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# Pathways to Carbon Neutrality: Regional Perspectives

SATURDAY  
**21 DEC**

TIME:  
09.00 AM - 12.30 PM (MYT/HKT)

PLATFORM:  
VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM

## PROGRAMME.

- 08.30 am Participants' Registration
- 09.00 am Opening Speech by malaysiaGBC President  
- *Ar. (Dr.) Serina Hijjas*
- 09.10 am Commercial Break  
- *Hong Kong GBC*
- 09.15 am Green Building Landscape in Hong Kong - Government Policy and Voluntary Rating Tool  
- *Ir. Dr. Eddy Lau, Head of Green Labelling*
- 09.45 am EECA  
- *TBC*
- 10.15 am Q&A Session
- 10.20 am HKGBC's Advancing Net Zero: Transforming Hong Kong's Built Environment for a Sustainable Future  
- *Dr. Karen Cheung, Senior Manager*
- 10.50 am CarbonScore  
- *TBC*
- 11.20 am Q&A Session
- 11.25 am Commercial Break  
- *malaysiaGBC*
- 11.30 am How Green Finance is Linked to the Building Industry  
- *Ir. Dr. Eddy Lau, Head of Green Labelling*
- 12.00 pm Green Incentives  
- *TBC - MGTC*
- 12.30 pm Q&A Session
- 12.35 pm Closing Remark
- 12.45 pm End of Webinar

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## SPEAKER



### Ar. (Dr.) Serina Hijjas

*President of malaysiaGBC 2023-2025*

Dr. Serina Hijjas is part of the Green Building Index Accreditation Panel and currently the President of Malaysia Green Building Council. Ar. (Dr.) Serina Hijjas is one of the leading and earliest proponent on sustainable design in Malaysia. Starting from Energy Efficiency to Sustainability through Zero Carbon Emission. The principal creative director at HIJAS architects & planners and is known for changing the building landscape of architecture through buildings that are responsive, energy conscious + bold. Her formative years exposed her to energy efficiency and sustainable design and have culminated in projects like the Heriot Watt University 'green campus', Celcom Tower 'interconnective offices' and EPIC waste training center and sustainable Data Center in Cyberjaya.



### Ir. Dr. Eddy Lau

*Head of Green Labelling, Hong Kong Green Building Council*

Ir Dr Eddy Lau is a Fellow of the Hong Kong Institution of Engineers and a Hong Kong Registered Professional Engineer in Energy and Building Services Disciplines. He has been managing the BEAM Plus green building certification scheme since 2012. Before that, he had worked in the building industry for more than 17 years, with heavy involvement in building equipment upgrades, building alteration and extension works. Besides his work at HKGBC, he is a member of CLP Power HK Ltd's Eco Building Fund Vetting Committee. On the academic side, he regularly gives guest lectures at the University of Hong Kong's post-graduate course – Planning Future Cities and Regions and publishes articles on construction and engineering topics in the HKIE Journal.



### Dr. Karen Cheung

*Senior Manager – Sustainable Development, Hong Kong Green Building Council*

Dr Karen Cheung received her PhD from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University and pursued her studies as a Newton International Fellow at the University of Cambridge in the United Kingdom. Her research focused on advanced biomaterials, which have significant implications for the engineering and environmental industries. Karen is currently the Senior Manager of Sustainable Development for the Hong Kong Green Building Council. She is in charge of performing practical decarbonisation research and launching a number of significant programmes, including HK3030, Advancing Net Zero initiatives, the HKGBC Climate Change Framework for Built Environment, and the Zero-Carbon-Ready Building Certification Scheme.

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