

NTS-Asia Annual Convention 2009 Programme (as of 6 Oct 09)

Organisers:

Consortium of Non-Traditional Security Studies in Asia (NTS-Asia)

Date: 3-4 November, 2009

Venue: Marina Mandarin Hotel Singapore

1st Floor, Libra and Gemini conference rooms

6 Raffles Boulevard, Marina Square

2 November (Monday)

Arrival of Foreign Participants

Marina Mandarin Hotel

19:00 – 21:00 Welcome Dinner (only for Invited Participants)
Venue: Poolside Restaurant
Level 5, Marina Mandarin Hotel
Dress Code: Smart Casual (Long-sleeve shirt without tie)

3 November (Tuesday)

08:00 – 08:30 **Registration**
Convention Venue: 1st Floor, Libra and Gemini rooms
Marina Mandarin Hotel
Dress Code: Office Attire

08:30 – 09:05 **Opening Session & Overview**

Welcome Remarks (5')
Amb. Barry Desker
Dean
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)
Nanyang Technological University
Singapore

Opening Remarks & Introductory Remarks (10')
Chairperson
Assoc. Prof. Mely Caballero Anthony
Secretary-General, NTS-Asia and
Head, Centre for Non-Traditional Security Studies
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)
Nanyang Technological University
Singapore

Keynote Address (20')
Mr Andrew Watson (TBC)
Professor
School of Economics
Faculty of the Professions
The University of Adelaide
Australia

09:05 – 09:15 **Photo Taking (10')**

Venue: Area outside Libra and Gemini rooms

09:15 – 11:00 Panel 1: Climate Change, Insecurities and Challenges (1h 45')

Chairperson:

Dr Meenakshi Gopinath (TBC)
Head of External Programmes
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)
Nanyang Technological University
Singapore

Speakers:

The Security Dimensions of Climate Change (15')

Maj-Gen Muniruzzaman
Bangladesh Institute for Peace and Security Studies (BIPSS)
Bangladesh

Climate Insecurities (15')

Assoc Prof Chung Suh-Yong
Ilmin International Research Institute (IIRI)
Korea University
Korea

Climate Change and Insecurities: Community Rights and Access to Resources (15')

Dr Keokam Kraisoraphong
Assistant Professor
Faculty of Political Science
Chulalongkorn University

Beyond Climate Conflict: The Role of Human Security in the Climate Security Debate (15')

Dr Lorraine Elliott
Visiting Senior Fellow
Centre for Non-Traditional Security (NTS) Studies
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies
Nanyang Technological University;
Senior Fellow, Department of International Relations
Research School of Pacific and Asian Studies
The Australian National University

Risk Perception and Risk Communication in Climate Change (15')

Dr Bill Durodié
Senior Fellow, Co-ordinator of the Homeland Defence Research Programme
Centre of Excellence for National Security
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)
Nanyang Technological University
Singapore

Q & A session (30')

11:00 – 11:10 Break (10')

11:10 – 12:30 Panel 2: Natural Disasters and Humanitarian Emergencies (1h 20')

Chairperson:

Ms Clara Joewono (TBC)
Vice-Chair and Co-Founder of the Centre for Strategic and International Studies
(CSIS) Foundation
Indonesia

Speakers:

Natural Disasters and Vulnerable Social Groups and Conflict (15')

Prof. Sandhya Goswami
Coordinator of the Programme
Political Science Department
Gauhati University
Representing the Centre for Studies of Developing Societies (CSDS)
India

The Economic Cost of Natural Disasters (15')

Dr Bui Quang Tuan
Professor
Deputy General Director,
Vietnam Institute of Economics
Vietnam

Natural Disasters in 2008 – Lessons Learnt One Year on (TBC) (15')

Prof. Han Feng (TBC)
Deputy Director
Institute of Asia Pacific Studies
Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
China

Disaster Management in the Region (15')

Ms Sofiah Jamil
Research Analyst
Centre for Non-Traditional Security (NTS) Studies
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)
Nanyang Technological University
Singapore

Q & A session (20')

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch / Official Launch of RSIS-Warwick Double Master Degree in International Studies

Venue: Vanda Ballroom
Level 5, Marina Mandarin Hotel

14:00 – 16:00 Panel 3: Conflicts, Crimes and Human Vulnerabilities (2h)

Chairperson:

Mr Kwa Chong Guan (TBC)
Honorary Director
Women in Security, Conflict Management and Peace (WISCOMP)

India

Speakers:

Security Sector Reform (15')

Dr Rizal Sukma
Executive Director
Centre for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)
Indonesia

Conflict and Displacement: Implications for the Protection of Women's Rights (15')

Dr Ruth Lusterio-Rico
Institute for Strategic and Development Studies (ISDS)
The Philippines

Corruption and Human Insecurity (15')

Dr Iftekharuzzaman
Advisor
Advisory body of the Non-Traditional Security body
Refugee and Migratory Movements Research Unit
Bangladesh

Fishy Crimes: The Societal Costs of Poorly Governed Fisheries (15')

Dr Edward Allison
Director - Policy, Economics and Social Science
Worldfish Center
Malaysia

Terrorism at Sea: Problems of Maritime Security in the Indian Ocean (15')

Prof. Amal Jayawardane
Executive Director
Regional Centre for Strategic Studies (RCSS)
Sri Lanka

BIPSS Presentation (TBC) (15')

Q & A session (30')

16:00 – 16:15 Tea Break (15')
Area outside Libra and Gemini rooms

16:15 – 18:15 Panel 4: The Responsibility to Protect (R2P) Prospects in Asia (1h 15')

Chairperson:

Dr Carolina Hernandez (TBC)
Founding President and Chair, Board of Directors
Institute for Strategic and Development Studies (ISDS)
The Philippines

The Role of Regional Arrangements (APCR2P) (15')

Ms Sarah Teitt
Outreach Director
Programme Leader- China

Asia-Pacific Centre for the Responsibility to Protect
School of Political Science and International Studies
The University of Queensland

Perspectives from Asia in the UN General Assembly (APCR2P) (15')

Ms Anne Polman
Programme Director for Southeast Asia
Asia-Pacific Centre for the Responsibility to Protect
School of Political Science and International Studies
The University of Queensland

R2P presentation (15')

Ms Lina Alexandra (TBC)
Researcher
Department of International Relations
Centre for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)
Indonesia

Q&A Session (30')

19:00 – 21:00 Dinner

Venue: Aquamarine Restaurant
Level 4, Marina Mandarin Hotel

4 November (Tuesday)

09:00 – 10:30 Panel 5: NTS Issues in the Region – Part 1 (1h 30')

Chairperson:

Prof. James Tang (TBC)
Research Assistant Professor
Chairman of the Contemporary China Studies Seminar Programme
Centre of Asian Studies
University of Hong Kong

Speakers:

A Secular Cultural Approach to Deradicalisation: Bangladesh Perspective (15')

Maj-Gen Muhammed Firdaus Mian, PSC
Chairman
Bangladesh Institute for International and Security Studies (BISS)
Bangladesh - TBC

Multiculturalism as a Human Security Issue (15')

Dr Gerhard Hoffstaedter
Institute for Human Security
Latrobe University
Australia

Rethinking China's Approach to NTS for Frontier Ethnic Regions in the 21st Century

Prof. Yu Xiaofeng
Director

Centre for Non-Traditional Security and Peaceful Development Research
Zhejiang University
China

India's Policy of Special Economic Zones with respect to Land Acquisition and Insecurity (15') (TBC)

Mr Solano Da Silva
Centre for Study of Developing Societies (CSDS)
India

Q & A Session (30')

10:30 – 10:45 Tea Break (15')

10:45 – 12:15 Panel 6: NTS Issues in the Region – Part 2

Chairperson:

Prof. Amal Jayawardane (TBC)
Executive Director
Regional Centre for Strategic Studies (RCSS)
Sri Lanka

Speakers:

Chinese Transnational Migration in the Region: An Update (15')

Dr James Chin
Research Assistant Professor, Honorary Lecturer
Centre of Asian Studies (CAS)
University of Hong Kong
Hong Kong

The North Korean Nuclear Problem (15')

Prof. Kim Sung Han
Director
Ilmin International Research Institute (IIRI)
Korea University
Korea

My View about NTS in Asia and the Present Situation of Japan (15')

Prof Amako Satoshi
Professor
Faculty of International Research and Education
Waseda University
Japan

NEDO: a Recipe for South China Sea Dispute (15')

Dr Xue Li
Director
Research Division
Institute for World Economics and Politics
Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
China

Q&A Session (30')

12:15 – 13:45 Lunch (1h 30')

13:45 – 15:15 Discussion on NTS-Asia matters (1h 15')

Chairperson:

Assoc. Prof. Mely Caballero Anthony

Secretary-General, NTS-Asia and

Head, Centre for Non-Traditional Security (NTS) Studies

S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies

Nanyang Technological University

Closing Remarks

15:15 – 15:45 Tea Break (30')

-Conference Ends-

5 November (Wednesday)

Departure of Foreign Participants