

HO Ching

Executive Director & CEO

Ms Ho Ching joined Temasek as a Director in January 2002 and became its Executive Director in May 2002. From 1 January, 2004, she assumed the position of Executive Director and CEO.

She started her career in 1976 with the Ministry of Defence where she held various positions in the Defence Science Organisation and the Defence Materiel Organisation, and was conferred the Public Administration Medal (Silver, 1985). She joined the Singapore Technologies Group in 1987 and was appointed President and CEO from April 1997 to December 2001.

Awarded the Public Service Star (1996), Ms Ho is a Distinguished Engineering Alumnus of the National University of Singapore and an Honorary Fellow of the Institute of Engineering, Singapore. She holds a BEngg (Hons) from the University of Singapore and a MSc (Electrical Engineering) from Stanford University, USA.

Ms Ho is married with four children.



Simon ISRAEL

Executive Director

Mr Simon Israel joined Temasek in July 2006 as an Executive Director after spending 10 years with the Danone Group, as Chairman Asia Pacific and as a member of the Danone Group's Executive Committee.

Prior to the Danone Group, Mr Israel enjoyed a 22-year career with Sara Lee Corporation across the Asia Pacific region progressing to Head (Household & Personal Care) of Asia Pacific.

Mr Israel chairs the Singapore Tourism Board, sits on the Business Advisory Board of the Lee Kong Chian School of Business at Singapore Management University, and is Chairman of Asia Pacific Breweries Limited and Asia Pacific Breweries Foundation. He is also a Member of the Board of Singapore Telecommunications Limited, Neptune Orient Lines Limited, and Fraser and Neave Limited.

He holds a Diploma of Business Studies from The University of the South Pacific. Mr Israel was conferred Knight in the Legion of Honour by the French Government in 2007.



LEONG Wai Leng
Senior Managing Director
Corporate Development &
Chief Financial Officer

Ms Leong Wai Leng joined Temasek in March 2006 and is currently a Senior Managing Director for Corporate Development and the Chief Financial Officer.

Prior to joining Temasek, she was the Deputy CEO of Raffles Holdings Ltd and concurrently, the CEO of Raffles International Ltd, its hotel operating and management subsidiary. Prior to joining Raffles, Ms Leong had 23 years of experience holding senior management positions in two publicly-listed companies and the public sector.

Ms Leong holds a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Engineering Tripos and a Master of Arts from Cambridge University, United Kingdom. She also holds a Master of Applied Finance degree from Macquarie University, Australia.