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Iris is a veteran urban planner having served in the forefront of Hong Kong's urban development for some 40 years. She started her career in the Hong Kong Government, and founded a planning consulting firm, City Planning Consultants Ltd., which she ran for 15 years till she joined Urban Renewal Authority (URA) in 2006 as its Executive Director. She was the Managing Director before she left the URA in 2015.

In the past few years, she has resumed offering town planning and development consultancy services in both the public and private sectors, and has been actively sharing her experience in relevant university research studies and studio projects. Dedicated to public services, Iris has contributed to the city's sustainable development through participation in various Statutory Boards and Advisory Committees such as the Housing Authority, the Council for Sustainable Development, and the Advisory Council on the Environment. She was President of the Hong Kong Institute of Planners in 1995-1997. She is a Justice of the Peace.