# The Z Club

Inspire, Invest, Impact



## Our Mission

To inspire a new generation of value investors.

## Message from President

"We all know investment education is important but it's a very difficult subject to teach. The younger generation study only because of exams. They won't voluntarily study 'investing' for no reason. So, the key question is: how can we make them interested in investing?"

"The manga <Investor Z> has remarkable depth and thoughtfulness while retaining the fun elements of comics. Combining it with a series of online/offline education programs, we believe we can inspire our next generation to become value investors and make positive impact on the economy."

—— Shinya Deguchi, 2018



## Message from Vice President

"I came from the top schools – Nanyang Girls' High School and Hwa Chong Institution in Singapore, and Tsinghua University in Beijing – but I was practically illiterate when it comes to managing my own wealth. And, I would say most of my schoolmates were the same. They are clueless"

"I began appreciating the importance of being a value investor only when I embarked on my first job as an Investor Relations Associate at a hedge fund. As a value investor, not only I started growing my wealth, but also seeing the world and economy differently. The knowledge I gained from value investing went way beyond finance."

"<Investor Z> says 'life is an investment in itself'. We want to make differences to the life of the next generation through The Z Club."

—— Tiffany Liu, 2018



## The Z Club: Operating Team



Shinya Deguchi
PRESIDENT

Founder,

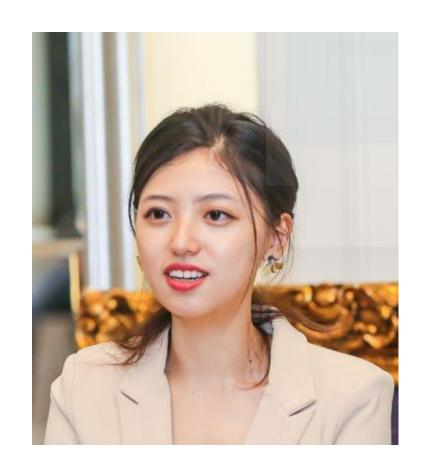
Star Magnolia Capital

Director of Research,

Cook Pine Capital

Bachelor of Science,

Washington University



Tiffany Liu VICE PRESIDENT

Investor Relations Executive,

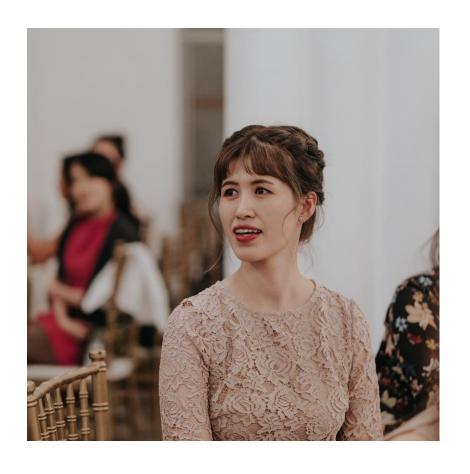
About Capital Management (HK) Ltd

Bachelor of Law,

Tsinghua University

Bachelor of Art,

Tsinghua University



Candice Xu
PARTNER

Associate, **Tianjing Municipal Government**Bachelor of Economics, **Tsinghua University** 

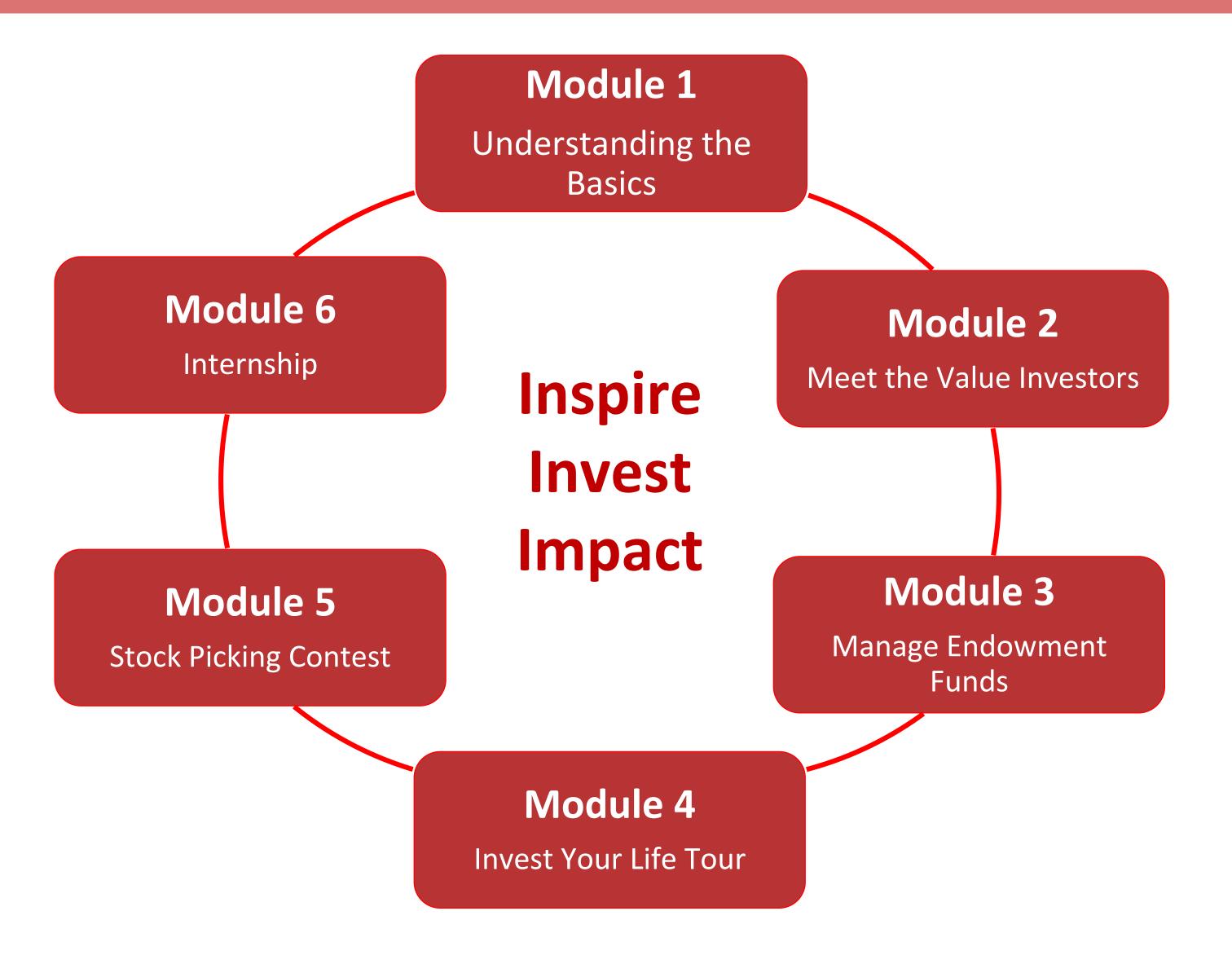


Yining Zhou
PARTNER

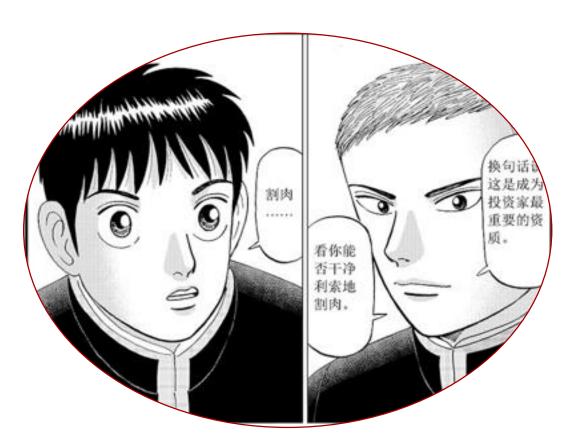
Founder,
Sozo Tech
Master of System enginerring
Waseda University
Bachelor of System Enginerring,
Waseda University

## Inspire the Next Generation

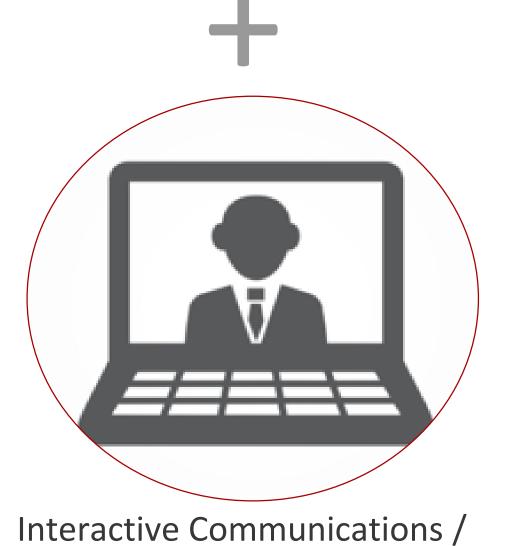
Modules Designed as a Step-by-Step Guide to Become Value Investors



## Module 1: Understanding the Basics Combine Manga and Webinars on Value Investing Education



"Investor Z" Manga as a Textbook



Webinars

#### The Z Club Module 1 Curriculum

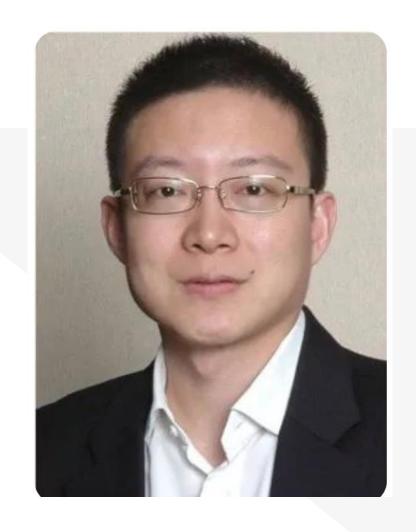
Week 1 What is Money? Who created?	Episode: 1-6
Week 2 What is investment strategy? How to buy and sell	Episode: 7-16
stocks? How to Make an Investment Decision?	Episode: 43-45
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Week 3 Who is Warren Buffett?	Episode: 17-22, 53-55
Week 4 Understanding Business Models I	Episode: 23-28, 37
(How to Analyze Companies?)	Episode: 89-92
Week 5 Invest Your Life: Equity vs. Bond	Episode: 29-30
Week 6 Importance of Innovation	Episode: 31-33, 57-59
Venture Capital	Episode: 46-51, 66-72
Week 7 Investing Helps Job Hunting	Episode: 34-46, 77-80
Week 8 Winning FX	Episode: 81-88, 92-97
Week 9 Understanding Business Models II	Episode: 98-111
(Sustainable Business Model)	Episode: 144-147
Week 10 Real Estate	Episode: 117-133
Week 11 Should I Buy Insurance?	Episode: 134-142
Week 12 Understanding Business Models III (B2B vs. B2C	Episode: 155-179



4-5 mentors guide and help Z Members

## Module 2: Meet the Value Investors

Interact with Professional Value Investors to Gain Perspectives From the Real Experiences



David Zhang
FOUNDER
Ginkgo Global Partners



Shinya Deguchi
FOUNDER
Star Magnolia Capital



Bin Chang
FOUNDER
GenBridge Capital

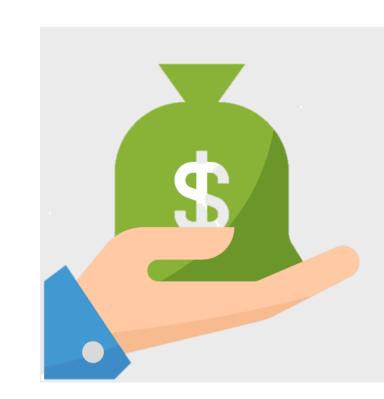


More Z Professors will join in the future!!

## Module 3: Manage Endowment Funds

Hands-on Experiences to Manage Real Money





**Sponsor:** RMB [27,000]

**Z Members:** RMB 3 x [1,000]

**Total:** RMB [30,000]

Portfolio: Maximum 6 Positions

## ANNUAL PROFITS









20%
Performance Fee
To Members

50% Re-Investment 20%
To Cover
Operational Costs

10%
Donation

### Module 4: Invest Your Life Tour

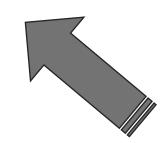
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#### **Program Itinerary for 2018**





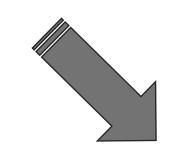
Bank of Japan
Learn about the Role of
Central Bank



#### **Visit Companies**

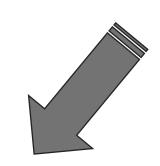
Onsite Visit at Japan's Leading Companies







Tokyo Stock Exchange
Understand the Role of Stock
Exchange





## Module 4: Invest Your Life Tour

Investment Opportunities Emerge from On-the-Ground Experiences

#### **Program Itinerary for 2018**



#### October 2 (Tue)

07:00	Breakfast Meeting
08:45	Tokyo Stock Exchange
	東京都中央区日本橋兜町 2-1
13:00	TV Tokyo
14:30	Akatsuki
	東京都新宿区新宿 2-12-13 八洲学園ビル 4 階
16:45	Meeting with Norifusa Mita (Kichijoji)
	東京都武蔵野市吉祥寺南町 4-3-11
	https://goo.gl/maps/ZxFmW3Sw8v22
20:00	Dinner

#### October 3 (Wed)

07:00	Breakfast Meeting		
09:15	JETRO		
	東京都港区赤坂1丁目12-32アーク森ビル(総合案		
	内 6 階)Tel:03-3582-5511		
11:00	Euglena (Tamachi Station)		
	東京都港区芝 5-29-11 G-BASE 田町 2・3 階		
12:30	Lunch		
13:45	Bank of Japan visit (1 hour tour)		
	東京都中央区日本橋本石町 2-1-1		
16:00	Meeting with Kazunari Okuno, Norinchukin Value		
	Investments Co., Ltd.		
	4th floor, Co-op Building, 1-1-12, Uchikanda, Chiyoda-		
	ku, Tokyo 101-0047, Japan		
18:00	Dinner at Meguro		
	予約: 小川逸佳		
	住所: 文京区本郷 2-40-13 ベルショップ本郷 103		
	(一階奥、本郷三丁目駅)電話番号: 03-5844-6369		

#### October 4 (Thu)

07:00	Breakfast Meeting	
11:00	Sasaki Koki	
12:30	Lunch	
13:00	Ota Open Factory	
	東京都大田区矢口 1-21-6 (丸子幼稚園裏)	
	Contact: Izumi (090-2870-2760)	



## Module 5: Stock Selection Competition (beta version)

Learn How to Generate and Present Investment Ideas



Value investment annual stock selection competition



Judged by prominent value investors



The winning group will secure interview opportunities with investment companies

Period	Activities	Purposes
April	<ul> <li>Organizers will select a specific industry and announce on WeChat Official Account</li> <li>Register a 3-member group to analyze an investment idea</li> <li>The Z Club members are compulsory to participate</li> </ul>	understand what constitute a good value
May	<ul><li>Submit an analysis/presentation in two weeks</li><li>8 teams will be selected to the final round</li></ul>	<ul><li>Produce an investment idea memo</li><li>Improve communication skills</li></ul>
June	<ul> <li>The winning group will secure interview opportunities for internship/full time job with investment companies</li> </ul>	

## Module 6: Internship

Internship Opportunities for Outstanding Members

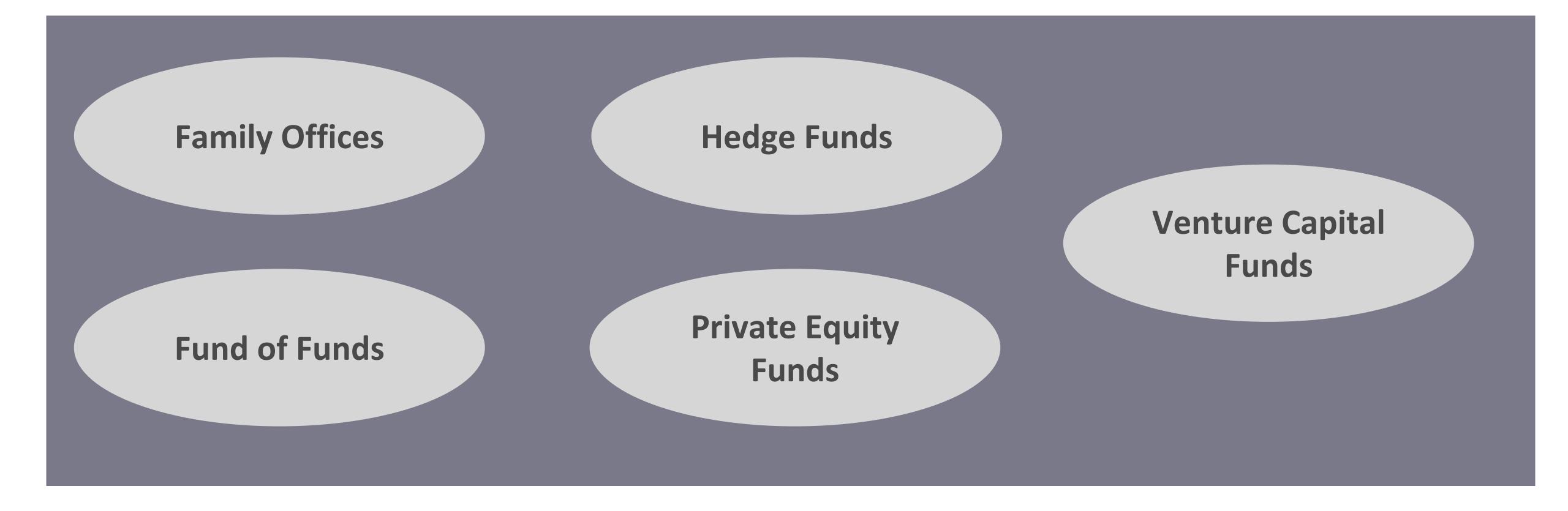


Quality of Submitted Assignments Quality of Questions Raised Quality of Stock Pitch





#### Wide Selections of Internship Opportunities



## **Selection Criteria**

Stringent Selection Process to Ensure Quality of Students



Each year up to **18 students** will be selected for maximum 4 year-term.

Students must submit their **CVs**, academic transcripts, and a one-page introduction and are required to pass at least two rounds of interviews.

Application for the Class of 2019 ends on 31 December 2018.

## Member System

Sustainable System that Ensures Passing Down of Knowledge

- Every member will join a team of three, and one team leader will be elected.
- When the leader completes his/her term of  $1^2$  years, he/she will pass the torch to another member.
- Team leaders are playing the role of portfolio managers, and are responsible for the sustainability of investment methodology and philosophy.



## Team Leaders

Our First Batch of Leaders

### **Are YOU Ready to Join Us?**

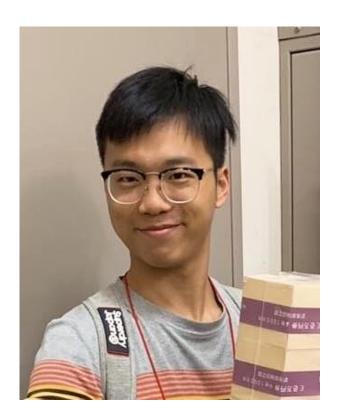




Alan Ng
Tsinghua University



**Max Tai**Zhejiang University



Sherwin Su SAIF







## Value Investing for the Next Generation



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# Get in Touch With Us

Learn more about us on our WeChat And become a value investor.

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