

Draft ARF Space Security Workshop Agenda

ASEAN REGIONAL FORUM SPACE SECURITY WORKSHOP

October 9-10, 2014

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Day 1

0930-1000 Opening Remarks

- Japan Vice-Minister level
- Indonesia - TBD
- United States - DAS Frank Rose, Department of State

1000-1015 Reviewing the Work of the First ARF Space Security Workshop – Mr. Vu Ho, DDG, MFA (Vietnam)

1) 1015-1115 The Impact of Space Activities in the Asia-Pacific Region

Moderator: Japanese Delegation

- The Role of Space in the Asia-Pacific: from Indonesian perspective – TBD (Indonesia)
- The Role of Space in the Asia-Pacific: from Japanese perspective – DDG Shingo Yamagami, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Japan)
- Space Utilization for Security Purposes – Mr. Jesus “Gary” Domingo, Assistant Secretary, Department of Foreign Affairs (Philippines)
- Space Utilization for Civil Purposes – Dr. Mazlan Othman, Academy of Science (Malaysia)

1115-1145 Coffee break

2) 1145-1300 Space Security Threats and Hazards: Why Should We Care?

Moderator: Indonesian Delegation

- Space Security: An Overview – Mr. Ben Baseley-Walker (UNIDIR)
- A Day Without Space: Impacts from Threats and Hazards for Users in the Asia-Pacific Region - Dr. Horikawa Yasushi, JAXA (Japan)
- Realities of Space Debris - Mr. Abdul Rachman, LAPAN (Indonesia)
- Cybersecurity of Space Systems–Dr. Patricia Lewis, Chatham House (UK)
- Technologies and Activities: Understanding the Realities of Space Security Threats

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– Dr. Kazuto Suzuki, Hokkaido University (Japan)

1300-1400 Lunch (Speeches from Philippines on Space and Disaster Relief, Thailand on Tele-Health and Tele-Education, 10 minutes each)

3) 1400- 1515 Assessing the Direction of the Space Legal Regime

Moderator: Australian Delegation

- The UN Outer Space Regime – Dr. Setsuko Aoki, Keio University (Japan)
- Soft Law and Space Security – Dr Li Juqian, China University of Political Science and Law (China)
- Harmonizing National Law and International Space Law – Dr. Ida Bagus Rahmadi Supancana (Indonesia)
- Prevention of an Arms Race in Outer Space (PAROS) in the Conference on Disarmament (CD) – Mr. James Hughes, Foreign and Commonwealth Office (UK)
- The PPWT - Ms. Dong Zhihua, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (China)

1515-1545 Coffee break

4) 1545-1645 Possible Steps Towards Improving Space Security and Sustainability

Moderator: U.S. Delegation

- UNCOPUOS Scientific and Technical Subcommittee's Working Group on the Long-term Sustainability of Outer Space Activities – Mr. Peter Martinez, UNCOPUOS Working Group Chair (South Africa).
- Implementing the Group of Governmental Experts Recommendations in an Asia-Pacific Context – Mr. Chulmin Park, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (South Korea)
- Russia's No First Placement pledge – Mr. Andrey Belousov, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Russia)
- The International Code of Code of Conduct for Outer Space Activities - Mr. Frank Asbeck, Principal Adviser for Space and Security Policy (EEAS)

1730-1930 Reception

Day 2

0930-0945 Recap of the first day

5) 0945-1045 What does regional space cooperation look like? Moderator: Vietnamese

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- Proliferation of Space Technology: Implications for Space Security and Asia - Dr. Rajeswari Pillai Rajagopalan (“Raji”), Senior Fellow in Security Studies, Observer Research Foundation (India)
- Looking at Technology Transfer in a Regional Context – TBD (Indonesia)
- Space Military to Military Cooperation in an ASEAN context – DASD Douglas Loverro, Department of Defense (U.S.)
- Looking at the role of space for socio-economic development in Asia – TBD (Singapore)

1045-1100 Coffee break

1100-1145 (Continued)

- APRSAF and APSCO: Regional partnerships for developing domestic space capabilities – DDG Cherdiat Attathakor, MFA (Thailand)
- ASEAN, the ARF, and Space - Myanmar (ASEAN and ARF chair)

6) 1200-1400 Examining the Future of Asia in Space Security

- (Framing the Issue) The Rise of Asia and Why Asian Nations Should Participate in Space Security Initiatives - Dr. John Sheldon, Marshall Institute (U.S.)
- (Framing the Issue) Options for the ARF in Moving Ahead on Space Security Issues: Thoughts from the co-host of the first Space Security Workshop – Ambassador Peter Tesch, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (Australia)
- Lunch and Breakout Discussions on:
Interest in space capabilities and their benefits is growing rapidly in the Asia-Pacific region. Given their growing use of and dependence on space assets, Asia-Pacific nations have a large stake in ensuring that all outer space activities are conducted in a responsible manner. Given the wide range of equities and different levels of interest and development in regards to space in the region, what roles should Asia-Pacific countries play? How can we take into account the diverse needs of the region? What are the roles of the ARF and ASEAN in dealing with emerging challenges such as space security?
- Readout

7) 1400-1415 Closing

As of 31 August 2014, speakers are subject to change

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1430 Departure for JAXA Center in Tsukuba, Ibaraki prefecture (by bus)

1545 Arrival at JAXA Center

1730 Departure from JAXA Center

1900 Arrival at Tokyo