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## **LAUNCH OF NUSS YOUNG CHAPTER ON 28 AUGUST 2003, ORCHARD GUILD HOUSE**

The National University of Singapore Society (NUSS) has started a new chapter consisting of young members, 35 and below, to challenge young working adults and fresh graduates to take a more proactive role in NUSS and society as a whole. The launch of NUSS YC is a significant milestone as it is **the first graduate alumni body in Singapore to form a chapter to cater specially to young working adults and fresh graduates.**

The NUSS Young Chapter (NUSS YC) hopes that by bringing together young people with Vision and a Passion for life, its members will live up to its motto, "***Vision, Action, Passion***" and put into Action ideas that can make a huge contribution to society.

To mark the official launch of the NUSS YC, the NUSS will host a Launch Party at its Orchard Guild House on **28<sup>th</sup> August. Dr Vivian Balakrishnan**, Minister of State for National Development and Trade and Industry will be the Guest of Honour at the Launch Party (See Annex 1).

One of the objectives of the NUSS YC is to encourage NUSS's pool of approximately 4,000 members aged 35 years and below to socialize, network and to pool their resources. Chaired by Mr Terence Lin, the NUSS YC committee consists of 14 volunteer NUSS members.

Mr Terence Lin says, “In these uncertain times, many young people are apprehensive about their future. It is doubly important under these circumstances for young people to network and to pool their resources so that they can contribute to society and the economy. By co-operating, reaching out and helping others, I believe that we can learn the skills and form the networks necessary to help each other and to help Singapore.”

You are cordially invited to the party with your photographer/cameraman.

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## **Annex 1**

### **JOIN US AT THE NUSS YOUNG CHAPTER LAUNCH PARTY!**

Event : NUSS Young Chapter Launch Party  
Date : Thursday, 28 August 2003  
Time : 7.30 pm  
Venue : Orchard Guild House, #08-00, Cineleisure Orchard, 8  
Grange Road

#### **Programme**

7.30pm Registration & Reception  
8.00pm Welcome Speech by NUSS Young Chapter Chairperson  
– Mr Terence Lin  
8.15pm Address by NUSS President  
– Mr Lai Kim Seng  
8.30pm Address by Minister of State for National Development and Trade and Industry  
- Dr Vivian Balakrishnan  
8.45pm Launch of Young Chapter  
9.00pm “Getting To Know You”  
9.30pm Refreshments  
10.00pm End