



ASEAN JAPAN GENZ
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ASEAN Japan Gen Z Business Leaders Forum

About



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About 50 Gen Z business leaders from ASEAN countries and Japan work together to solve social issues in their respective regions, and strengthen mutual understanding and trust among members of the same generation. The participating Gen Z leaders are expected to formulate a long lasting community which shapes the future of ASEAN and Japan.

Agenda



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1. Opening (9:30 ~ 9:45)
2. Panel Discussion: **Generation Z changing the world from ASEAN and Japan** (9:45 ~ 10:35)
3. Panel Discussion: **ASEAN, Japan Vision of a sustainable society drawn by Generation Z**(10:40 ~ 11:30)

Generation Z changing the world from ASEAN and Japan ~ How to create a startup that changes the world~



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9:45 ~ 10:35(TBC)



Moderator

Misato Nagakawa
Executive Board Member /
Wake Up Japan



Tennin Yan
CEO / QuanSys



Melvin Chee
CEO / RPG Commerce



King Alandy Dy
CEO /
Expedock



Linh Pham
Founder & CEO /
LOGIVAN Technologies Pte.



Sota Watanabe
Founder /

Astar Network, CEO / Startale Labs



Sagar Khatri
Co-Founder & CEO
/ Multiplier Technologies

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Vision of a sustainable society drawn by Generation Z

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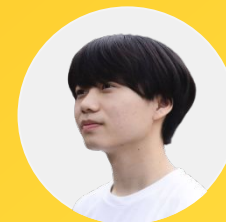
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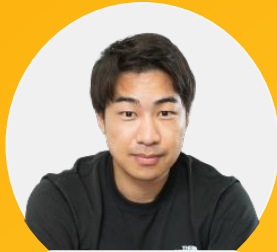
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CEO / PoliPoli



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Japan

Sota Watanabe

Founder / Astar Network, CEO /
Startale Labs

Bio

CEO of Startale Labs for Web3 for Billions, founder of Astar Network, Japan's first public blockchain, founder of Next Web Capital, board member of Hakuhodo KEY3, board member of Japan Blockchain Association, and advisor to Marui Group, GMO Web3, and Dentsu web3 Club. He is an advisor to Marui Group, Web3, Dentsu web3 Club, etc. In 2022, he was selected by Forbes magazine as one of Asia's 30 under 30 in the technology sector.



Japan

Tennin Yan
CEO / QunaSys

Bio

Tennin Yan is QunaSys' founder and Chief Executive Officer, where he leads the company's strategy, product strategy and development to make quantum computing technology industrially useful. He has deep expertise in R&D and is specialized in quantum computer algorithms and applications. Tennin founded QunaSys in 2018 together with Prof. Keisuke Fujii with the goal to bring out quantum physics to the front stage and use it to tackle problems that cannot be achieved with conventional technology by actively taking advantage of quantum mechanics.



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Malaysia

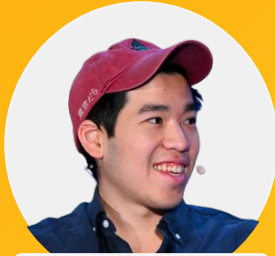
Melvin Chee
CEO / RPG Commerce

Bio

Melvin Chee, the visionary entrepreneur and brand builder behind multimillion-dollar e-commerce successes - RPG Commerce (Montigo, Cosmic Cookware, Thousand Miles & more). With a knack for spotting market trends, Melvin has grown brands generating over Rm100M+ in revenue annually and expanded RPG Commerce globally, backed by reputable VCs in the region. He has recently been awarded Forbes 30 Under 30 Asia 2023, Gen T Tatler Asia & Prestige 40 under 40.



Bio



Philippine

King Alandy Dy
CEO / Expedock

King is the CEO of Expedock, the data platform for global trade.

King ran an international import-export business when he was 14. He graduated from Stanford University with an Engineering degree. After doing AI research at Stanford, he co-founded Expedock. He is recognized on Forbes 30 Under 30.

Expedock has raised \$17.5M from some of the best in Silicon Valley with investors that are C-Levels, execs and board members of Meta, Salesforce, LinkedIn, VMware, etc.

Before starting Expedock, King had another startup that was awarded by the Harvard Social Innovation Collaborative.



Bio



Vietnam

Linh Pham

Founder & CEO / LOGIVAN Technologies
Pte.

Linh is the Founder & CEO of LOGIVAN – founded in October 2017 to bring innovation to the fragmented trucking industry in Vietnam. LOGIVAN is a truck-hailing platform, enabling real-time tracking and connecting shippers directly to the drivers to reduce the empty truck return rate and give more power to independent truck drivers.

LOGIVAN has completed three rounds of investment, raising a total of \$7.95m from high-profile investors including Insignia Partners, David Su - founder of Matrix China and VinaCapital Ventures. Currently LOGIVAN has over 50 employees with 10,500+ active truckers on its platform. These truckers are serving hundreds of individual shippers and corporate shippers, including large enterprises such as Wilmar, Ajinomoto, Pepsico, Nagase, Olam and many others.

In July 2018 LOGIVAN won Best Startup at RISE in Hong Kong, Asia's largest technology conference. And Linh is now included in Forbes Vietnam and Forbes Asia 30 under 30 in 2020.



Singapore

Sagar Khatri

Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer
/ Multiplier Technologies

Bio

Sagar Khatri is the CEO and Co-Founder of Multiplier, a SaaS solution that enables companies to hire compliantly in foreign markets without a legal entity. After experiencing the complexities and resource constraints of expanding into new markets firsthand, Sagar co-founded Multiplier to revolutionise the employment space. With a presence in 150+ countries, Multiplier handles contracts, payroll, taxes, and benefits while adhering to local labor laws. Since its 2020 launch, the company has experienced rapid growth, securing \$60 million in Series A and B financing. Sagar's extensive background in regional P&L management, international expansion, fundraising, and M&A contributes to Multiplier's success. His vision aims to bridge the global talent gap, and fostering opportunities in developing nations.



Singapore

Samantha Thian
Founder / Seastainable

Bio

Thian founded the environmental services company Seastainable in 2017 in a bid to reduce Singapore's consumption of plastic straws. Since then, it has evolved into funding and offering grants for marine conservation projects and providing individuals options to offset their greenhouse gas emissions. She spent the pandemic organizing beach cleanups in Singapore under Seastainable, and later helped develop an app, Stridy, to crowdsource and coordinate beach cleanups. Thian began her journey in marine conservation by studying whale sharks in the Philippines about seven years before. She currently works as a senior sustainability manager for appliance maker Electrolux.



Thailand

Net Supatranij
Co-Founder / Ila

Bio

Net Supatranij is the Co-founder of Ila. She is passionate about using innovative business models to tackle gender inequalities. With Ila's app ALLY, she envisions a smarter, safer world for women. She started off her career in marketing and behavior change at Ogilvy & Mather Singapore before realizing that she wanted to use her skills for social impact. Net is the winner of the UN Women Youth Leadership award for Thailand 2021, recipient of Thailand's Department of Women's Affairs Outstanding Woman of the Year 2022 and currently sits on the advisory board of B Corp's B Lab UK. She graduated with her BSc from New York University and received her MSc from The London School of Economics.



Malaysia

Jason Wee

Executive Director / Architects of
Diversity

Bio

Jason Wee is the Co-Founder and Executive Director of Architects of Diversity Malaysia, a youth-led non-profit that bridges communities and identity groups among youth for justice, peace and a sustainable future. Since 2018, AOD has worked towards the promotion of diversity and inclusion in Malaysia by empowering young leaders as champions of inclusivity, pioneering ideas and processes for social cohesion, and building an enabling environment for legislative change towards equity and inclusion. AOD has partnered with various local and international organisations, including the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations, to design and execute opportunities for intergroup contact. Jason has led various programmes and research projects on racial and religious misunderstanding, prejudice and conflict, focusing on strengthening structures and systems to mend Malaysia's growing divide. Jason is the first Malaysian recipient of the Echoing Green Fellowship and has been featured in Tatler Gen.T Asia, Prestige 40 Under 40 and Wiki Impact 100. He is a graduate of the School of Public and International Affairs with a focus in Race, Ethnicity and Discrimination at Princeton University.



Japan

Asako Tsuji

CEO & Creative Director / arca Inc.

Bio

A cross-border creator who works in any field from advertising to product production based on the two pillars of “creation with an ideology and social issues” and “creating works that focus on the worldview”.

In the spring of 2019, launched the “Ladyknows” project, which focuses on women’s empowerment and healthcare. Additionally appearing regularly as a partner 《news zero》 on Wednesdays from the fall of 2019.

Taking on the challenge of approaching social issues from the perspective both of creator and influencer.

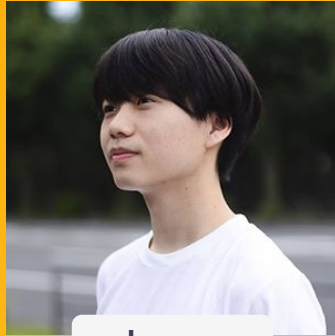


Japan

Shunsuke Tsuboi
CEO / Sagri

Bio

Graduated from the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Yokohama National University. Founded 'Sagri' in 2018 with the aim of contributing to the advancement of agricultural management and a decarbonized society by utilizing digital technologies such as satellite data and AI. Serves as a committee member for the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries' 'Study Group on the Management of Agricultural Land Information Using Digital Maps', and a committee member for the Ministry of Economy, Trade, and Industry's 'Young Expert Panel for Realizing Carbon Neutrality by 2050'. Selected as a Global Shaper, a role appointed by the World Economic Forum in 2020. Named one of the '30 under 30' individuals who are changing the world in both the Japan and Asian editions of Forbes. Chosen as one of the '35 Innovators Under 35' by MIT Technology Review. Softbank academia.



Japan

Kazuma Ito
CEO/ PoliPoli Inc

Bio

Kazuma Ito (Co-founder & CEO at PoliPoli Inc.) He was born in Aichi Prefecture in 1998 and graduated from the Faculty of Business and Commerce at Keio University in 2022. While in college, he had developed a haiku (a kind of Japanese poem) app “Haiku Tefu Tefu” and sold the application business to The Mainichi. At the 2017 House of Representatives election when he was 18 years old driven him to update politics and government through technology, and he founded PoliPoli Inc. with his fellow undergraduates. Then, he became the first student to become a part-time lecturer at Kyusyu University, giving lectures on entrepreneurship. Also, he was the youngest person ever appointed as an expert in the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry’s council. In 2021 he was selected as one of the “Global Shapers,” a community of young leaders chosen by the World Economic Forum. He was selected Forbes 30 Under 30 Asia 2023.