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President's Address at 23rd AGM on 6 August 2019

Let me first thank the SPM council and the various working committees for the support and time they have given to promote the objectives of the Society for the past six years.

Total membership of the Society as of now stands at 480 comprising 4 Honorary Fellows, 61 Fellows, 342 Ordinary Members and 73 Associate Members. We have accredited 25 Professional Project Managers under our accreditation drive.

During the past year 2018/2019, SPM had continued our engagement with our partners both internationally and locally.

We continue to be active in the Global Alliance for Project Performance Standards (GAPPS) and the Construction Project Management Committee (CPMC) of the China Construction Industry Association.

The Society will continue to be active in conducting talks and professional courses for our members as well as book launches. We are also thinking of having our inaugural Golf tournament this year.

For this year, our annual dinner will be on 20th September at the Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel.

In the last AGM, we amended our constitutions to require our office bearers to be Singapore citizens or permanent residents to better reflect that we are an association in Singapore and have a strong stake in Singapore. However there were quite a fair bit of discussion on whether we should be more restrictive and require office bearers to be Singapore citizens. As we had not proposed that option to our members in last year's AGM notice, we had defer that option to this AGM.

I look forward to your continued support and for more ideas on how we can make our Society even better.

Thank you.

Ting Seng Kiong
President
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