

**ARTNeT / WTO Research Workshop on Emerging Trade Issues in Asia and the Pacific:
*Meeting contemporary policy challenges***

PROGRAMME

Wednesday, 4 April 2012

Morning

9.00 – 9.30

Opening welcome

9.30 – 12.30

SESSION 1: Dealing with the non-tariff barriers

Coffee and refreshments served around 10:30

- “Preliminary findings of the World Trade Report 2012”,
Cosimo Beverelli, WTO
- “Non-Tariff measures: currently available evidence and future research agenda”,
Sudip Basu, ESCAP
- “Non-tariff barriers in South Asia: addressing the challenges”
Ashiq Iqbal, Centre for Policy Dialogue, Bangladesh
- “Trade costs: new initiatives on measurement and policy implications”,
Mia Mikic, ESCAP

12.30 – 13.30

Lunch

Afternoon

13.30 – 17.00

SESSION 2: Intellectual property rights issues

Coffee and refreshments served around 15.00

- “Approaches to Transfer of Technology to SMEs in Low Income Developing Asia-Pacific Economies”,
Peter Fowler, Regional Intellectual Property Attaché for Southeast Asia, USPTO
- “The role of IP in economic development – The case of Thailand”
Deunden Nikomborirak, Thailand Development Research Institute
- “The role of IP in economic development – The case of China”
Albert Hu, National University of Singapore

Morning

9.00 – 10.00

SESSION 3: Learning from the firms

- “Does trade protection improve firm productivity? Evidence from Philippine micro data”
Rafaelita M Aldaba, Philippine Institute for Development Studies
- *Discussion on the major obstacles in using firm-level data for trade research in the region*

10.00-12.00

SESSION 4: Trade and inclusive growth

Coffee and refreshments served around 11.00

- “International trade, spillovers and regional income disparity”
Jiansuo Pei, University of International Business and Economics
- “The impact of trade policy reform on social welfare, inequality and poverty: the case of Lao PDR”
Bounthone Soukavong, National University of Laos

12.00 – 13.00

Lunch

13.00 – 14.00

SESSION 5: Other challenges (1)

- “RMB revaluation and China’s foreign trade”,
D. Izotov and Denis Suslov, Economic Research Institute (Russia)
- “The location substitution effect: Does it apply to China?”
Nilanjan Banik, Institute for Financial Management Research

14.00-16.00

SESSION 6: Other challenges (2)

Coffee and refreshments served around 15.00

- “How vulnerable is India’s trade to possible border carbon adjustment in the EU?”
Kasturi Das, Research and Information System for Developing Countries
- “Anatomy of intraregional services trade in Asia”,
Shintaro Hamanaka, ADB
- “Trade concentration and crisis spillover: Case study of Thailand”,
Kornkarun Cheewatrakoolpong, Chulalongkorn University

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