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Ajay Piramal

Chairman of Piramal Group & Board Member of Tata

THE MINDSET OF AN INDIAN PIONEER

Ajay Piramal is Chairman of Piramal Group, India's leading business conglomerate which employs 10,000 people in 30 countries. Mr Piramal also serves as Non-Executive Director on the Board of Tata Sons, India's largest company.

Successfully building any multinational enterprise is a challenging endeavour. Doing so from within India is yet another matter. In this exclusive interview with Ajay Piramal, we explore the mindset of one of India's most revered industrialists.

By the age of 30, Mr. Piramal was controlling the textile business which his grandfather had established in 1934. Since then he has taken the group into financial services, pharmaceuticals and real-estate. We ask Mr. Piramal to share his unique insights on what he considers fundamental to long-term success in India. We challenge him on the considerable issues which foreign investors face in navigating the complexities which underly the world's largest democracy, and explore his view of India's wider role on the global stage, particularly with regards to China and the ASEAN region.

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Date:

Thursday, April 15th 2021

Time:

11:30 CET - Filmed interview
12:30 CET - Live Q&A

Location:

Virtual Event (online)

Access:

Interview: Open to all Boardroom members
Q&A: "Executive" & "Leader" subscribers

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Number of events held in Switzerland

936

Total number of event participants

\$236B

Revenue of top-10 firms at last event

56%

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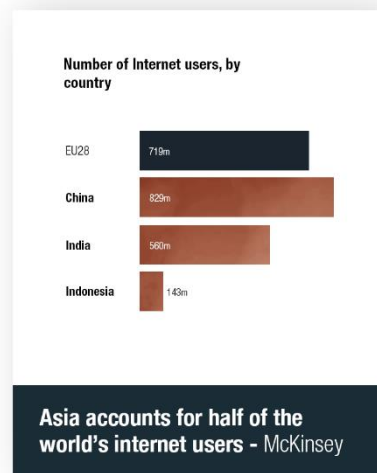
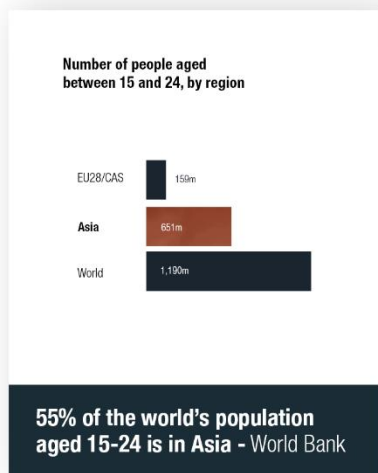
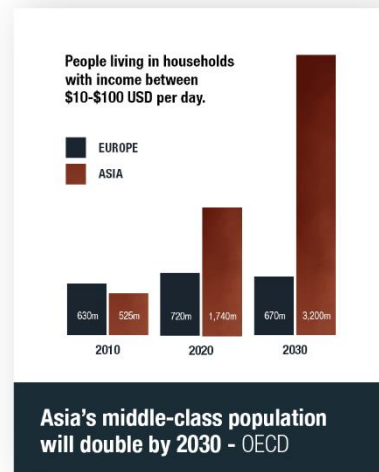
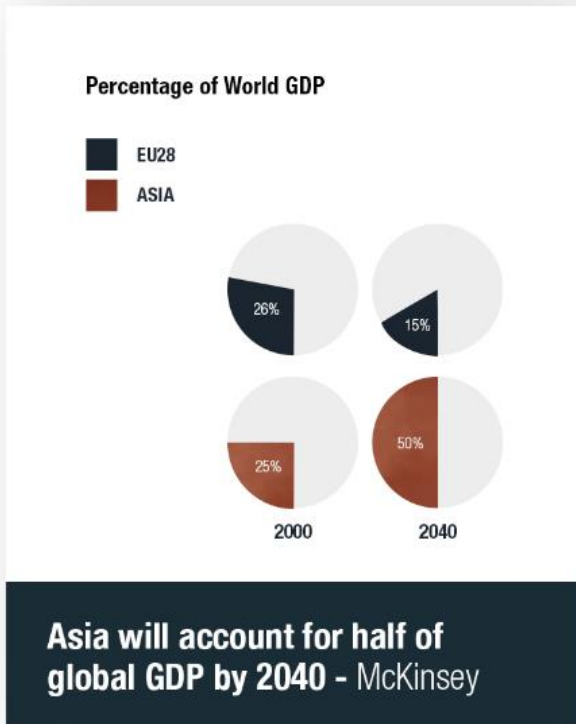
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