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SOCIETY OF CONSTRUCTION LAW (SINGAPORE)
COUNCIL 2026 – 2028

ELECTION STATEMENT

It has been a privilege to serve the Society of Construction Law (Singapore) in different capacities over the years - including in professional development, as Vice-Chair and Chair, in external relations, and, for several years, in support of its International Relations Committee.

I hope to continue contributing in these areas by extending SCL(S)'s leadership and relationships within the international SCL community, and by developing practical thought leadership on ESG and sustainable construction law. My aim is to help SCL(S) remain relevant to practitioners today, while contributing meaningfully to the future development of construction law in Singapore and internationally.

While continuing to work with the SCL (International) team, my priority within SCL(S) is its Environmental Law & Sustainability Focus Group. Climate adaptation, ESG requirements, energy transition and sustainability are increasingly affecting how projects are financed, procured, designed, constructed and ultimately disputed. I hope to build on the Group's educational and research mandate by developing practical guidance on ESG-related contractual obligations, risk allocation, dispute avoidance and dispute resolution, with the longer-term ambition of exploring whether SCL(S) can contribute towards a recognised ESG / Sustainability Protocol for Construction.

My work in International Relations has been especially enriching. As a long-standing member of the SCL (International) Executive, I have helped support the growth of the international SCL network and have been entrusted with responsibility for the development and admission of new Societies of Construction Law. This involves more than increasing numbers: it means working with emerging societies on their constitutions, governance, membership structures and integration into the wider SCL community, so that they are sustainable and able to contribute meaningfully. The international network has grown from approximately 9 societies in 2012 to about 33 today, providing an increasingly valuable platform for SCL(S) members to exchange knowledge, develop relationships and showcase Singapore expertise internationally.

SCL(S)'s contributions extend through international conferences, publications, protocols and thought leadership, helping to shape the development of construction law and practice globally. Recent initiatives concerning expert evidence demonstrate how work developed in Singapore can potentially inform wider international practice. My focus has remained, and will continue to be, strengthening SCL(S), broadening opportunities for our members, and ensuring that Singapore continues to contribute meaningfully to the development of construction law both locally and internationally.

Election Statement of Mark Curties

Society of Construction Law (Singapore) Elections 2026



Mark Curties

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I have spent fifteen years advising on construction projects with a particular focus on time-related issues, encompassing risk, planning, and delay. My work has spanned a broad range of industry sectors and jurisdictions, having been based in London, Dubai, and Singapore. This international experience shapes how I approach the practical and legal challenges the SCL(S) community navigates daily.

I have been a member of the SCL(S) for 10 years, during which time I have remained actively engaged with the Society through seminars and networking events. I currently serve on the Young International Council for the SCL in India, through which I have helped deliver training for junior lawyers and consultants. I have also presented at several construction law events, including an SCL Malaysia-hosted session on BIM and specialist events on delay analysis and Artificial Intelligence in the construction industry.

The SCL(S) plays a vital role in advancing construction law, and I am keen to contribute more directly to that work. I am seeking election to the Council for the 2026–2028 term in the role of Assistant Honorary Treasurer, and would welcome the opportunity to serve the Society and its members in a more active capacity.

Thank you.

Mark Curties

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Election Statement – Moon Kua

I am a Director of Contract Advisory at Threesixty Cost Management Pte Ltd (a subsidiary of Surbana Jurong). I am a qualified quantity surveyor with over 20 years of experience in the construction industry, across both consultancy and contracting.

It has been a privilege and an honour to have had the opportunity to serve on the SCL(S) Council in various capacities over the years, including Chair of the Professional Development Committee, Assistant Honorary Treasurer, Honorary Treasurer, Vice Chair and Chairperson during the Council terms from 2012 to 2014 and 2016 to 2024, and most recently as Immediate Past Chair and Chair of the Strategic Leadership Committee from 2024.

With more than 20 years of history, I believe that SCL(S) will benefit from drawing on the collective experience and institutional knowledge of its past and present leadership, while remaining open to new ideas and changing needs of its members and the construction industry.

If elected, I would be keen to explore a framework for the continued participation and involvement of our past Chairs, whose experience and contributions can provide valuable perspectives in shaping the Society's future direction.

I look forward to the opportunity to continue serving the Society and would be grateful for your support.

Thank you.

Election Statement for the SCL(S) Council 2026/2028
Joanna Seetoh for the post of Chairman of the Council
Annual General Meeting – 26 August 2026



Dear Members of SCL(S),

I am standing for election as Chairman of the Council of the Society of Construction Law Singapore for the 2026/2028 term, and I would be grateful for your support.

SCL(S) has been an important part of my professional life for many years. Through its seminars, conferences, publications and thought leadership initiatives, the Society has made a significant contribution to the development of construction law and practice in Singapore. More importantly, it has fostered a strong and collegial community that brings together lawyers, arbitrators, consultants, contractors, employers and other industry stakeholders who share a common interest in the built environment.

Over the years, I have had the privilege of contributing to the Society in various capacities and working alongside many dedicated Council members and volunteers. These experiences have given me a deep appreciation of the work that goes on behind the scenes to ensure that the Society continues to deliver value to its members and remains relevant in a rapidly evolving industry.

In my day-to-day role at Changi Airport Group, I advise on some of Singapore's largest and most complex infrastructure and construction projects. This has provided me with a practical understanding of the challenges faced by project owners, consultants and contractors, as well as a unique perspective on the legal, commercial and operational issues that arise throughout the lifecycle of major projects. Having previously practised construction law in private practice, I have also had the opportunity to see these issues from the perspective of different stakeholders across the industry.

If elected, I hope to contribute this practical industry perspective to the work of the Council. In particular, I would like to support the Society's efforts to deliver high-quality professional development programmes, promote meaningful engagement between legal and industry practitioners, and strengthen thought leadership on issues that are shaping the future of the construction sector. I am also keen to support initiatives that encourage and develop younger members of our construction law community.

The Society has earned a well-deserved reputation as a leading voice in construction law and practice. I would be honoured to play a part in continuing that work and helping the Society remain relevant, inclusive and valuable to its members and the wider industry. It would be a privilege to serve on the Council for the 2026/2028 term. If elected, I will contribute with commitment, enthusiasm and a genuine desire to serve the Society and its members.

Yours sincerely,
Joanna Seetoh



It has been a privilege to serve as a Council Member of the Society of Construction Law (Singapore) over the past two years, and I am now putting myself forward for election as Vice-Chairman of the SCLS for the 2026–2028 term.

Having practised in the construction disputes space for twenty-two years, I remain deeply committed to the Society's mission of furthering the study, understanding, and practice of construction law in Singapore and the wider region. The SCLS has been an integral part of my professional development since the early years of my career, and I welcome the opportunity to give back in a leadership capacity.

As a Partner in WongPartnership's Energy, Projects & Construction Practice, I have built my career advising on the full spectrum of construction and infrastructure disputes. I have acted for statutory boards, developers, consultants, and contractors in litigation, arbitration, mediation, and adjudication. In parallel, I have advised on front-end matters for mega infrastructure developments. This breadth of experience has given me a practical appreciation of the issues facing our industry and the educational needs of the construction law community.

During my term as Council Member, I have been actively involved in the Practice Development Committee, helping to organise seminars, workshops, and knowledge-sharing sessions on topical areas of construction law. I have also led the Social Media Engagement Committee, working to grow SCLS's digital presence. I have the honour of chairing the Organising Committee for the SCLS Annual Conference 2026, bringing together distinguished local and international speakers to discuss emerging developments in our field. These experiences have deepened my understanding of the Society's operations and reinforced my conviction that there is much more we can achieve together.

If elected Vice-Chairman, I intend to focus on several key objectives. First, I will work to strengthen SCLS's collaboration with our international counterparts to facilitate cross-border knowledge exchange and raise Singapore's profile as a centre of excellence in construction law. Second, I hope to expand our programme offerings to address emerging topics such as technology in construction, sustainability and green building disputes, and the implications of artificial intelligence and smart contracts for our practice. Third, I am passionate about mentoring and developing the next generation of construction law practitioners, and I will seek to create more structured opportunities for junior members to engage with senior practitioners and gain practical insights.

I am confident that my experience, both in practice and on the Council, equips me to support the Chairman in advancing the Society's strategic objectives and raising the profile of SCLS regionally and internationally. I would be deeply grateful for your support in this election and look forward to the opportunity to serve the SCLS community in this new capacity. Together, I believe we can ensure that our Society continues to thrive as a leading forum for the development and promotion of construction law in Singapore.

Profile



Name: Tay Kai Yi, Wynne
Title: Partner, MPillay

I am standing for election as a Council member and, more importantly, as Chair of the Publications Committee. I believe strongly in advancing knowledge-sharing within the construction law community. Through my practice in construction law and arbitration, I regularly engage with developments in case law, industry trends, and emerging issues affecting practitioners and stakeholders, including through being one of the faculty members responsible for delivering the Construction Law 101 modules for 3 years now. I hope to leverage this experience to support the Committee in producing timely, practical, and engaging publications that are valuable to both established professionals and those new to the field.

As Chair, I would seek to encourage diverse contributions from across the industry, maintain the high quality of the Society's newsletters and educational resources, and promote greater engagement with topics shaping the future of construction law, including ESG developments, dispute resolution, and project delivery. I would be honoured to contribute to the Society's mission of fostering research, learning, and the exchange of ideas among its members.

Election Statement for Kelvin Teo



It has been a privilege over the years to serve on the SCL(S) Council and to contribute to the Society's thought leadership, publications, events, and engagements with the construction community. I am particularly proud to be part of the team that successfully launched the SCL(S) Protocol for the Use of Experts' Joint Statements in Arbitration earlier this year.

If re-elected, I hope to continue contributing to initiatives that strengthen the Society's role as a leading voice in construction law, including promoting greater collaboration across the industry, advancing discussions on emerging issues such as sustainability, energy transition, digitalisation, and collaborative contracting, and supporting the development of practical guidance for all stakeholders.

I also remain committed to ensuring that SCL(S) continues to serve the needs of its members through thought leadership, professional development, and networking opportunities.

I would be honoured to continue serving the Society and working with fellow members to build on its strong foundations and future growth.

Adrian Wong



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This will be my fifth term running for Council.

In my past terms, I've served in various capacities including as a member of the Professional Development Committee, head of External Relations and as the Honorary Secretary.

SCL Singapore has grown from strength to strength over the past several terms, expanding its membership base, deepening its programme offerings and strengthening its engagement with the wider construction and infrastructure community. Building on these achievements, I am keen to leverage the Society's momentum to further enhance its external profile and international presence in the term ahead.

It is my desire that SCL Singapore will further establish itself as a leading voice in the area of capital projects and construction, both locally and internationally. As a transactional lawyer specialised in advising on the development of large scale construction and infrastructure projects, I am hopeful that my experience and perspectives will help strengthen the Society's external and international engagement.

I am keen to continue my work with Council and am seeking re-election. I am grateful and look forward to the opportunity to continue to serve the Society in this manner.

Election Statement: Ellen Wong

I have spent more than fifteen years in the construction industry, first managing major projects and later practising in construction law as a delay expert. This combination of practical project delivery experience and dispute resolution expertise has given me a unique perspective on the challenges facing our industry and profession. I understand both how projects are successfully delivered and how disputes arise, evolve, and are ultimately resolved.

As a Council Member of the Society of Construction Law (Singapore), I am committed to contributing meaningfully to the Society's continued growth and relevance. I will be serving on the Professional Development Committee and the External Relations Committee, where I hope to help strengthen the value that SCL brings to its members and the wider industry.

On professional development, I believe our programmes should reflect the realities of modern construction practice. The increasing adoption of collaborative contracting models, including NEC4, the evolving nature of construction disputes, and the growing role of technology in project delivery and expert evidence all present opportunities for learning and engagement. I would like to support initiatives that equip practitioners with practical, forward-looking knowledge that is directly relevant to their work.

On external relations, I currently serve on the council of the Association of Women in Construction (Singapore) and have developed strong connections across the built environment sector. I hope to leverage these relationships to foster greater collaboration between SCL and other industry organisations, creating opportunities for knowledge-sharing, professional development, and broader engagement within the construction community.

I am also a strong advocate for mentorship and professional growth. The future of our profession depends on attracting, supporting, and developing the next generation of practitioners. I am committed to helping create pathways for emerging professionals to engage with SCL and build meaningful networks.

I would be honoured to serve and contribute to the continued success and influence of the Society of Construction Law (Singapore).

Dear members of SCL(S),

I am Damien Xing, and I am pleased to stand for election as Treasurer for the 2026-2028 council term.



Having been co-opted into the 2024-2026 council, I have had the privilege of contributing to SCL(S)'s work and gaining a deeper appreciation of the Society's role in supporting the construction law community in Singapore and beyond. Through my involvement in the External Relations Committee, I have helped to strengthen engagement with students, professionals, and regional counterparts.

During the past term, I organised and moderated a career talk for law students, assisted in the organisation of professional development seminars and the 2025 Annual Conference, and collaborated with partner organisations within Singapore and beyond. These experiences have reinforced my belief that SCL(S) plays a valuable role not only in advancing knowledge of construction law, but also in building bridges across academia, practice, and industry.

If elected Treasurer, I will be committed to supporting the Society's continued growth through prudent and responsible financial stewardship. My priority will be to help keep SCL(S) events affordable and accessible, while ensuring that the Society remains financially sustainable. I believe that careful budgeting and thoughtful allocation of resources can allow SCL(S) to continue delivering high-quality seminars, conferences, and networking opportunities without placing unnecessary cost barriers on participation.

I would be grateful for your support and for the opportunity to continue serving SCL(S) in the 2026-2028 term.

Yours faithfully,

Damien