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 **“New Paradigms for a Changing Migration Landscape”**

**Conference to Commemorate International Migrants Day**

**17 – 18 December 2015**

**The Sukosol Hotel, Bangkok**

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**16 December 2015**

18.00Welcome dinner reception for overseas guests(Sukosol Hotel, Bangkok)

**Day One**

**17 December 2015**

**Thailand Research Fund-ASEAN International Public Forum 2015**

**“Managing Low-Skilled Labor Migration in the ASEAN Community”**

Master of Ceremonies Dr. Adisra Katip (Institute of Language, Chulalongkorn University)

8.30 - 9.00 Registration

9.00 - 9.10 Welcome speech from Prof. Suthipun Jipimolmard, M.D., Director of Thailand Research Fund

9.10 – 9.20 Opening Remarks from Prof. Pirom Kamolratanakul, M.D., President, Chulalongkorn University

9.20 - 10.15 **Keynote speech**

**H.E. Don Pramudwinai, Minister of Foreign Affairs**

10.15 - 10.30 Break

10.30 - 12.00 **First Session:**

**Low-Skilled Labor Migration in Receiving Countries: Policy, Management and Challenges**

Chaired by Dr. Kitti Prasirtsuk

Speakers

1. Dr. Kiriya Kukolkard (Thailand)
2. Dr. Chee-Khoon Chan (Malaysia)
3. Dr. Brenda Yeoh (Singapore)
4. Dr. AKM Ahsan Ullah (Brunei)

12.00 - 13.00 Lunch

**Second Session:**

13.00 - 15.30 **Low-Skilled Labor Migration in Sending Countries: Policy, Management and Challenges**

Chaired by Dr. M.L. Pinitbhand Paribatra

Speakers

1. Khin Maung Nyo (Myanmar)
2. Dr. Kabmanywan Phouxay (Laos PDR)
3. Sovanna Ry (Cambodia)
4. Dang Nhuyen Anh (Vietnam)
5. Dr. Stella Go (Philippines)
6. Mr. Sukamdi (Indonesia)

15.30 – 15.50 Break

* 1. – 17.00 **Panel: Low and High-Skilled Labor Mobility**

Chaired by Dr. Narumon Thabchumpon

1. “Employment in the Sea-Fishery Sector and Regional Responses”

Dr. Christina Stringer (University of Auckland)

1. “Trends of Skilled Labour in ASEAN”

 Euan McDougall (IOM)

1. “Migrant Worker’s Identity and Civil Rights”

 Prof. Dr. Anan Ganjanapan (Faculty of Social Sciences, Chiang Mai University)

1. “Growing up ‘illegal’: Undocumented Youth on the Thailand-Myanmar Border”

Derina Johnson (Trinity College Dublin)

5) “Skill Mobility in ASEAN under the MRAs as part of the AEC”

Guntur Sugiyarto (Asian Development Bank)

17.00 – 17.30 **Presentation thematic working group report hosted by UNESCAP**

18.00 **Reception**

 Sponsored by IOM

 Hosted by TRF-ASEAN Watch and Asian Research Center for Migration

**Day Two**

**18 December 2015**

**Human Trafficking and Refugees: Challenges and Possible Policy Solutions**

9.00 – 9.30 Guest Speaker “Human Trafficking as Transnational Organized Crime”

Pol. Maj. Gen. Apichat Joom Suriboonya (Interpol NCB Thailand, Commander of Foreign Affairs Division)

9.30 – 12.00 **Human Trafficking**

 Chaired by Dr. Ratchada Jayagupta

 Speakers

1. “Resources and Coordination for Human Trafficking Response”

Sompong Srakeaw (LPN)

1. “Shelters for Victims of Trafficking”

Usa Lerdsrisuntad (Foundation for Women)

3) “On Victim Protection in the Criminal Justice System”

Mr. Albert Moskowitz (AAPTIP)

1. “Transnational Organized Crime and Anti-Corruption Efforts”

TBD (UNODC)

Panel

Chaired by Prof. Surichai Wangeao, Director of Peace and Conflict Studies Center, Chulalongkorn University

1. “TIP Report and the Aftermath”

Mr. Songsak Saicheua, Director-General Department of American and South Pacific Affairs

1. Phil Robertson (Human Rights Watch)
2. “Three Years on the High Seas”

Dr. Manfred Hornung (The Heinrich BÖLL Foundation, German)

12.00-13.30 Lunch

13.30-14.00 **Refugee and Asylum Seekers**

 Chaired by Dr. Premjai Vungsiriphaisal

Speakers

1. Sally Thompson (The Border Consortium)
2. “Refugees in Thailand’s Temporary Shelters” Dr. Decha Tangseefa (Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University)
3. “Current Trends in Global Refugee Flows” Jerry Huguet (ILO)
4. “Refugee crisis in Europe”

Dr. Janjira Sombatpoonsiri (Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University)

14.00-15.30 Panel

 Chaired by Jerry Huguet

1. “Asylum Policy and National Security” Panitan Wattanayagorn (Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University)
2. “Preparedness for Repatriation Operations” Department of Border Affairs Department of Border Affairs
3. “Managing Mixed Migration Flows and Refugee Integration” James Lynch (UNHCR)

15.30-16.00 **Tea break hosted by Thailand Ministry of Foreign Affairs**

16.00-17.30 **Presentation and discussion (in Thai) with interpretation**

**Sponsored by Thailand Ministry of Foreign Affairs**

Speakers

“Anti-Trafficking Policies and Measures: Good practices from the US and Taiwan”

by Prof. Dr. Supang Chantavanich and team (Asian Research Center for Migration)

 Panel

 Chaired by Sudarat Sereewat

1. Mr. Suradej Chayakasetrin (Representative from The National Council on Social Welfare of Thailand)
2. Mr. Manoch Seangkaew (Representative from Ministry of Labour (MOL))
3. Pol.Lt.Col. Komvich Padhanarath (Department of Special Investigation; DSI.)
4. ท่านสิทธิพงศ์ ตัญญพงศ์ปรัชญ์ (**ผู้พิพากษาหัวหน้าศาลประจำสำนักประธานศาลฎีกา)**
5. Mr. Somchai Homlaor (Human Rights and Development Foundation (HRDF))

17.30  **Concluding Remarks**