

ASX Announcement
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VANGO STRENGTHENS BOARD

Gold exploration and development company Vango Mining Limited (ASX: VAN) (Vango, the Company) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr (Hunter) Guo Yan Chao to the Vango Board of Directors as a Non-Executive Director, effective from today's date, Monday 6 January 2020.

Mr Guo is based in Sydney, Australia, and is a major commodity trader and a cornerstone investor in Vango. He is the major shareholder and senior executive of a significant Chinese commodities trading house which has annual turnover of more than US\$2 billion and generates annual profits in excess of US\$100 million.

Mr Guo has more than 25 years' experience in global commodity research and trade, and gold futures analysis and investment. Since becoming a strategic investor in Vango in 2017, his support of the Company's board and its strategy to maximise the value of its core asset, the 100%-owned very high-grade Marymia Gold project in the Mid-West region of Western Australia, has been invaluable.

His appointment will complement the Board's existing skillsets and Vango now looks forward to utilising his extensive experience in the gold industry and strategic advice at board level.

Commenting on the appointment, Vango Executive Chairman Bruce McInnes said:

"The Board recognises the significant contribution Mr Guo has made to the Company to date as a shareholder and strategic investor, and is now pleased to welcome him to the Vango Board of Directors. Mr Guo brings extensive commercial business management, deep analytical and global strategic investment expertise to the Board. As a major shareholder in our Company, he has shown a strong belief and confidence in the development and execution of our strategy for the exploration and development of our high-grade Marymia Gold Project. The Board and I now look forward to working closely with Mr Guo as we seek to accelerate plans to develop the Marymia Project into a world-class, high-grade gold mining operation."

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