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Dr Robert Yap is Chairman and CEO of YCH Group, Singapore's leading end-to-end Supply Chain Company with operations spanning across the entire Asia-Pacific region. He was conferred the Asia Logistics Hall of Fame award for his significant contributions and thought-leadership to the SCM industry in 2003 and the Ernst and Young Entrepreneur of the Year (EOY) award in 2007. In October 2013, Dr Yap was further honored with the Lifetime Achievement Award (Logistics) presented by the World Chinese Economic Forum.

Dr Yap sits on the ASEAN-Business Advisory Council, which he chaired from 2007 to 2009. He is President of Singapore National Employers Federation (SNEF) and Board Member at International Enterprise Singapore (IES) and Maritime & Port Authority of Singapore (MPA). He also advises the Singapore National Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation (SINCPEC), ASEAN SME Advisory Board and SMU School of Information Systems.

With more than 30 years of experience in the Logistics and SCM field, Dr Yap graduated from the Harvard Business School Owner President Management (OPM) program in 1994; and was conferred Doctor of Philosophy (Ph. D), honoris causa, in Business Administration in 2001 by Wisconsin International University. He is also Founding Chairman of *Supply Chain Asia* – a community of more than 17,000 supply chain professionals based in the region.