

Treasury & Economic Seminar

Thursday, September 16th, 2010

Singapore Management University, 90 Stamford Road
School of Economics and Social Sciences, Level 4
Seminar Room 4.4

Agenda

18:30 - 19:00 **Registration and Refreshment**

19:00 - 19:20 **China Economic Outlook**
Mr. Tommy Xie, Economist, OCBC Bank

Is a hard or soft landing in store?

19:20 - 19:40 **CNY Flexibility**
Mr. Emmanuel Ng, Currency Economist, OCBC Bank
What does this mean for Asian currencies?

19:40 - 20:20 **Investment & Hedging Ideas for Corporates**
Ms. Wee Wei Min, Head Treasury Advisory, OCBC Bank

The latest FX and interest rate hedging strategies, and the opportunities as a result of RMB liberalization and the recent HKMA announcement for onshore and offshore corporates.

Speaker Bios



Mr. Tommy Xie
Economist, Treasury Research and Strategy, OCBC Bank

Mr. Xie joined OCBC Global Treasury in Jan 2008 as the economist for Treasury Research & Strategy. He is responsible for the Greater China economic research. His views are cited in both English news wires such as Dow Jones, Bloomberg, Shanghai Daily, and Straits Times and the top tier Chinese news wire such as Xinhua, China Security Journal, Shanghai Security Journal, International Finance News and Lianhe Zaobao. He is also the bilingual regular commentator on the televised media including Channel News Asia and Channel 8 and provides the regular economic forecasts on Chinese economic indicators to Bloomberg and Dow Jones.

Prior to joining OCBC, Mr. Xie worked for the Chinese government agency in London. He started his career at Bank of China in Shanghai. Tommy received his MSc in Economics from University of Leicester in the UK. He is a chartered Financial Risk Manager (FRM), CFA Level 3 candidate as well as the member of global MENSA high IQ society.

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Mr. Emmanuel Ng
Currency Economist, Treasury Research and Strategy, OCBC Bank

Mr. Ng joined OCBC in March 2006 as a currency economist for Treasury Research & Strategy. He is responsible for currency research and strategy for the G3 as well as for Asian currencies. His views are cited in the local media, international news wires (Reuters, Bloomberg, Dow Jones) as well as on televised media including Channel News Asia, Bloomberg, and CNBC.

Prior to joining OCBC, Mr. Ng was a Sovereign / FX Strategist at ABN AMRO for Asia ex Japan from August 2003. He was the Asean Economist for the Bank of Tokyo–Mitsubishi from 1997. He started his career in 1994 as an Economist at the Development Bank of Singapore.

Mr. Ng received his M.A. (Econs) from the University of Alberta in 1994 and his B.A. (Hons) with an economics major from the University of Calgary in 1992.



Ms. Wee Wei Min
Head Treasury Advisory, OCBC Bank

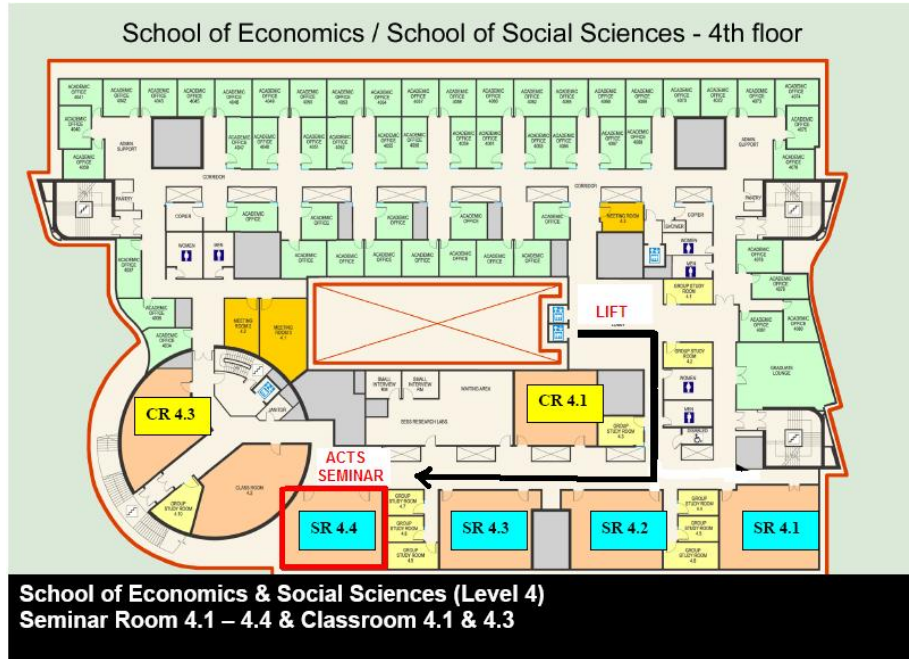
Ms. Wee is Senior Vice President of Global Treasury, OCBC Bank. She heads up Global Treasury Advisory team which engineers treasury solutions. Besides Singapore and Malaysia, her coverage includes all overseas branches of OCBC, with focus on China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Taiwan and Brunei. Her teams provide solutions to corporate customers, financial institutions (includes insurance companies and asset managers) and to the consumer bank via the retail and private bank. The solutions involve both hedging and wealth management using foreign exchange, foreign exchange options, interest rates derivatives, equities derivatives, fixed income, credit derivatives, commodities derivatives and other structured products..

Prior to joining OCBC in Aug 2004, Ms. Wee was with Citibank NA Singapore, where her last role was the Head of Corporate Sales & Structuring. Milestones include:

- Pioneering of SGD FX options to the market
- Helped build the SGD Interest Rate Yield curve in the Singapore market
- Part of team who pioneered the first SGD bond issued by a foreign issuer (IFC)
- First to deal in equity derivatives, commodity derivatives, unit trust with corporate customers in Citibank Singapore
- Dealt the first interest rate derivative deal in Vietnam (first in the country)
- Introduction of convertible bonds as an asset class to the bank during the Asian crisis

In the early days of her career, Ms. Wee was part of the Risk Management which oversees controls of treasury products. She spent six months in Bangkok helping to set up the Risk Management Unit for Citibank Bangkok.

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2. [Lee Kong Chian School of Business](#) via Stamford Road

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