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Dr. Ho is responsible for shaping the team's research agenda of in-depth global macroeconomic analysis covering thematic topics, regional and country analysis, and interest rate, currency and sovereign credit market outlooks. This includes facilitating broader research efforts leveraging Franklin Templeton's local fixed income investment professionals across global markets.

Dr. Ho joined Franklin Templeton Investments in 2005 after obtaining his Ph.D. at UC Berkeley. He has been a core part of the Templeton Global Macro team since 2005, working closely with Dr. Michael Hasenstab as a lead research analyst. He specializes in global macroeconomic analysis and exchange rate modeling, and has served as the lead analyst for economies in Europe, Latin America and Africa. He also has a specialization in analyzing international monetary arrangements.

Dr. Ho holds both B.A. and Ph.D. in economics from University of California, Berkeley. His prior research analyzed international monetary arrangements. He is also fluent in Mandarin and Cantonese Chinese.