



PKF Asia Pacific Emerging Leaders 2024



Key information

Event name:	PKF AsPac Emerging Leaders 2024
Event date:	11 – 13 September 2024
Venue:	Hilton Da Nang
Venue address:	50 Bạch Đằng, Hải Châu 1, Hải Châu, Đà Nẵng 550000, Vietnam
Venue website:	https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/daddvhi-hilton-da-nang/
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Introduction

PKF Global invites you to join the annual three-day Asia Pacific Emerging Leaders training in Da Nang, Vietnam from 11 – 13 September 2024. This year's event will include engaging topics focused on leadership, professional development, cross-border collaboration, quality management, ESG and sustainability, client relationships, independence, assurance, AI, and more.

Event Overview

The Emerging Leaders training will begin at 9am on Wednesday 11 September and conclude with dinner on Friday 13 September. There will be a mixture of agenda sessions that are either plenary (all together) or parallel streams.

On Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning, there will be two streams: Stream One is recommended for Seniors and Junior Managers; and Stream Two is recommended for Senior Managers, Directors and Partners.

You will be asked to state your preference during registration for the PKF Global team's event planning purposes, but you will have the option to attend any of the streams whilst at the event.

Registration

Registration for the event is now open, and will close on **9 August**. You are strongly encouraged to register all participating attendees as soon as possible.

To register, **please complete the excel registration form** that accompanies this document. All attendees must register for the event by the closing date stated above.

The attendee fee is **\$500 USD** per person. This covers all event sessions, meeting facilities, dinners, lunch, networking (coffee) breaks and the Friday team-building.

All other expenses such as accommodation, flights, transfers, additional meals, etc. are not included. Attendees should settle their accounts including accommodation and all other expenses (i.e. additional meals, bar bills, telephone calls, photocopying, laundry, etc.) on departure directly with the hotel.

Accommodation

The Emerging Leaders training will be held at [Hilton Da Nang Hotel](#). PKF Global has negotiated a special PKF rate of \$110 USD per room per night (net) for a River / Ocean View (King or Twin) and is inclusive of up to two breakfasts.

Please book your accommodation using this link: [BOOK HOTEL ROOM HERE](#)

There is a limited room block available, so you are advised to book as soon as possible to guarantee your stay at the PKF discount rate.

Agenda

Agenda topics and timings may be subject to some minor changes

Wednesday 11 September

Time	Session	
09:00 – 09:20	Welcome to AsPac Emerging Leaders training	
09:20 – 09:40	PKF in Vietnam	
09:40 – 10:30	PKF Global: Update and Resources	
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break & Group Photo	
11:00 – 11:45	Breaking the ice	
11:45 – 12:15	We are all PKF Brand Ambassadors	
12:15 – 12:45	D&I in the workplace	
12:45 – 13:45	Lunch	
13:45 – 15:15	Stream One Recommended: Seniors and Managers <ul style="list-style-type: none">ISA315R Scaling the risk assessmentAgreed upon procedures	Stream Two Recommended: Managers, Directors and Partners <ul style="list-style-type: none">Lessons to lead by for a young partnerBuilding the businessStaying motivatedManaging expectations and stressCross-border engagements and collaboration
15:15 – 15:45	Networking Break	
Time	Session	
15:45 – 17:00	Stream One Recommended: Seniors and Managers	Stream Two Recommended: Managers, Directors and Partners

Time	Session	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Giving feedback & on the job coaching Knowledge & understanding of the client's business 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A&C / Independence & TREND New TNA / TNE work programme Introduction to new TREND platform Professional skepticism
18:00 – 21:00	Welcome Reception	

Thursday 12 September

Time	Session	
09:00 – 10:30	Stream One Recommended: Seniors and Managers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cross-border engagements, proposals and collaboration Your role as a communicator and briefing the team Delegation, responsibility and accountability 	Stream Two Recommended: Managers, Directors and Partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring internal audit and risk advisory Technical and methodology Establishing a service line

10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break	
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Time	Session	
11:00 – 12:30	Stream One Recommended: Seniors and Managers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Managing challenging clients Building client relationships 	Stream Two Recommended: Managers, Directors and Partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optimising the response to risk assessment (Audit sampling)

12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
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13:30 – 15:00	General Assurance Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronic audit platform implementation Using AI – when is it appropriate? PKF Resources ISA600Revised (group reporting) Inflo PKF Branded Audit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Benefits of unified audit platforms Global strategy Benefits to cross border collaboration 	
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15:00 – 15:30	Networking Break	
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Time	Session
15:30 – 17:00	Quality Management and ISQM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • practical applications for firm-wide staff • ISQM: specified responses functionality GMP feedback <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • summary of findings • split inspection and grading structure • grading matrix • feedback from regulators • ISQM – possible access to ISQM Workspace to Regulators • General focal areas
18:30 – 21:30	Highlight Dinner

Friday 13 September

Time	Session
09:00 – 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manage and grow your professional career with PKF • Managing team dynamics • Leadership effectiveness / performance coaching
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break
11:00 – 12:00	ESG and Sustainability – accounting standards and services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ESG Assurance • Assurance standards • New section in Ethics standards • Consideration of voluntary reporting • Growth potential for new service line • Firms sustainability initiatives
12:00 – 12:15	Closing session
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch
14:00 – 17:00	Afternoon Team Building
18:30 – 22:00	Wrap-up Party

Dress Code

The dress code for the conferencing sessions is business casual, and casual for the evening meals.

Please wear the **PKF t-shirts** that you will receive at the start of the event for the Friday team-building session.

Terms & Conditions

- Attendance fee cancellation policy
 - Attendee cancellations received before 09 August 2024 will be charged a 10% booking and services fee. The refundable amount will be determined after this fee has been deducted.
 - Cancellations made between 09 August and 25 August 2024 will be charged 50% of the total registration fee paid. The refundable amount will be determined after this fee has been deducted.
 - Cancellations made from 26 August 2024 onwards will be charged 100% of the total registration fee paid.
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