FORUM AGENDA

* Indicates Open to Media

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12

--International Participant Arrivals--

9:00am-12:00pm  REGISTRATION AND TASK FORCE SIGN-UP

6:00pm-8:00pm  COUNTRY BRIEFING: MALAYSIA (for overseas participants)

Tan Sri Mohamed Jawhar Hassan
Chairman and CEO, ISIS Malaysia
Malaysia

8:00pm-10:00pm  INFORMAL DINNER

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

9:30am-9:45am  OPENING REMARKS: THE U.S.-MUSLIM WORLD RELATIONSHIP*

Tan Sri Mohamed Jawhar Hassan
Chairman and CEO, ISIS Malaysia
Malaysia

Amb. Martin Indyk
Senior Fellow and Director, Saban Center at Brookings
United States

Dr. Gordon Hein
Vice President of Programs, The Asia Foundation
United States
9:45am-10:15am  **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** *

The Rt. Honorable Dato’ Seri Abdullah Ahmad Badawi
Prime Minister of Malaysia

10:15am-10:45am **COFFEE AND PASTRIES BREAK**

10:45am-12:15pm  **LEADERS’ BRIEFING: U.S.-MUSLIM WORLD OPINION** *

Moderator:
Tun Musa Hitam
Chairman, World Islamic Economic Forum
Malaysia

Presenters:
Dr. Shibley Telhami
Nonresident Senior Fellow, Saban Center at Brookings
Anwar Sadat Chair for Peace and Development, University of Maryland
United States

Mr. Bambang Harymurti
President Director, PT. Tempo Inti Media, Tbk.
Indonesia

Dr. Steven Kull
Director, Program on International Policy Attitudes (PIPA)
United States

Dr. Steven Rood
Country Representative, The Asia Foundation
Philippines

12:15pm-1:30pm **INFORMAL LUNCH**

1:30pm-3:00pm  **UNDERSTANDING ISLAM IN SOUTHEAST ASIA** *

Moderator:
Dr. Gordon Hein
Vice President of Programs, The Asia Foundation
United States

Presenters:
Dr. Mohammad Hashim Kamali
Chairman & CEO, International Institute of Advanced Islamic Studies
Afghanistan

Dr. M. Din Syamsuddin
President, Central Board of Muhammadiyah
Indonesia

3:00pm-6:00pm **VISIT TO ISLAMIC ARTS MUSEUM MALAYSIA**
DINNER CONVERSATION: LOOKING FORWARD IN U.S.-SOUTHEAST ASIA RELATIONS*
What are the foreign policy concerns of Southeast Asia, vis-à-vis the United States? What is Southeast Asia looking for in a new administration? What does the United States want from Southeast Asia?

Moderator:
Amb. Carlos Pascual
Vice President and Director, Foreign Policy Studies, Brookings Institution
United States

Lead Speakers:
Amb. James R. Keith
U.S. Ambassador to Malaysia, Department of State
United States

H.E. Dr. Surin Pitsuwan
Secretary-General, ASEAN
ASEAN Secretariat, Jakarta

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14

9:00am-11:00am  TASK FORCES: SESSION ONE

 Governance, Religion and Politics Dialogue
What are the challenges of good governance and democracy in Southeast Asia and the United States? How much influence do religious issues and organizations have in domestic politics in Southeast Asia and the United States? Are there shared experiences to be gained?

Co-Convenors:
Dr. Shibley Telhami
Nonresident Senior Fellow, Saban Center at Brookings
Anwar Sadat Chair for Peace and Development, University of Maryland
United States

Dr. Amina Rasul-Bernardo
Lead Convenor, Philippines Council for Islam and Democracy
Managing Trustee, Magbassa Kita Foundation, Inc.
Philippines

Presenters:
Dr. Ann Florini
Visiting Professor and Director, Centre on Asia and Globalisation, National University of Singapore
Senior Fellow, The Brookings Institution
United States
Ms. Lily Zakiyah Munir  
Director, Center of Pesantren and Democracy Studies  
Indonesia

Dr. Imtiyaz Yusuf  
Chair, Department of Religion, Assumption University  
Thailand

❖ Security Dialogue
Where are the current or potential regional flash points in Muslim Southeast Asia, what are their driving factors, and how are governments responding to them? How are governments dealing with radical groups, and are there lessons to be learned for governments in the West and other regions of the Muslim world?

Co-Convenors:
Amb. Martin Indyk  
Senior Fellow and Director, Saban Center at Brookings  
United States

Tan Sri Mohamed Jawhar Hassan  
Chairman and CEO, ISIS Malaysia  
Malaysia

Presenters:
H.E. M. Abdullah Mutib Al-Rumaihi  
Assistant Foreign Minister of Follow-Up Affairs  
Qatar

Dr. Bahtiar Effendy  
Professor, State Islamic University – Jakarta  
Indonesia

Major Gen. Ben D. Dolorfino  
Armed Forces of the Philippines  
Philippines Marine Corps  
Philippines

Ms. Farah Pandith  
Senior Advisor, Bureau of European and Eurasian Affairs, Department of State  
United States

11:00am-11:30am  Coffee and Pastries Break
11:30am-1:30pm  **DEVELOPMENT AND REFORM IN MUSLIM ASIA**

**Moderator:**
**Amb. Mohammed Zamir**  
Former Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Bangladesh

**Presenter:**  
**Mr. Faycal Bouchlaghem**  
General Manager, Unlimited Potential Group, Microsoft Asia-Pacific  
United States  

**Mr. Masdar Farid Mas'udi**  
Director, Indonesian Institute for Pesantren and Community Development  
Indonesia

1:30pm-2:30pm  **INFORMAL LUNCH**

2:30pm-4:30pm  **TASK FORCES: SESSION TWO**

- **Trade and Investment Dialogue**
  How has regional trade integration—such as the creation of ASEAN—affected the Southeast Asian economy, and relations in the region more generally? Could a similar initiative work in the Middle East? How can the United States, Southeast Asia and the Middle East deepen their trade, investment and economic relationship?

**Co-Convenors:**  
**Mr. Ishak Mastura**  
Deputy Executive Secretary, Office of the Regional Governor, Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao  
Philippines

**Dr. Bruce J. Tolentino**  
Director, Economic Reform and Development Programs, The Asia Foundation  
United States

**Presenters:**  
**Mr. Ishak Mastura**  
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**Mr. David Rocks**  
Senior Editor, *Business Week*  
United States

**Mr. Steven Wong**  
Assistant Director General, ISIS Malaysia  
Malaysia
Human Development and Social Change Dialogue
How well are secular and Islamic educational institutions preparing students for a globalizing world? What investments have been made by Muslim communities in Southeast Asia to build human capital and knowledge societies? In what areas, and through what mechanisms, can we build useful cooperation between regional or national institutions in Southeast Asia, the United States and the Middle East on these issues?

Co-Convenors:
Mr. Hady Amr
Fellow and Director, Brookings Doha Center
United States

Dr. Robin Bush
Deputy Country Representative, The Asia Foundation
Indonesia

Presenters:
Dr. Anies Baswedan
Rector, Paramadina University
Indonesia

Dr. Hisham A. Hellyer
Principal Research Fellow, Institute for Advanced Islamic Studies
Visiting Fellow, ISIS Malaysia
Fellow, University of Warwick
United Kingdom

4:30pm-5:00pm  COFFEE AND PASTRIES BREAK

5:00pm-6:30pm  WHAT HAVE WE LEARNED? WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

Presenters:
Tan Sri Mohamed Jawhar Hassan
Chairman and CEO, ISIS Malaysia
Malaysia

Dr. Stephen R. Grand
Fellow and Director, Project on U.S. Relations with the Islamic World
Saban Center at Brookings
United States

8:00pm-10:00pm  CULTURAL DINNER

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

--International Participant Departures--