

**Annex A****Speakers' biographies****Sir Peter Hendy, CBE, Chairman of Network Rail, U.K.**

Sir Peter Hendy is the Chairman of Network Rail, having joined in July 2015. Sir Peter was previously commissioner of Transport for London (TfL) in 2006, having served since 2001 as TfL's managing director of surface transport. He led, and played a key role in preparing for, the successful operation of London's transport for the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

Sir Hendy was formerly deputy director UK Bus for FirstGroup and previously MD of CentreWest London Buses. He started his transport career in 1975 as a London Transport graduate trainee. Sir Peter was elected president of the International Public Transport Association (UITP) in May 2013.

He is a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport, a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Highways and Transport and a fellow of the Institution of Civil Engineers. He was knighted in the 2013 New Year's Honours List, having been made CBE in 2006.

**Dr. Guo Jifu, Director of Beijing Transportation Research Center**

Dr. Guo Jifu, Director of Beijing Transportation Research Center, Professor, member of Jing-Jin-Ji Coordinated Development Advisory Commission of CPC Central Committee, and member of Urban-Construction and Environmental Protection Committee of Beijing People's Congress.

Dr. Guo has chaired and participated in a number of key transport research projects in national and domestic level. He directed the planning and management plan of 2008 Olympic Games. He is the influential transport expert in Beijing. He has been awarded several prizes of the National Science and Technology Award, Municipal Science & Technology Progress Award.

In 2001, he received the title of Beijing Outstanding Young Scientists, and in 2004 he was awarded Special Government Allowances Prize by the State Council.

**Mr TC Chew, President of Global Business & Operations, Samsung C&T, Singapore/Korea**

Mr TC Chew is a Chartered Engineer and a Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering, UK. He has been involved with the railway and construction industries globally for over 40 years, in particularly in the UK, Singapore and Hong Kong market.

In April 2016, he joined Samsung C&T as President, Global Business & Operations after a period as Senior Advisor. Until November 2014, Mr Chew was the Projects Director with Hong Kong MTR Corporation overseeing all the railway projects in Hong Kong as well MTR's overseas ventures.

Between 2003 to 2009, he was a divisional president for Bombardier Transport on the London Underground modernisation PPP programme managing an investment of over 4 billion Sterling Pound.

Up to 2009, Mr spent 8 years with Singapore Land Transport Authority as their Senior Director for Projects and Engineering overseeing all the railway and road projects including



the North East Line, Changi Airport Extension, Sengkang and Punggol LRTs. Kallang & Paya Lebar Express, Circle Line phase 1, etc.

After graduation of University of Manchester Institute of Science and Technology in 1976, TC worked within the railway industry in various capacity including a stint with the former Singapore Mass Rapid Transit Corporation and London Underground Jubilee Line extension into the London Dockland. In 1995, TC return back to Singapore to be one of the founder member of the newly established Land Transport Authority.

During his period in London, TC was a Council member of the Railway Industry Association. In Hong Kong, TC was a Council member of the HK Construction Industry Council heading up as the Chairman for the Procurement and Sub Contracting Committee. He is an active supporter and promoter of construction industry safety and remains as the President for the Hong Kong Lighthouse Club dedicated to the welfare and safety of construction worker and personnel.

**Mr Evan Auyang, Board Director, Civic Exchange, Hong Kong**

Mr Evan Auyang is the Managing Director and Head of Asia-Pacific for Gerson Lehrman Group ("GLG"), running the firm's Asia-Pacific operations in 10 offices spanning Greater China, North Asia, Southeast Asia, India and Australia.

Prior to his role at GLG in March 2016, Mr. Auyang was the Deputy Managing Director of The Kowloon Motor Bus Company (1933) Limited ("KMB") and an Executive Director of the board of directors for Transport International Holdings – KMB's parent company listed in Hong Kong with property and media businesses, and transportation joint-ventures in Mainland China.

Mr. Auyang is extensively involved in civic work, chambers and NGOs: he is a Board Director at Civic Exchange, a non-partisan public policy think tank. Mr. Auyang serves on the Board of the American Chamber of Commerce and chairs its Environmental Steering Group. He is recently appointed by the Chief Executive of Hong Kong as a member of the Advisory Committee on Corruption of the Independent Commission Against Corruption ("ICAC"), and appointed as an Advisor of Our Hong Kong Foundation.

Mr. Auyang is on the Executive Committee of the Young Presidents' Organization (Hong Kong Chapter) where he is a member, and on the Executive Committees of Green Monday and the Young Executives Club of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce. In addition, Mr. Auyang serves on the Transport Policy Committee of the Chartered Institute of Logistics & Transport as well as the Development Fund Committee of the Hong Kong Council of Social Service.

Prior to joining GLG in 2016 and KMB/Transport International in 2009, Mr. Auyang was an Associate Partner at McKinsey & Company. Before management consultancy, Mr. Auyang was at Citigroup's derivatives structuring and marketing unit. He obtained his undergraduate degree from Brown University and his MBA degree from the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University.