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Victor Chu was born in Canton, China and came to Hong Kong at the age of four. He received his early education in Hong Kong and England, and took his law degree at University College, London.

Victor Chu is a practising solicitor in Hong Kong and is senior partner of his law firm. Since returning from London in 1982, he has practised in the field of corporate, commercial and securities law, with special emphasis on China and regional investment transactions.

Over the last ten years, Victor Chu has served as Director and Council Member of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, Advisory Committee Member of the Securities and Futures Commission and a member of the Hong Kong Takeovers and Mergers Panel. He has also served, before and after Hong Kong's changeover, as a part-time member of Hong Kong Government's Central Policy Unit. Victor Chu is currently a member of the Law Reform Commission of Hong Kong, Council Member of the World Economic Forum and Chairman of the ICC Commission on Financial Services and Insurance. He was elected a "Global Leader for Tomorrow" by the World Economic Forum in 1998.

Victor Chu is Chairman and CEO of First Eastern Investment Group, a leading regional investment firm channeling over HK\$4 billion for direct investments in China and the Asean region. He is a founding director of FE Securities Limited, China Merchants China Direct Investments Limited, Guangdong Development Fund Limited, CMEC GE Capital China Industrial Holdings Limited, China Canton Investments Limited and Sinochem Investments Limited.

Victor Chu is admitted to practise in England, Hong Kong and Singapore. He served as a Deputy Secretary-General of the International Bar Association (IBA) from 1995 to 2000 and President of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong from 1994 to 1995.

Victor Chu is a Trustee of Mentor Foundation and WWF Hong Kong. His other civic association include service on the boards of the Asia Society, Asia House, YPO, the Salvation Army and the East Asia Institute of Cambridge University.