

Programme

ASEAN-EU Relations in the light of the war in Ukraine

17 June 2022

Radisson Blu Plaza Bangkok (Ballroom 2, 4th Floor)

8.30 AM

Registration

9.00 AM

Welcome Remarks

Nalinrat Tingoum

Master of Ceremony, Programme Coordinator, Asia Centre

Moritz Kleine-Brockhoff

Head, Regional Office Southeast and East Asia, Friedrich Naumann Foundation

James Gomez

Regional Director, Asia Centre

9.15 AM

Session 1 - Geo-Politics and Security

Moderator: Moritz Kleine-Brockhoff (Head, Regional Office Southeast and East Asia, Friedrich Naumann Foundation)

H.E. Georg Schmidt

German Ambassador to Thailand

Felix Heiduk

Head, Asia Division, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik, German Institute for International and Security Affairs

Kitti Prasirtsuk

Professor, Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University

10.45 AM

Coffee Break

11.15 AM

Session 2 - Regional Integration

Moderator: Kenneth Houston (Lecturer, International Relations and Global Affairs, Mahidol University International College)

Nukila Evanty

Country Director, Rights Foundation

Atena Stefania Feraru

Author of "Weak States, Vulnerable Governments, and Regional Cooperation: An ASEAN Case Study"

Titipol Phakdeewanich

Director, The Regional Center for Human Rights at the Faculty of Political Science, Ubon Ratchathani University

12.45 PM

Lunch Break (Twenty-Seven Bites, 2nd Floor)

2.15 PM

Session 3 - Trade

Moderator: Narut Charoensri (Vice Dean of the Faculty of Political Science and Public Administration, Chiang Mai University)

Robin Hoenig

Divisional Head, Trade Policy Competence Centre (Asia/ASEAN)

Tricia Yeoh

CEO, Institute for Democracy and Economic Affairs (IDEAS)

Tom Cachet

Chairman, Thai European Business Association (TEBA) Supply Chain Management Committee

Suwannarat Meesomboonpoonsuk

Lecturer, Southeast Asian Studies Program, Thammasat University

3.45 PM

Coffee Break

4.15 PM

Session 4 - The Future

Moderator: Robin Ramcharan (Executive Director, Asia Centre)

Abhisit Vejjajiva

Former Prime Minister of Thailand

Karen Gomez Dumpit

Former Commissioner, Commission on Human Rights of the Philippines

Laure Brachet

Head, Political Press and Information Section, EU Delegation to Thailand

Jonathan Head

South East Asia Correspondent, BBC News

6.00 PM

Dinner and Networking Session (Ballroom 1, 4th Floor)