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Mr. Anthony S K Wong is the Director-General of Telecommunications of the Office of Telecommunications Authority of Hong Kong. After graduating from the University of Hong Kong, Mr. Wong joined the Telecommunications Branch of the Post Office in 1974. In the 14 years that followed, Mr. Wong was responsible for a range of activities of the then telecom regulator, including the modernization of spectrum management, the design of broadcasting plans, the introduction of new technologies and the liberalization of the telecommunications market. In 1988, he was appointed Assistant Postmaster General (Telecommunications), head of the Telecommunications Branch. With the establishment of the Office of the Telecommunications Authority (OFTA) in July 1993 as an independent government agency, Mr. Wong was appointed Senior Assistant Director of Telecommunications in charge of the Regulatory Affairs Branch. In March 1997, he became Director-General of Telecommunications and was appointed the Telecommunications Authority. One of the most significant achievements of Mr. Wong is spearheading the liberalization of the telecom services and facilities markets in Hong Kong in the past decade. Mr. Wong has also contributed towards the development and promotion of the information infrastructure in Hong Kong and the convergence of the computing, broadcasting and telecommunications industries. Mr. Wong was the Chairman of the Information Infrastructure Advisory Committee from 1997 to 1998. He is also a member of the Broadcasting Authority in Hong Kong.

In the international arena, Mr. Wong continued to represent Hong Kong in various international and regional telecoms conferences and events. He was elected to the position of Vice-Chairman of the Focus Group, Study Group 3 of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) in 1998. He chaired a number of Workshops and Expert Group Meetings of the ITU in 2000 on the subject of IP Telephony. He was also elected Chairman of the third World Telecommunication Policy Forum of the ITU held in Geneva in March 2001. Mr. Wong also helped to promote the telecoms achievements of Hong Kong to the global community as speaker in various occasions both locally and internationally.

Mr. Wong holds a Bachelor of Science Honours degree in Electrical Engineering, a Master of Philosophy and a Master of Social Science.