

## **John William Chin**

John Chin, a native of Chinatown, attended the neighborhood schools Holy Redeemer School and Friend Select School. He is a graduate of Drexel University, where he received a degree in Business Administration and Management Information Systems. He joined RRAM and worked as an international equities trader and director of trading operations gaining strong financial management skills.

John Chin is the Executive Director of the Philadelphia Chinatown Development Corporation (PCDC), a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. He is committed to PCDC's mission of preserving, promoting, and protecting Chinatown as a diverse ethnic community. For more than ten years, he has been a volunteer with the Young Adults Group of Holy Redeemer Chinese Catholic Church and School. He serves on the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors for the Philadelphia Association of Community Development Corporations (PACDC) and sits on the Boards of the Philadelphia Council for Community Advancement (PCCA) and Philadelphia Forward, which help to serve the interests of neighborhoods and people of all income levels, especially low-income. John Chin serves on the Board of the Philadelphia Convention and Visitors' Bureau (PCVB) and Philadelphia Multicultural Affairs Congress to ensure that the interests of the community businesses are represented. His long standing in the community has been an asset in building relationships with the many different interests in the community. His participation in advocacy and service organization ensures that Chinatown's issues are represented as part of broader efforts to effect positive change for the citizens of Philadelphia.