

**JOHOR ECONOMIC UPDATE**  
**Friday, 23 February 2018**  
**ISEAS Seminar Rooms 1 & 2**  
**Singapore**

**PROGRAMME**

*(as of 9 February 2018)*

8.30 am – 9.00 am Registration

9.00 am – 9.10 am **Opening Remarks**  
*Dr Francis HUTCHINSON*  
Senior Fellow and Coordinator, Regional Economic Studies Programme and Malaysia Studies Programme, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute

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**PANEL 1**

Chairperson: *Dr Francis HUTCHINSON*  
Senior Fellow, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute

9.10 am – 9.35 am **Johor's Agriculture Sector: What's Left?**

Presenter: *Mr Geoffrey PAKIAM*  
Research Officer, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute

9.35 am – 10.00 am **Beneath the Veneer: the Political Economy of Housing in Iskandar Malaysia, Johor**

Presenters: *Dr Guanle LIM*  
Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Nanyang Centre for Public Administration, Nanyang Technological University

*Mr NG Keng Khoon*  
PhD Candidate, Department of Architecture, School of Design and Environment, National University of Singapore

10.00 am – 10.25 am Discussion

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**PANEL 2**

Chairperson: *Dr LEE Hwok Aun*  
Senior Fellow, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute

10.25 am – 10.50 am **Territorial Complementaries or Competition for FDI? Johor, Singapore and the Oil and Gas Sector**

Presenter: *Dr Javier Revilla DIEZ*  
Professor, Department of Geography, University of Cologne; and Visiting Fellow, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute

10.50 am – 11.15 am	<b>Developing Eastern Johor: The Pengerang Integrated Petroleum Complex</b>  Presenter: <i>Dr Serina RAHMAN</i> Visiting Fellow, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute
11.15 am – 11.35 am	Discussion
11.35 am – 12.00 noon	Coffee

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**PANEL 3**

	Chairperson: <i>Dr Cassey LEE</i> Senior Fellow, ISEAS – Yusof Ishak Institute
12.00 noon – 12.25 pm	<b>Johor's Educuity: A Promising Project with Multiple Challenges</b>  Presenter: <i>Mr Benedict WEERASENA</i> Economist, Bait Al-Amanah (House of Trust), Malaysia
12.25 pm – 12.50 pm	<b>Private Healthcare in Johor: Trends and Developments</b>  Presenter: <i>Dr LIM Chee Han</i> Senior Analyst, Penang Institute, Malaysia
12.50 pm – 1.15 pm	Discussion

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