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Official launch of the SHATEC Global Alumni

Singapore, 23 Jan 2015 – SHATEC is delighted to announce the official launch of the SHATEC Global Alumni at Recipes, the school's training restaurant at 100 High Street S179434 on Friday, 23 January 2015.

The launch of SHATEC Global Alumni is another significant milestone for the school. With more than 30,000 graduates all over the world, SHATEC Global Alumni aims to connect all our graduates in building a strong family community through various platforms. Some of our distinguished alumni include Mr Arthur Kiong, CEO of Far East Hospitality, Celebrity Chef Eric Teo, and Mr Ronald Kang, General Manager of Park Hyatt Beijing.

We are therefore happy to announce that the launch will be presided over by Mr Albert Teo, Chairman of the SHATEC Board. Mr Nicholas Lim, President of Trafalgar Asia, an alumnus from the class of 1996, will be spearheading the SHATEC Global Alumni Committee as the Chairperson.

"With a history of over 30 years of education excellence, I am truly proud of the contributions of our graduates who have kept the SHATEC flag flying high. The formation of the SHATEC Global Alumni is crucial and timely in further enhancing our reputation as a premium hospitality school." says Ms Margaret Heng, Chief Executive of SHATEC.

Mr Nicholas Lim shares, "It is indeed a privilege to be part of the SHATEC alumni, one that has consistently delivered outstanding tourism and hospitality professionals for the past 32 years. From here on, it is the vision of the executive committee to be a home where all graduates are able to network, foster new working relationships and give back to the school when called upon. These are the guiding principles that we abide by as we look to reach out to all SHATEC graduates across the world."

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About SHATEC

SHATEC was set up in 1983 by the Singapore Hotel Association to equip Singapore's hospitality industry with a skilled workforce. Since then, SHATEC has distinguished itself as arguably Singapore's most recognised hospitality school with many of its 30,000 strong alumni from more than 20 countries helming key positions in the hospitality and tourism industry. As such, SHATEC received the prestigious "Most Outstanding Contribution to Tourism" award from the Singapore Tourism Board in 1992. It is also the first institution to be inducted into the World Gourmet Summit Hall of Fame in 2009 for winning the Culinary Institution of the Year award for 4 consecutive years (2001 to 2004).

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