



As of July 10, 2017

Boao Forum for Asia Bangkok Conference

Asian Regional Cooperation: New Challenges, New Approach

July 10 Monday

17:00 - 18:00

Registration

(Ballroom Foyer, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

18:00 - 19:30

Welcome Dinner

(Grand Ballroom 1, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

(Invitation Only)

Welcome Remarks

- Surakiart SATHIRATHAI, Former Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Thailand; Chairman of APRC; Board Member of Boao Forum for Asia
- NING Fukui, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the People's Republic of China to the Kingdom of Thailand

Introductory Speech of BFA

- ZHOU Wenzhong, Secretary General, Boao Forum for Asia

July 11 Tuesday

08:00 - 15:00

Registration

(Ballroom Foyer, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

09:00 - 10:00

Opening

(Grand Ballroom 2 & 3, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

Welcome Remarks

- ZHOU Wenzhong, Secretary General, Boao Forum for Asia
- Surakiart SATHIRATHAI, Former Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Thailand; Chairman of APRC; Board Member of Boao Forum for Asia
- Chen NAMCHASIRI, Chairman, The Federation of Thai Industries

Keynote Speeches

- ZENG Peiyan, Vice Chairman, Boao Forum for Asia; Former Vice

- Premier, the People's Republic of China
- Don PRAMUDWINAI, Minister of Foreign Affairs the Kingdom of Thailand

10:00 – 10:15

Tea Break

(Ballroom Foyer, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

10:15 - 11:30

Session

Asian Economic Integration: The Way Ahead

(Grand Ballroom 2 & 3, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

- How will the rising trend of de-Globalization affect Asian regional integration?
- In which way is the European economic integration flawed now that the UK chooses to exit?
- The path of Asian regional integration

Moderator

- YANG Xiyu, Executive Vice President, BFA Research and Training Institute

Guest of Honor

- Supachai PANITCHPAKDI, Former Deputy Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Thailand; Former Director General of the World Trade Organization (WTO); Former Secretary General of United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

Panelists

- CHEN Deming, Former Minister of Commerce of the People's Republic of China
- KIM Jung-Gwan, Executive Vice Chairman, Korea International Trade Association
- SOK Siphana, Advisor to the Royal Government of Cambodia
- Jusuf WANANDI, Senior Fellow and Co-founder, the Centre for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)
- Michael YEOH, CEO, Asian Strategy & Leadership Institute

11:30 – 11:45

Tea Break

(Ballroom Foyer, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

10:15 - 11:30

Closed-door

Thailand-China Entrepreneurs Dialogue

(Corundum Room, Level 3, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

(Invitation Only)

11:30 – 11:45

Tea Break

(Ballroom Foyer, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

11:45 - 13:00

Session

Connecting Asia: Infrastructure and Supply Chain

(Grand Ballroom 2 & 3, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

- The success stories of emerging markets show that infrastructure is the key to fast economic growth
- Vision, planning and mega-projects of infrastructure connectivity in Asia
- Asia has benefited tremendously from outsourcing, both in manufacturing and software. Now that the United States and developed economies are trying to keep manufacturing and jobs at home, Asian economies need to turn to one another. What are the opportunities for Intra-Asian outsourcing?

Moderator

- Victor FUNG, Honorary Chairman, Li & Fung Limited; Group Chairman, Fung Group

Panelists

- Chen NAMCHASIRI, Chairman, The Federation of Thai Industries
- JIN Liqun, President, Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank
- LEE Ark Boon, CEO, International Enterprise Singapore
- Kanit SANGSUBHAN, Secretary General, Eastern Economic Corridor Office of the Kingdom of Thailand
- WANG Yingjie, Executive Vice President, Silk Road Fund

13:00 - 14:30

Buffet Lunch

(Next 2 café By the river or Volti Ristorante & Bar, L Level, Shangri-La Wing)

14:45 – 16:00

Session

ASEAN-China Free Trade Area: Trade, Investment & Financial Cooperation

(Grand Ballroom 2 & 3, L Level, Shangri-La Wing, Shangri-La Hotel)

- How does the ASEAN-China Free Trade Area, the distinguish itself from other regional cooperation agreements such as NAFTA and EU?
- How do member economies benefit from the arrangement? Will 10+1 be “larger” than 11?
- How can we move forward from the agreement to a more integrated Asian economy?

Moderator

- XU Ningning, Executive President, China- ASEAN Business Council

Panelists

- LEE Kim Yew, Founder and Chairman, Country Heights Holdings Berhad (CHHB)
- LI Ruogu, Former Chairman & CEO, Exim Bank of China
- Chartsiri SOPHONPANICH, President, Bangkok Bank Public Company Limited; Chairman, Bangkok Bank (China) Company Limited
- Yasuyuki SAWADA, Chief Economist, Asian Development Bank
- ZHANG Xiaoqiang, Executive Deputy Director, China Center for International Economic Exchanges (CCIEE)