud Singapore where they expounded on some of the green and sustainable measures that they have implemented in their organisations.

Ang Wee Seng, Executive Director of SSIA says, "The energy crisis has fueled an impetus and opportunity for businesses to pivot manufacturing to ensure security and environment sustainability without compromising on economic competitiveness. The faster uptake of circular-economy principles is even more integral now. Despite the headwinds, I believe that we will work together collectively towards a innovative and greener future."

For event details, visit: https://ssia.org.sq/ssia-summit-semiconductor-dinner-2022/

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Singapore Semiconductor Industry Association (SSIA) has more than 180 members today including companies and organisations throughout all parts of the complex and comprehensive value chain - IC design companies, Manufacturers, Fabless companies, Equipment suppliers, Photovoltaic companies, EDA and material suppliers, Training and service providers, IP companies, research institutes and Academia, as well as individual members. Since 2013, SME membership has grown exponentially and SMEs now account for close to half of SSIA's membership.

For more information about SSIA, visit: <a href="https://ssia.org.sg/">https://ssia.org.sg/</a>

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