

**IMMEDIATE RELEASE****Asia Society Hong Kong Center appoints  
Anne Chiou as Head of Programs (Business & Policy)**

(Hong Kong, APRIL 18, 2019) Asia Society Hong Kong Center (ASHK) has appointed Anne Chiou as Head of Programs (Business & Policy), succeeding Penny Tang who resigned in January. In her 11 year tenure at ASHK, Penny has led many large-scale programs locally and across Asia, and helped the development of Programs Department.

Ms. S. Alice Mong, Executive Director of ASHK, said, “We want to thank Penny for her leadership while at Asia Society and wish her success in her next venture. In the meanwhile, we are pleased that Anne Chiou has joined ASHK to lead our Business and Policy Programs team. With her experience and background in policy, I believe she can steer the Business and Policy Programs team to new heights. “

Prior to joining ASHK, Anne Chiou previously held several positions as a financial regulator. She first worked at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, overseeing the financial condition of Citigroup during the global financial crisis. In Hong Kong, she worked in the Banking Policy Department of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority, and then in the Intermediaries Division of the Securities and Futures Commission of Hong Kong. She has also served as a regulatory advisor to several Fintech startups. She holds a Master in public policy from Harvard Kennedy School and is a graduate of Pomona College. Anne currently serves on the Dean’s Council of Harvard Kennedy School.

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## **About Asia Society Hong Kong Center**

Asia Society Hong Kong Center is a locally funded, independent non-government organization that was established in 1990 by a group of Hong Kong community leaders. It is affiliated with Asia Society in New York that was founded in 1956 by John D. Rockefeller III to promote mutual understanding and to strengthen partnerships between Asia and the US in a global context. Asia Society Hong Kong Center is dedicated to providing educational platforms that present balanced perspectives and promote critical understanding of topics that are relevant to Hong Kong, Asia and the region's role in the world. Across the fields of arts and culture, education, business and policy, it seeks to provide insights, generate ideas and promote collaboration to address present challenges and create a shared future. Its home in Admiralty at the former Explosives Magazine of the old Victoria Barracks, made possible under Private Treaty Grant from the government, was the result of careful conservation, restoration and adaptive re-use which transformed the heritage site into a cultural, artistic and intellectual hub in 2012 to offer a broad variety of cultural and education programs to the community. For more information, please visit [www.asiasociety.org/hong-kong](http://www.asiasociety.org/hong-kong).

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