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## SOCIAL ENTERPRISE **SUMMIT HONG KONG 2014**

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## **OUR ANSWERS FOR TOMORROW**

Since 2008, The Summit has played a significant role in enhancing public awareness and understanding of social enterprise. In particular, the SES has promoted cross-sector dialogue and partnerships around the world. The theme this year: "Our Answers for Tomorrow".

































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The Government is committed to promoting the development of social enterprises (SEs) in Hong Kong. In recent years, the Government supports their development through a four-pronged approach: strengthening support; enhancing public awareness; promoting cross-sector collaboration; and nurturing more social entrepreneurs.

The SE Research Study that will soon be published reveals the successful outcomes of the concerted efforts of various sectors. The number of SEs has increased from 260 six years ago to 450 nowadays; their services has become more diverse earning wider recognition of the community. With the joint efforts of the Government, the business sector, the academia and the community, SEs have become a major platform for promoting social participation.

Since its first launch in 2007, the SE Summit has become a major forum in the region for promoting SEs. It gathers the forerunners in the field from Hong Kong and overseas for exchanging experience in the innovation and benefits that SEs have brought about to the community. With the theme of "Our Answers for Tomorrow", SE Summit 2014 focuses on how SEs, with its social objective and innovative spirit, can support the diversity of social development in future. I look forward to the sharing and inspirations in the Summit and the promotion of cross-sector collaboration, with a view to promoting further development of SEs in Hong Kong.

I wish the event a great success.





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