

Canada-Korea G20 Seminar

March 17, 2010

8th floor Boardroom
International Development Research Centre (IDRC)
150 Kent Street, Ottawa, ON

AGENDA (as of February 8, 2010)

- Co-Chairs** **Derek H. Burney** former Canadian G7 Sherpa; former Canadian Ambassador to the United States
Yunk Chul Park, former Senior Economic Advisor to the President of South Korea
- Co-Convenors** **Fen Osler Hampson**, Director, Norman Paterson School of International Affairs (NPSIA), Carleton University
Taeho Bark, Dean, Graduate School of International Studies, Seoul National University
- 8:00-8:30 am** **Registration**
- 8:30-8:45 am** **Introductory Remarks**
- 8:45-10:15 am** **Session 1: Prospects and Challenges for the Global Economy: From Recession to Recovery**
- Assess current state of global economy and prospects through to fall
 - Identify problem areas that could affect G20 recovery
 - Provide overview of G20 policy responses: e.g., implementation of stimulus packages, progress on financial sector reform, trade protectionism
- Moderator
John Manley, President and CEO, Canadian Council of Chief Executives
- Presenters
Kevin Lynch, former Clerk of the Privy Council, Government of Canada
Wendy Dobson, Professor and Co-Director, Institute for International Business, Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto
Korean participant (*TBC*)
- 10:15-10:30 am** **Break**
- 10:30 am-12:00 pm** **Session 2: International Financial Regulation and Reform**
- Update on Framework implementation
 - Key policy challenges in implementation
 - Peer review process and role of the International Monetary Fund (IMF)
 - Stock-taking on financial sector reform
 - Options for IMF reform – quota and voting shares, executive board selection process
 - World Bank reform – funding, operational focus, voting reform
 - Multilateral Development Bank (MDB) reform – governance, operational effectiveness, voting procedures

Moderator

Michael Wilson, former Canadian Ambassador to the United States; former Minister of Finance

Presenter

Gordon Thiessen, former Governor of the Bank of Canada

Discussant

Jack Mintz, Palmer Chair in Public Policy, University of Calgary
Korean participant (*TBC*)

12:00-1:00pm

Lunch

1:00-2:30pm

Session 3: Re-Energizing the Trade Regime

- Whither WTO Doha negotiations?
- G20 role in furthering trade liberalization

Moderator

Tom Bernes, Vice-President, Centre for International Governance Innovation (CIGI)

Presenter

Michael Fortier, Partner, Ogilvy Renault LLP; former Minister of International Trade, Government of Canada

Discussants

John Weekes, former Canadian Ambassador to the WTO
Korean participant (*TBC*)

2:30-2:45pm

Break

2:45-4:15pm

Session 4: Climate Change and Energy Security

- Current state of play post-Copenhagen
- Energy futures and innovation
- The challenges for developing countries post-Copenhagen

Moderator

Jodi White, Distinguished Senior Fellow, Norman Paterson School of International Affairs (NPSIA), Carleton University

Presenter

Greg Melchem, former Minister of Energy; Chair, Public-Private Foundation

Discussant

David Runnalls, President, International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)
Korean participant and discussant (*TBC*)

4:15-4:30 pm

Concluding Remarks

END OF PROGRAM

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