

Skills 4.0:

How CEOs shape the future of work in Asia



Friday, November 18th, 2016 • Ginza Ballroom, The Peninsula Tokyo
8:00am - 8:30am Registration & breakfast • 8.30am – 9.30am Meeting & presentations

Skills are the essential resource in the knowledge economy of the 21st century. With the unprecedented economic developments in Asia and the dramatic changes rattling through many industries, companies need to make sure they are ready to embrace the disruptions and fend off potential skills gap and talent shortages.

The driving force behind these changes are a series of global megatrends including demographic change, climate change, technological change, urbanisation, globalization as well as the convergence of industries. Managing the business responses to these trends and developing the organisation's human capital to equip them with the skills needed in this environment is becoming a key challenge for businesses. The skills required are likely to comprise of both soft and hard skills, i.e. both people skills and technological as well as business skills.

Based on a regional survey of CEOs, this new white paper from The Economist Corporate Network uncovers the role of the CEO in shaping the future of work.

Join us as we ask:

- What are the key skills needed to succeed in the increasingly challenging market place in Asia?
- How will those skills change over the coming years?
- How can companies strategically manage the process of skilling up their workforce for the future?
- How can skills gaps and talent shortages be avoided?
- How can CEOs shape the skill sets of their workforce to stay ahead of the game?

Note: These meetings are limited to senior-level executives of an organisation. *Per invitation only.*

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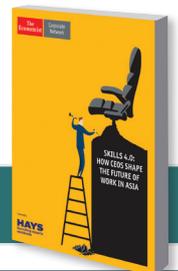
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Hong Kong	November 23rd
Shanghai	November 24th
Kuala Lumpur	December 1st
Singapore	December 2nd
Jakarta	December 5th