

communities, while optimize the financial and operational potentials of each invested business/enterprise based on stellar investment and operational management.

## **2018 Potential Project**

(In chronological order and based on planned order of work)

### **LNG**

1. Ongoing assessment and monitoring of 2017 deals/deal-related ideas.
2. Negotiate with leading U. S. LNG vendors (including Cameron LNG and Freeport LNG) to secure natural gas/LNG trading deals.
3. Explore U. S. natural gas industry midstream investment opportunities (including natural gas pipeline projects with international and U. S.-based financial institutions).

### **Energy/Commodity/Infrastructure**

4. Explore potential investment opportunity in distressed international energy company affiliates (for example, the Noble Group and affiliates).
5. Establish dialogue and explore potential cross-border investment themes (U. S. – Middle East, U. S. – Latin America) with HSBC and explore U. S. inbound domestic investment opportunities with international and U. S.-based financial institutions.

### **Energy +**

#### Energy + Technologies

6. Explore potential U. S. domestic and cross-border investment opportunities (U. S. – Latin America) with the theme of “Energy + Technology”: rare earth metal, lithium mineral assets that are vital to empower technology product manufacturing.
7. Identify potential opportunities in “Energy + Technologies” theme investment and partnership opportunities related to pollution control and energy sector related technologies and its application Energy + Manufacturing/Production.

#### Energy + Manufacturing

8. Explore potential investment opportunities in the petrochemical and energy production space.

#### Energy + Agriculture

9. Explore potential investment opportunities in the production of agriculture-commodity / agriculture-energy interface. “Energy” broadly defined, including biofuel and agricultural commodity, as vital energy/fuel source for everyday life.

### **Infrastructure +**

#### Infrastructure + Energy

10. Continue to monitor and explore deal opportunities related to logistic/transportation infrastructure to support energy production and distribution (including LNG/natural gas, oil, utilities).

#### Infrastructure + Real Estate

11. Explore infrastructure development and investment opportunities 1). that will benefit local communities, enrich real estate return or gain concessions and government grants in other local investments (primarily in the form of real estate related concessions), and 2) infrastructure and real estate combo project linked to lucrative real estate development/regional development.

#### **Other opportunities/ideas**

12. Transaction readiness program / credit management  
Foreign companies, such as in the case of Chinese companies, must face their own governments' currency / capital control rules. Unless they are investing in a worthy project with reputable foreign partners, they would not be able to transfer money out of the country. However, for the purpose of diversification, oversea deal-making and expansion opportunities, it is important for them to have funds to execute deals in the overseas market. Therefore, it is necessary to have a trust worthy fund, account manager to help facilitate the smooth flow of cross-border capital and coordinate deal flow of potential acquisitions.
13. Industry research & company research consulting support  
Though they might be leaders in their domestic market, many foreign companies face the challenge of understanding American business culture, the customs and mentalities of their American peers, while others need help with identify and connect with the appropriate American business/potential partners in their relevant industry. As such, there is a need to seek pundit advice and reference to establish contact with American counterpart, research on the business structure and industry landscape within the context of the U. S. market.