



8VI Holdings Limited unpacks “Game Changer” trends in investments for the year ahead in VI Summit 2022

From the announcement of the company’s VI App integration with third-party brokerage services, to the premiere of 8VI’s own NFTs – VI Summit 2022 was truly a Game Changer

Singapore, 24 January 2022 - Singapore-based FinEduTech firm, [8VI Holdings Limited](#) (“8VI” or the “Group”) recently explored the theme of *The Game Changer* in its **VI Summit 2022**, which ran over the weekend of **22 – 23 January**. Looking at the rise of alternative forms of investment (like NFTs and Cryptocurrencies) against the backdrop of a post-pandemic world shaken by immense disruption, the virtual summit – which saw close to 2,000 online attendees – examined revolutionary ideas and products of today anticipated to shape the personal finance and investment sphere in 2022.

As one of the largest investing conferences in Asia, VI Summit is 8VI’s annual flagship event intended as a platform for knowledge-sharing among regional investors, tapping on the expertise of renowned investors and fund managers, and featuring key insights and teachings from some of the best investing minds around the world. *Here are some of the key highlights:*

The Keynotes:

This year’s VI Summit 2022 keynotes were delivered by **Lauren Templeton** – founder and president of Templeton and Phillips Capital Management, and great-grand niece of legendary investor Sir John Templeton – and **Mohnish Pabrai**, who famously bid more than half a million dollars to have lunch with Warren Buffett in 2007, and whose fund currently manages over US\$600 million in assets.

Other speakers gracing VI Summit 2022 include:

- Gautam Baid, Founder of Stellar Wealth Partners Private Limited
- Brian Feroldi, Investor & Member of the Motley Fool
- Jack Kouzi, Director of Strategy of VFS Group
- Chris Chan, Techpreneur & Investor
- Melvin Soh, Co-Founder of X-Factor Method
- Ken Chee, Chief Executive Officer of 8VI Holdings Limited
- Clive Tan, Chief Executive Officer of VI Fund Management
- Pauline Teo, Executive Director of 8VI Holdings Limited
- Low Chern Hong, Executive Director of 8VI Malaysia Sdn Bhd
- Alex Ng, Master Speaker and Trainer of VI College



8VI collaborates with iFast to integrate brokerage services onto its VI App:

8VI also announced its collaboration with iFast Financial Pte Ltd (“iFast”) to integrate iFast’s brokerage services into the VI App, 8VI’s own smart stock analysis and screening tool, where VI App users will not only be able to analyse stocks, but also trade through their iFast accounts linked to the VI App seamlessly all in one platform.

The collaboration is the first in 8VI’s plans to onboard more partners in 2022 and expand its offerings from a stock analysis tool to a one-stop platform, connecting users with third-party services and functionalities. The move is in line with 8VI’s mission to make investments Smarter, Faster, and Easier, to empower the average man-on-the-street in achieving sustainable wealth.

The collaboration is not expected to have a material impact on the financial results of the Group for the financial year ending 31 March 2022.

Navigating a Whole New World of Investments

The future is quickly heading into the Metaverse, and as investors around the globe try to make sense of the changing landscapes to effectively navigate this new age of opportunities, 8VI intends to provide clarity into this uncharted space and is expected to roll out new programmes on NFTs, cryptocurrencies and other forms of digital assets.

“While the world is still speculating on how they can prepare for the future, we’ve already taken action and are on the path to achieve great success for it. 8VI is now leading the front for Metaverse education by having an open attitude and embracing these new opportunities, and we want to ensure that we can share that success by expanding our programs,” said Ken Chee, Chief Executive Officer of 8VI Holdings Limited. “We understand that the journey of financial literacy is one that is lifelong. Thus, in helping investors learn about investments can no longer be only kept at the basics, financial education needs to grow alongside world trends and continuously evolve to help investors stay ahead.”

To learn more about VI Summit or 8VI Holdings Ltd, visit <https://8viholdings.com/>.

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8VI Holdings Limited (“**8VI**”) is a Singapore-based FinEduTech company operating under the brand name **VI**. Established in 2008, **VI** is the representation of our beliefs and roots in Value Investing and empowers the average man-on-the-street to achieve sustainable wealth as part of their mission to make investments smarter, faster and easier.

VI App, a unique, proprietary stock analysis tool developed through 8BIT Global Pte Ltd (“8BIT”), crunches traditional financial data and simplifies the complex stock analysis and decision-making process for equity investors into easy-to-use visuals under a comprehensive framework. As a licensed Financial Adviser approved by the Monetary Authority of Singapore, 8BIT provides financial advice concerning securities and units in collective investment scheme through research analyses and research reports, through **VI App**.

With numerous offices across the Asia Pacific region, **VI College** supports a community of graduates and value investors globally through its flagship “VI Bootcamp” and other programmes. As the region’s leading FinEduTech provider, **VI College** leverages the power of technology and transforms the perception and application of value investing.

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