Program for

PECC 22nd General Meeting

Economic Cooperation in Asia Pacific: 2014 and Beyond

10-11 September 2014, Beijing International Hotel

Overview

This year marks the 25th anniversary of APEC and the 20th anniversary of the Bogor Goals. China is a significant partner to regional economic development and cooperation. As host of APEC meetings for 2014, China is committed to “Shaping the Future through Asia Pacific Partnership”, which will be promoted through work under three priorities, “Advancing Regional Economic Integration”, “Promoting Innovative Development, Economic Reform and Growth”, and “Strengthening Comprehensive Connectivity and Infrastructure Development”.

As a champion of regional economic cooperation and a founding partner, PECC has an important role to play in helping the APEC policy making process by providing intellectual support. PECC has been not only working on the agenda items of regional economic cooperation for 2014 but also thinking big of the future of regional economic cooperation and integration, on the basis of profound understanding of the mandate of APEC and that of PECC per se.

The PECC 22nd General Meeting will be held about two months prior to the APEC informal economic leaders’ meeting. This will create a unique opportunity for PECC members to provide intellectual input into this year’s APEC process and beyond. It is also a good opportunity to look at China’s economic development and its economic policy orientation.

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<td>The New Normal: Economic Restructuring in the Asia-Pacific</td>
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<td>The Asia Pacific economies are entering a “new normal” featuring moderate growth, in-depth economic restructuring in both developed and developing economies, and regional economic integration-cum-fragmentation. There is an urgent need for enhanced policy coordination in the implementation of reform policies. The original vision of a deeply integrated Asia-Pacific offers the best pathway to continued economic prosperity. We will discuss</td>
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- the role of APEC in promoting policy coordination and cooperation on structural reform

**Moderator**
- Tan Sri Rastam bin Mohd. Isa, *Chief Executive, Institute of Strategic and International Studies*

**Keynote Speeches**
- Wang Yiming, *Deputy Secretary General, National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC), PRC*
- Alfred Schipke, *Senior Resident Representative, Office in PRC, IMF*

**Speakers**
- Peter Petri, *Professor, Brandeis University*
- Jorge Heine, *Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Chile to the People’s Republic of China*
- Allan Gyngell, *Senior Advisor, Australian Pacific Economic Cooperation Committee (AUSPECC)*

**Q&A Session**

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<td>China’s Economic Reform and Its Implications for Regional Economic Cooperation</td>
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<td>With the ever rising position of China’s economy in the world, especially in the region, its role of No.1 trade partner to a considerable number of regional economies, and its ever increasing pile of both inbound and outbound direct investment, China’s economic development and reform agenda has long become the focus of attention in the region. With all the difficulties and challenges, the Chinese Government goes headway with the grand reform agenda. What are the implications for regional economic cooperation?</td>
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<td>Exploring the New Drivers and New Ways for Economic Growth</td>
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<td>While the global economy is showing some signs of recovery, the risks and uncertainties still exist and the steps toward revival are weak. As the locomotive of the global economy, the Asia Pacific region should put innovative development, economic reform and growth high on the agenda of regional economic cooperation. We will discuss</td>
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<td>- identify new drivers, and new ways for economic growth</td>
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<td>- avoid middle income trap in developing economies</td>
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<td>- define the role of APEC in promoting new growth modes for the benefits of member economies</td>
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**Keynote Speech**
- Il Houn Lee, *President, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy*

**Speakers**
- Christophe Bahuet, *Country Director, United Nations Development Program (UNDP)*
- Winichai Chamchaeang, *Director, International Institute for Asia Pacific Studies, Bangkok University*
- Wendy Dobson, *Director, Institute for International Business; Professor, Joseph L. Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto*
- Zang Jianjun, *Executive Director, China CEFC Energy Company Limited*

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### Concurrent Session I

**Urbanization and Sustainable Development of Cities:**

*A Ready Engine to Promote Economic Growth and Cooperation*

Urbanization has been a key driver of growth. Both developed and developing economies are faced with the challenge of developing their cities in a sustainable way. At the same time many cities in the region remain unconnected to the regional and global economies. The challenge is three-fold to promote cities as centers of growth; avoid the chokepoints that will hold back further development; and connect the region's cities. We will discuss:

- urbanization as an economic engine
- best practice sharing
- APEC’s role to play

**Moderator**

- Michel Rocard, Chair, France Pacific Territories National Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation

**Keynote Speech**

- Chen Ying, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Urban and Environmental Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

**Speakers**

- Chul Chung, Executive Director, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy
- Wang Chunchuang, Research Fellow, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
- Tan Khee Giap, Associate Professor of Public Policy, National University of Singapore
- Wan Portiah Wan Hamzah, Senior Fellow, Institute of Strategic and International Studies, Malaysia

**Q&A Session**

### Concurrent Session II

**The Energy Challenge of Sustainable Development and Energy Security**

The Asia Pacific region as the fastest developing region area in the world is keen to advance energy security, improve energy efficiency and increase the clean energy supply. The manifold rationale includes boosting economic growth, mitigating the effects of climate change, saving energy, and protecting environment. We will discuss:

- new situation of supply and demand and regional energy cooperation
- develop the strategic plan of renewable energy from both demand and supply sides
- navigate a smooth energy transition

**Moderator**

- Eduardo Pedrosa, Secretary General, Pacific Economic Cooperation Council (PECC)

**Speakers**

- Li Junfeng, National Center for Climate Change Strategy and International Cooperation, PRC
- Henri Boyé, Coordinator of the Climate and Energy College, French Ministry of Ecology, Sustainable Development and Energy
- Mutsumi Nishimura, Visiting Research Fellow, Japan Institute of International Affairs
- Jargalsaikhan Dambdarjaa, Secretary General, Mongolian National Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation (MONPECC)
- Shi Ze, Director, Center for International Energy Strategy Studies, China Institute of International Studies

**Q&A Session**

### Concurrent Session III

**Global Value Chains (GVCs): A New Perspective on Trade and Investment**

Global Value Chains (GVCs) has important implications for trade and investment patterns and policies and offers new prospects for growth, development and jobs. The trade and investment liberalization and facilitation process in the Asia Pacific region can be better appreciated and promoted from the perspective of GVCs. We will discuss:

- role of trade in service in GVCs
- new statistical approach of trade
- how to enable developing economies to participate in GVCs
- regional trade agreements (RTAs) from the perspective of GVC

**Moderator**

- Denis McNamara, Consultant, Lowndes Associates

**Keynote Speeches**

- Christopher Findlay, Executive Dean, Faculty of Professions, University of Adelaide, Australia
- Lin Guijun, Vice President, University of International Business and Economics (UIBE), China

**Speakers**

- Brian Lynch, Senior Fellow, Centre for Strategic Studies, University of Wellington
- David Hong, President, Taiwan Institute of Economic Research
- Antonio I. Basilio, President, Philippine Foundation for Global Concerns, Inc.
- Zheng Yuewen, Chairman, Creat Group

**Q&A Session**
Concurrent Session IV  
Chinese Entrepreneurs Participating in Regional Economic Cooperation

In recent years, the Chinese entrepreneurs have been going abroad for investment. They have experienced successes and failures. With the ever deepening economic integration, it is even more important to promote exchange of information, experience sharing, and mutual understanding between the Chinese investors and their counterparts.

- the current situation of the Chinese overseas investment and business
- the expectation of the overseas markets on the Chinese Investors
- toward a better environment for the Chinese investors

Moderator
- Stephen Y L Cheung, President, Professor, Hong Kong Institute of Education

Speakers
- Hugh Stephens, Executive-in-Residence, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada
- Ni Xiangyu, Director, Binhai New District Administration, Tianjin Municipality
- Wu Wei, Executive Director, Committee for International Eco-tech Cooperation, CNCPEC
- Yan Jiehe, President, Pacific Business School and Board Chairman of Susun Group
- Winichai Chamchaeng, Director, International Institute for Asia Pacific Studies, Bangkok University

Q&A Session

Day 2, 11 September 2014

Session III  
Financial Cooperation in Asia Pacific: Status Quo and Prospects

The financial cooperation in the Asia Pacific region lags way behind cooperation in other economic domains. In the economic new normal of the Asia Pacific region, financial cooperation has an important role to play to promote economic growth. We will discuss

- monetary policy coordination
- capital market
- financial regulation
- internationalization of RMB

Moderator
- Yoshiji Nogami, President, Japan Institute of International Affairs

Keynote Speech
- Xuan Changneng, Director General, Financial Stability Bureau, the People’s Bank of China

Speakers
- Xiao Geng, Vice President of Research, Fung Global Institute
- Juan Antonio Ketterer, Division Chief, Capital Markets & Financial Institutions, Inter-American Development Bank
- Pariwat Kanithasen, Head, ASEAN Team, Bank of Thailand
- Kenneth Waller, Director, the Australian APEC Study Centre, RMIT University

Q&A Session

Coffee Break
Session IV  
Regional Economic Integration: Principles, Pathways, and Vision  
The economic integration of Asia-Pacific region has stepped into a critical stage. Economic integration and fragmentation in the Asia Pacific region are the major concern for the region. The region can wait no longer to work on the principles and pathways of regional economic integration. A long term vision is in urgent need with the 2020 deadline of Bogor Goals drawing near and the mega-regional free trade arrangements taking shape. At the same time, the leaders in the Asia Pacific region should be always reminded of their role to contribute to the multilateral trading system.
- principles, pathways, and framework of FTAAP  
- how to make a meaningful start of FTAAP process  
- revitalizing the Multilateral Trade Negotiations

Moderator  
- Ian Buchanan, Senior Executive Advisor, Booz & Company

Keynote Speech  
- Zhang Yunling, Director, Academician Group for International Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Speakers  
- Charles Morrison, President, East West Center  
- Hank Lim, Senior Research Fellow, Singapore Institute of International Affairs  
- Naoyuki Yoshino, Dean, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI)  
- Adriana Roldán, Academic Coordinator, Asia Pacific Studies Centre, EAFIT University, Colombia  
- Christopher Findlay, Executive Dean, Faculty of Professions, University of Adelaide, Australia  
- Robert Scollay, Director, APEC Study Centre, University of Auckland, New Zealand

Q&A Session

1215-1230  
Grand Hall A  
Concluding Session  
Closing Remarks  
- Tang Guoqiang, Chair, China National Committee for Pacific Economic Cooperation (CNCPEC)  
- Donald Campbell, Co-Chair, PECC; Distinguished Fellow, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada; Senior Strategy Advisor, Davis LLP

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1230-1400  
Grand Hall B  
Working Luncheon  
APEC on Its Way Forward  
Moderator  
- Donald Campbell, Co-Chair, PECC; Distinguished Fellow, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada; Senior Strategy Advisor, Davis LLP

Guest of Honor  
- A ministerial official of Ministry of Foreign Affairs, People’s Republic of China (TBC)

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