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# Hong Kong Academy for Wealth Legacy Gifts 'Legacy Reflection Pool' to Historic Sham Shui Po Reservoir in Collaboration with Chartwell Family Partners

**Hong Kong, 7 April 2025** — The Hong Kong Academy for Wealth Legacy (HKAWL), in collaboration with Chartwell Family Partners, has gifted the "Legacy Reflection Pool" to be displayed at the historic Ex-Sham Shui Po Service Reservoir (Ex-SSPSR), as a tribute to the Hong Kong's cultural heritage and to inspire all to celebrate the richness of city's legacy and innovate for our collective future.

On 27 March 2025, HKAWL hosted a private reception, "Legacy Escapade", in collaboration with Chartwell Family Partners, bringing together the city's leading family principals, next-generation asset owners and international guests visiting Hong Kong for the Wealth & Investment Mega Event Week. Designed to highlight Hong Kong's rich diversity beyond its metropolis allure, the event offered guests a rare, unexpected discovery of a century-old, Romanesque underground reservoir built in 1904.

At the heart of the experience was the appreciation of the "Legacy Reflection Pool", a creation by artists Mrs Sacha Yasumoto and Mr Calvin Ching, commissioned exclusively for "Legacy Escapade". The pool honours the waters that/once flowed through the reservoir, evoking the reverence ancient Romans held for water, not only as a necessity of life, but also as a source of beauty.

"As the Academy sets out to convene, equip, and mobilize wealth principals and next-gens around the world, we want to send a clear message about legacy: to be remembered, to be celebrated, and to be evolved. We are leading the charge for legacy evolution, for individuals, for families, for our communities, right here in Hong Kong," said Ms Angel Chia, Executive Director of HKAWL.

"Chartwell Family Partners is truly honoured to support this historic site, and we hope that more local and international visitors will experience Hong Kong's unique cultural heritage in the years to come," said Mr Ronald Chan, Co-Founder of Chartwell Family Partners.

Mrs. Sacha Yasumoto, Founder of Dangerous Dinners and Co-creator of the Legacy Reflection Pool, added: "The beauty of Hong Kong with its multi-cultural folds, is the chief opportunity in which we shall chart our future. A thriving creative economy encourages social discourse towards harmony among all. We should all invest boldly in this ecosystem to drive growth and innovation, and to position Hong Kong as the epicentre of cultural transformation."



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### **About Hong Kong Academy for Wealth Legacy**

The Hong Kong Academy for Wealth Legacy is committed to invigorating a vibrant ecosystem for family offices worldwide through fostering collaboration, networking, knowledge sharing, and talent development across the sector. It aims to guide next-generation wealth owners and private wealth management professionals with veteran counsel, with a view to strengthening Hong Kong's position as a principal centre for managing family wealth legacies.

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#### **About Chartwell Family Partners**

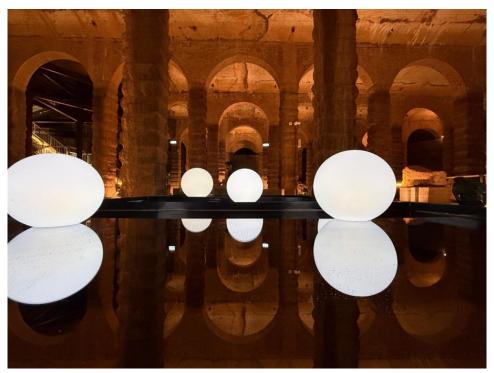
Chartwell Family Partners is a Hong Kong-based alliance of single-family offices that balances legacy, values, and dynamics to deliver bespoke solutions for evolving multi-generational needs. Co-founded by Mr Ronald Chan and Mr Samuel Wu, its partners also include Ms Melissa Fok, Mr Mahesh Harilela, Mr Alex Jiaravanont and Mr Jonathan Zeman.

#### **About Dangerous Dinners**

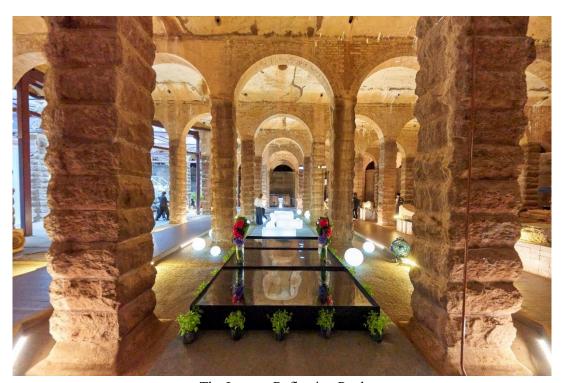
Founded by Mrs Sacha Yasumoto, wife of Dr Alex K. Yasumoto, entrepreneur, philanthropist and committed supporter of internationalization, Dangerous Dinners is a series of secretive, surprise-filled dining events that take place in Hong Kong's mostly forgotten abandoned buildings. Mrs Yasumoto is also the author of a book called "Loved Then Abandoned", featuring the same character-filled buildings.



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