

CONFERENCE ON

**Services Liberalization in ASEAN:
Foreign Direct Investment in Logistics Sector****15-16 November 2016
ISEAS Seminar Rooms 1 & 2
Singapore****PROGRAMME***(as at 7 November 2016)***Tuesday, 15 November 2016**

8.30 am – 9.00 am Registration

9.00 am – 9.10 am **Opening Remarks***Dr Francis HUTCHINSON*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute9.10 am – 9.45 am **Introduction***Dr THAM Siew Yean*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS-Yusof Ishak Institute*Ms Sanchita Basu DAS*
Fellow, ASEAN Studies Centre, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Q&A

9.45 am – 10.30 am Country Studies: Singapore**Liberalization of the Logistics Industry in Singapore: Bilateral,
Regional and Multilateral Approaches**Chairperson: *Dr Francis HUTCHINSON*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak InstitutePresenters: *Ms Sanchita Basu DAS*
Fellow, ASEAN Studies Centre, ISEAS - Yusof
Ishak Institute*Ms Evelyn OOI*
Senior Research Analyst, TRPC, Singapore

Q&A

10.30 am – 10.45 am Coffee

10.45 am – 11.30 am

Country Studies: Philippines

Liberalization in the Logistics Sector: Philippines

Chairperson: *Associate Professor TOH Mun Heng*
Department of Strategy & Policy, NUS Business
School, National University of Singapore

Presenter: *Dr Gilberto M LLANTO*
President, Philippine Institute for Development
Studies

Q&A

11.30 am – 12.15 pm

Country Studies: Thailand

Logistics Services Liberalization in Thailand

Chairperson: *Associate Professor TOH Mun Heng*
Department of Strategy & Policy, NUS Business
School, National University of Singapore

Presenter: *Associate Professor Ruth BANOMYONG*
Department of International Business, Logistics &
Transport, Thammasat University

Q&A

12.15 pm – 1.15 pm

Lunch

1.15 pm – 2.00 pm

Country Studies: Malaysia

FDI Liberalization in Malaysia's Logistics Services

Chairperson: *Associate Professor Teofilo C DAQUILA*
Department of Southeast Asian Studies, Faculty of
Arts & Social Sciences, National University of
Singapore

Presenter: *Dr THAM Siew Yean*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Q&A

2.00 pm – 2.45 pm

Country Studies: Vietnam

Service Liberalization in Vietnam and a Case Study of Foreign Direct Investment in Vietnam's Logistics Sector

Chairperson: *Associate Professor Teofilo C DAQUILA*
Department of Southeast Asian Studies, Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences, National University of Singapore

Presenter: *Dr NGUYEN Anh Thu*
Vice Rector, Faculty of International Business and Economics, VNU University of Economics and Business

Q&A

2.45 pm – 3.00 pm

Tea

3.00 pm – 3.45 pm

Country Studies: Indonesia

Improving the Performance of the Logistic Sector in Indonesia

Chairperson: *Dr Siwage Dharma NEGARA*
Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Presenter: *Dr Titik ANAS*
Managing Director, Rumah Riset Presisi Indonesia, PT

Q&A

3.45 pm – 4.30 pm

Country Studies: Brunei

Logistics and FDI: A Study on Brunei's Perspective

Chairperson: *Dr Siwage Dharma NEGARA*
Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Presenter: *Dr Joyce TEO Siew Yean*
Assistant Vice Chancellor and Vice President (Global Affairs), Universiti Brunei Darussalam

Q&A

Wednesday, 16 November 2016

9.00 am – 9.45 am

Country Studies: Laos

Services Liberalization in Lao PDR: FDI in Logistics Sector of a Land-linked Country

Chairperson: *Dr Cassey LEE*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Presenter: *Dr Phanhpakit ONPHANHDALA*
Deputy Director, Laos-Japan Institute, National University of Laos

Q&A

9.45 am – 10.00 am

Coffee

10.00 am – 10.45 am

Country Studies: Myanmar

Facilitating FDI in logistics sector in Myanmar: how can it help develop agricultural exports?

Chairperson: *Dr Cassey LEE*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Presenter: *Dr Min Ye Paing Hein*
Economist, Trade and Competitiveness, World Bank Office, Myanmar

Q&A

10.45 am – 11.30 am

Country Studies: Cambodia

Foreign Direct Investment and Logistics Sector in Cambodia

Chairperson: *Dr Cassey LEE*
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Presenter: *Dr Vannarith CHHEANG*
Southeast Asia Programme, Nippon Foundation

Q&A

11.30 noon – 12.00 noon **Closing Remarks**

Dr THAM Siew Yean
Senior Fellow, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

Ms Sanchita Basu DAS
Fellow, ASEAN Studies Centre, ISEAS - Yusof Ishak Institute

12.00 noon – 1.00 pm

Lunch