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Michael is a Partner within Financial Services in PwC Hong Kong. Michael has a specialist background within PwC's Asset and Wealth Management industry group. He has more than 16 years of experience (12 of which have been spent in Hong Kong) in providing assurance and regulatory advisory services (including statutory audits and internal controls/compliance reporting engagements) to private equity funds, fund of funds, hedge funds and investment managers/advisors.

Michael has extensive knowledge in the accounting and regulatory framework in the asset management industry in Hong Kong, as well as over the operational processes and control environments of different investment funds, fund managers, trustees and administrators. Michael has experience in servicing asset and wealth management clients from fund launch through fund raising and commencement of operations to fund termination.

Michael also spent time within the Financial Services Risk and Regulatory team servicing Asset and Wealth Management clients in Hong Kong. This included performing a number of regulatory compliance and internal controls reviews and reporting. This has included third party assurance reporting engagements, SFC and MPFA regulatory compliance reviews and gap assessments and aiding clients in responding to regulator inspection and on-site review findings. Michael has also been part of the accounting technical team within the Asset and Wealth Management industry group and has been involved with various presentations as result of this role including internal training programs as well as external client seminars and PwC Publications.

Michael is a Practicing Member with The Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants and is a Fellow Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.