

Bio & Policy Statement
Correspondent Member Governor
Board of Governors 2014-2015



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Dear fellow members,

It was both an honor and a pleasure to serve as FCC club president in 2013-2014. I care very much about our great club - what we stand for, our membership, our beautiful clubhouse, and our club events.

If re-elected to the board, I would like to devote more time towards our club events. This includes engaging high profile, relevant speakers for club lunches, and organizing some popular evening events for people who are unable to leave the office at midday. I would also like us to organize a few more important professional tutorial type events on using social media tools. I think a variety of types of events can add up to an offering of something for everyone - C&J, associates, new members and long time members.

Also in the coming year, I would also like to see the board put more focus on refreshing our website as a way of disseminating information to the correspondent and journalist community. We have made some progress on this in the past year – posting FCC statements quickly and having media outlets around the world visiting our website for information over freedom of the press issues in Hong Kong and China.

Finally, I recognize the club is a popular spot not least because of the atmosphere in our main bar and restaurants. I would do as much as I can to ensure this atmosphere remains as pleasant as ever - our clubhouse stands out as a Hong Kong landmark of which we can be proud.

Bio: A long serving Reuters journalist, I am currently Editor-In-charge of Reuters TV, Asia, overseeing our financial video production and reporting across the region. I started in Reuters as an emerging markets correspondent covering stories in Eastern Europe, Africa and the Middle East. I have lived and worked in Hong Kong for over a decade, and truly love working in the region.