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**“Asia at the Crossroads: Regional Priorities
for the Twenty-First Century”**

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Singapore*

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The conference “Asia at the Crossroads: Regional Priorities for the Twenty-First Century” is the CoC’s first regional conference. The gathering provides an opportunity to explore regional governance issues at close range, and to foster research and policy collaboration. The CoC will host its second regional conference, “Russia, Europe, and the Future of Global Governance,” in Moscow in December 2012, and its second annual meeting in Washington, DC, in March 2013.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Welcome

The S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS) at Nanyang Technological University (NTU) and the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR) warmly welcome you to the Council of Councils Asia Regional Conference: “**Asia at the Crossroads: Regional Priorities for the Twenty-First Century**”

CONFERENCE VENUE

Traders Hotel, Singapore
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All sessions will be held at the **Gallery** function room, on level 2 of the Traders Hotel.

Dinners

- **30 October 2012 (Tuesday)**
7.00pm
Opening Dinner : Temasek 3 & 4, Level 2, Traders Hotel
- **31 October 2012 (Wednesday)**
7.00pm
Casual Dinner : Ah Hoi’s Kitchen, Level 4, Traders Hotel

Attire

Opening Dinner	: Lounge suit with tie
Conference	: Lounge suit with tie
Casual Dinner	: Collared shirt, without tie

Council of Councils Asia Regional Conference

“Asia at the Crossroads: Regional Priorities for the Twenty-First Century”

Programme

Tuesday, October 30, 2012

Time
1900-2130 **Opening Dinner**

Welcome Remarks by:

Amb Barry Desker
Dean, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore

In Conversation with:

Mr K Shanmugam
Minister for Foreign Affairs and Minister for Law, Singapore

Moderated by:

Amb Barry Desker
Dean, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore

Wednesday, October 31, 2012

Time Session One
0900-1030 **Stabilising the Global Financial System**

Panellists:

Dr Françoise Nicolas
Director, Center for Asian Studies, French Institute of International
Relations, France

Dr Igor Yurgens
Chairman, Management Board, Institute of Contemporary Development,
Russia

Mr Memduh Karakullukçu
Vice Chairman and President, Global Relations Forum
Turkey

Moderated by:

Mr Steven Blockmans
Senior Research Fellow and Head of Unit, EU Foreign Policy, Centre for
European Policy Studies, Belgium

Guiding Questions: What reforms to the global financial architecture are still needed to contain regional crises and prevent a repeat of the global crisis that began in 2008? What has been the impact of the eurozone crisis on Asia's economic prospects and Asian regional integration? What can Asia-Pacific nations do within the Group of 20 (G20) or other forums to contain spill overs from the eurozone?

Time
1030-1045 **Coffee Break**

Time
1045-1215 **Session Two**
Advancing Trade Liberalisation

Panellists:

Amb Enrique Berruga
President, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations, Mexico

Prof Steven Blockmans
Senior Research Fellow and Head of Unit, EU Foreign Policy, Centre for
European Policy Studies, Belgium

Amb Yoshiji Nogami
President, Japan Institute of International Affairs, Japan

Moderated by:

Mr Richard Haass
President, Council on Foreign Relations, USA

Guiding Questions: What types of reforms to global trade governance are needed to spur global economic growth? What does the failure of the Doha Development Round suggest for the future of the World Trade Organization (WTO)? What can be done to advance trade liberalization within the Asia-Pacific region?

Time
1215-1400 **Lunch**

Speaker:

Prof Tommy Koh
Chairman, Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore
and Ambassador-at-Large, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore

Moderated by:

Amb Barry Desker
Dean, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore

Time Session Three
1415-1545 **Strengthening Maritime Security and Freedom of Navigation**

Panellists:

Dr Tim Huxley
Executive Director, International Institute for Strategic Studies – Asia, UK

Mr Jusuf Wanandi
Senior Fellow and Vice Chair of the Board of Trustees of CSIS Foundation,
Center for Strategic and International Studies, Indonesia

Mr Yasushi Kudo
Representative, Genron NPO, Japan

Moderated by:

Mr Stewart Patrick
Senior Fellow and Director, Council on Foreign Relations
USA

Guiding Questions: What should be the role of regional versus global institutions in managing competing interests in the South China Sea? What role can the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea play in helping to resolve current disputes? Can a binding code of conduct agreeable to all parties be established?

Time
1545-1600 **Coffee Break**

Time Session Four
1600-1700 **Assessing the Proliferation Threat in Asia**

Panellists:

Prof Sook-Jung Lee
President, East Asia Institute, South Korea

Prof Rajesh Manohar Basrur
Professor and Coordinator of South Asia Programme,
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore

Moderated by:

Mr Jusuf Wanandi
Senior Fellow and Vice Chair of the Board of Trustees
Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)
Indonesia

Guiding Questions: What are the major threats to the nuclear non-proliferation regime? What challenges do North Korea and Iran pose to this regime, and what are the prospects for effective multilateral action in addressing their ambitions? What global governance changes are required to ensure that the spread of nuclear energy – including in the Asia-Pacific – does not contribute to nuclear proliferation?

Time Session Five
1700-1800 **The Future of Asian Security Cooperation**

Panellists:

Professor Jiemian Yang
President, Shanghai Institutes for International Studies (SIIS), China

Fen Osler Hampson
Director, Global Security Program
Centre for International Governance Innovation (CIGI)

Moderated by:

Amb Barry Desker
Dean, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore

Guiding Questions: What roles do the different security arrangements play in promoting security cooperation in Asia? How might they promote the peaceful rise of emerging powers? What avenues can they provide for the diffusion of flash points in the region? Can the varying security interests of both larger and smaller powers be managed in these fora? Are changes needed as the geopolitical balance in Asia evolves, and if so, what?

Time
1800-1830 **Closing Remarks**
Dr Richard Haass
President, Council on Foreign Relations, USA

Amb Barry Desker
Dean, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore

Time
1900-2030 **Casual Dinner**

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His work focuses on South Asian security, global nuclear politics, international relations theory and human security. He has authored four books, including *South Asia's Cold War* (Abingdon and New York: Routledge, 2008) and *Minimum Deterrence and India's Nuclear Security* (Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press, 2006). He has also edited six books, including (with Koh Swee Lean) *Nuclear Power and Energy Security in Asia: Critical Debates* (Abingdon and New York: Routledge, 2012); and *Challenges to Democracy in India* (New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2009). He has published over 75 research papers in *Contemporary South Asia*, *India Review*, *Journal of Peace Research* and other journals and edited volumes. He is currently writing a book manuscript on the domestic politics of India's foreign and security policies for Georgetown University Press.

Ambassador Enrique Berruga Filloy is President of the Mexican Council on Foreign Affairs. He previously served as Vice President of Communication and Corporative Relations in Grupo Modelo. Throughout his diplomatic career he served as Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations, Ambassador of Mexico to Costa Rica and Personal Representative of the President of Mexico to the United Nations Reform. He also worked in the Mexican Embassies in Ireland, the United States and Britain. In the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, he has served as Assistant Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Chief of Staff of the Secretary and General Secretary of the Mexican Commission for UNESCO.

He was also Executive Director of the Mexican Institute for International Cooperation and General Director of Foreign Affairs at the Ministry of Education. He is a member of the Governing Board of the International Peace Academy and has been decorated by the governments of Germany, Spain, Japan, Panama, and Sweden. He has authored several books and articles, most recently "Destination Los Pinos" (Destino los Pinos) and "Mexico in the World" (Mèxico en el mundo).

In academia, he has taught foreign policy, U.S. foreign policy and Theory of Foreign Policy in the Autonomous Technological Institute of Mexico (ITAM). He has a Bachelor of Arts in Foreign Affairs from El Colegio de México and a Master's Degree in International Economy and Theory of the International Relations from The Johns Hopkins University in the United States.

Prof Steven Blockmans is senior research fellow and head of the EU foreign policy unit at the Brussels-based think tank Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS). His expertise lies at the crossroads of international and EU law and governance. He has published widely on the EU's institutional structures for external action, its role in global governance, norm promotion (inside out) and norm absorption (outside in), EU security issues and conflict resolution, relations with the Western Balkans and the Middle East. Blockmans has worked on numerous technical assistance projects in transition countries, mainly in the European Union's periphery but also in Asia. From 2007 to 2009 he served as a long-term expert on

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Blockmans is one of the founding members of the Centre for the Law of EU External Relations (CLEER), Professor of EU External Relations Law and Governance at the University of Amsterdam (part-time) and a visiting professor at the University of Leuven, where he teaches the law of international organisations and European security law. Before joining CEPS, Blockmans was the head of the department of research at the T.M.C. Asser Institute, an inter-university research centre based in The Hague. Blockmans holds a PhD in law from Leiden University, where he worked as a lecturer from 1998 until 2002.

Ambassador Barry Desker is the Dean of the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Nanyang Technological University (NTU) and concurrently Director, Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies, NTU. He is the inaugural Bakrie Professor of Southeast Asia Policy. Ambassador Desker is a Member of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights, Singapore.

He was the Chief Executive Officer of the Singapore Trade Development Board from 1994 to 2000, after serving in the foreign service since 1970. He was Singapore's Ambassador to Indonesia from 1986 to 1993, Deputy Secretary and Director of the Policy, Planning and Analysis Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, from 1984 to 1986 and Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations, New York, from 1982 to 1984.

He is also Non-Resident Ambassador of Singapore to the Holy See and Spain and Chairman of Singapore Technologies Marine. He was educated at the University of Singapore, University of London and Cornell University.

Dr Ettore Greco is Director of the IAI and also heads the transatlantic program of the institute. He worked as visiting fellow at the Brookings Institution from January 2006 to July 2007. He taught at the universities of Parma and Bologna. From 2000 to 2006 he worked as correspondent for the Economist Intelligence Unit. From 1993 to 2000 he directed the IAI's program on Central and Eastern Europe. He was also Deputy Director of the IAI from 1997 to 2008.

He is the author of a number of publications on the EU's institutions and foreign policy, transatlantic relations and the Balkans. He has been a free-lance journalist since 1988.

Dr Richard Haass is president of the Council on Foreign Relations, a position he has held since July 2003. The Council on Foreign Relations is an independent, nonpartisan membership organization, think tank, and publisher dedicated to being a resource for its members, government officials, business executives, journalists, educators and students, civic and religious leaders, and other interested citizens in order to help them better understand the world and the foreign policy choices facing the United States and other countries.

Dr Haass is the author or editor of eleven books on American foreign policy and one book on management. His next book, *Foreign Policy Begins at Home: The Case for Putting America's House in Order*, will be published by Basic Books in May 2013.

From January 2001 to June 2003, Dr Richard Haass was director of policy planning for the Department of State, where he was a principal adviser to Secretary of State Colin Powell. Confirmed by the U.S. Senate to hold the rank of ambassador, Dr Haass also served as U.S. coordinator for policy toward the future of Afghanistan and U.S. envoy to the Northern Ireland peace process. For his efforts, he received the State Department's Distinguished Honor Award.

Dr Haass has extensive additional government experience. From 1989 to 1993, he was special assistant to President George H.W. Bush and senior director for Near East and South Asian affairs on the staff of the National Security Council. In 1991, Dr Haass was awarded the Presidential Citizens Medal for his contributions to the development and articulation of U.S. policy during Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm. Previously, he served in the Departments of State (1981-85) and Defense (1979-80) and was a legislative aide in the U.S. Senate.

Dr Haass also was vice president and director of foreign policy studies at the Brookings Institution, the Sol M. Linowitz visiting professor of international studies at Hamilton College, a senior associate at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, a lecturer in public policy at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government, and a research associate at the International Institute for Strategic Studies. A Rhodes Scholar, Dr Haass holds a BA from Oberlin College and Master and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from Oxford University. He has received honorary degrees from Hamilton College, Franklin & Marshall College, Georgetown University, Oberlin College, Central College, and Miami Dade College.

Dr Fen Osler Hampson is a distinguished fellow and Director of the Global Security Program at CIGI. Most recently, he served as director of the Norman Paterson School of International Affairs (NPSIA) and will continue to serve as chancellor's professor at Carleton University in Ottawa, Canada.

Fen holds a Ph.D. from Harvard University where he also received his A.M. degree (both with distinction). He also holds an MSc. (Econ.) degree (with distinction) from the London School of Economics and a B.A. (Hon.) from the University of Toronto. Fen is the author or co-author of nine books and editor or co-editor of more than 25 other volumes. In addition, he has written more than 100 articles and book chapters on international affairs.

Dr Alfredo Tjiurimo Hengari submitted his doctoral dissertation for defence at the Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, where he completed a Master degree in Political Science (International Relations). He also holds a Master degree of International Studies from the University of Stellenbosch, South Africa and a Bachelor of Arts in Politics and Sociology from the University of Namibia. In 2010, he lectured in international relations at the University of Cape Town, South Africa. In the first half of 2011, he served as a scholar in residence at the Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation in Uppsala, Sweden. During the academic year 2011/2012, Hengari taught a course on 'Europe in the World' at Rouen Business School in France. He also worked as a research intern in 2007 at the United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations in New York. From 2002 to 2003, he served as the chef de cabinet and senior special assistant to the Prime Minister of the Republic of Namibia. He has acted as a consultant to the United Nations in Burundi, and is a regular commentator on international and African affairs in the South African and Namibian media.

Dr Tim Huxley has worked for many years in the overlap between strategic studies and Asian area studies, his research focusing particularly on Southeast Asian states' security and defence policies. His PhD is from the Australian National University, and he has held research and teaching positions in British and Australian universities, and was a Fellow at the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies in Singapore from 1985-7. Before joining the IISS in 2003, he was Reader in South-East Asian Politics and Director of the Centre for South-East Asian Studies at the University of Hull. His major publications include *Defending the Lion City. The Armed Forces of Singapore* (Allen & Unwin, 2000). He became Executive Director of IISS-Asia, based full-time in Singapore, in April 2007.

Mr Memduh Karakullukçu is the Vice-Chairman and President of Global Relations Forum, the Managing Partner at Kroton Consulting, and the Founding Partner of the online legal informatics initiative, kanunum.com. His advisory work specializes in higher education and technology policy, and analysis of international economic and political affairs. He has served as the senior advisor to the Chairwoman of Turkish Industrialists and Businessmen's Association (TÜSİAD) during 2007-2010. Previously, Mr Karakullukçu was the Founding Managing Director of Istanbul's leading science park, Istanbul Technical University (İTÜ) ARI Teknokent, currently an innovation community of 80 technology companies. During this period, Mr Karakullukçu also served as the senior advisor to the President of Istanbul Technical University (İTÜ), the Coordinator of the Law Technology and Policy MSc programme and the strategic advisor at the ITU Remote Sensing Facility. He has been a member of the academic staff at the LSE and ITU. Earlier in his career, he has worked as a specialist in structured finance at the London and Istanbul offices of an international investment bank (1992-1994). His previous academic work includes research commissioned by the IMF and the World Bank on the dynamics of Turkish debt markets. He has presented his work on technology and innovation policy at various international fora like the OECD, NATO ARW, SEFI and AURP. Mr Karakullukçu received his B.S. in Electrical Engineering and B.S. in Economics at MIT, M.Sc. in Finance at the LSE and his J.D. at Columbia University. He is a member of the New York State Bar.

Mr Yasushi Kudo was born in 1958. After finishing a master's course at the Graduate School of Economics of the Yokohama City University, he joined Toyo Keizai, Inc., publisher of a leading business weekly magazine "Shukan Toyo Keizai," and was later appointed editor of "Financial Business," a monthly magazine specializing in financial business and "Debate: Toyo Keizai," a bimonthly issue-oriented magazine."

In November 2001, Kudo established Genron NPO, a not-for-profit organization, and became its Representative. As an independent, non-partisan and non-profit think tank, Genron NPO conducts evaluations of major political parties' election pledges and of incumbent administration's performances. In terms of activities in Asia, in 2005, it established an influential high-level, private-sector channel of dialogue (Tokyo-Beijing Forum) between Japan and China, and conducts opinion survey annually.

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Dr Stewart Patrick is senior fellow and director of the International Institutions and Global Governance Program at the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR). His areas of expertise include multilateral cooperation in the management of global issues; U.S. policy toward international institutions, including the United Nations; the challenges posed by fragile, failing, and post-conflict states; and the integration of U.S. defence, development, and diplomatic instruments in U.S. foreign and national security policy. Dr Patrick is the author of the book *Weak Links: Fragile States, Global Threats, and International Security*, and he writes the blog, "The Internationalist."

From February 2005 to April 2008, he was research fellow at the Center for Global Development. He directed the Center's research and policy engagement on the intersection between security and development, with a particular focus on the relationship between weak states and transnational threats and on the policy challenges of building effective institutions of governance in fragile settings. He also served as a professorial lecturer in international relations/conflict management at Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies.

From September 2002 to January 2005, Dr Patrick served on the secretary of state's policy planning staff, with lead staff responsibility for U.S. policy toward Afghanistan and a range of global and transnational issues. His portfolio included conducting analysis and providing recommendations for U.S. policies on weak and failing states, post-conflict reconstruction, development, refugees and migration, international law enforcement, and global health affairs. He joined the staff as an international affairs fellow at CFR. Prior to government service, Patrick was from 1997 to 2002 a research associate at the Center on International Cooperation at New York University. In that capacity he designed and ran two multi-scholar research programs on post-conflict reconstruction and on multilateralism and U.S. foreign policy. He also taught U.S. foreign policy at NYU as an adjunct professor of political science.

He graduated from Stanford University and received his doctorate in international relations, as well as two masters' degrees, from Oxford University, where he was a Rhodes Scholar. He is the author, co-author, or editor of five books and the author of numerous articles and chapters on the subjects of multilateral cooperation, state-building, and U.S. foreign policy.

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