**Temasek Foundation International Series on Trade & Negotiations:**

**RSIS-WTO Virtual Parliamentarian Workshop 2021**

**Agenda (correct as of 4 May 2021)**

**17 – 19 May 2021**

**Virtual Venue: Zoom**

**Time: 16:00 – 18:00 (Singapore Time)**

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| **Monday, 17 May 2021** | |
| **15:30 – 16:00** | **Registration and Entrance into Zoom Room** |
| **16:00 – 16:30** | **Welcome Remarks**  Speakers:  **Mr Benedict Cheong,** Chief Executive, Temasek Foundation International (TF)  **Dr Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala,** Director-General, World Trade Organization (WTO)  **Amb Ong Keng Yong,** Executive Deputy Chairman, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS)  **Opening Remarks**  Speaker:  **Mr Tan Chuan-Jin,** Speaker of Parliament, Parliament of Singapore |
| **16:30 – 18:00** | **SESSION I: The Global Economy in a Post Covid-19 Era**  Moderator:  **Mr Keith Rockwell,** Director of Information and External Relations Division, WTO  Speakers :  **Amb Dacio Castillo,** Chair of the General Council of the WTO  **Mr Martin Chungong,** Secretary General, Inter-Parliamentary Union  **Dr Rebecca Fatimah Santa Maria**, Executive Director, APEC Secretariat  **Ms. Tan Lay Lin**, Director International Trade Cluster Division, Singapore Ministry of Trade and Industry, Republic of Singapore  **Mr. Djatmiko Bris Witjaksono**. Director General of International Trade Negotiations, Ministry of Trade, Republic of Indonesia |

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| **Tuesday, 18 May 2021** | |
| **15:30 – 16:00** | **Registration and Entrance into Zoom Room** |
| **16:00 – 18:00** | **SESSION II: Pacific Perspectives on the Global Economy in a Post-COVID Era - Stakeholders Views**  Moderator:  **Associate Professor Alan Chong**, Head of the Centre for Multilateralism Studies, RSIS  Speakers (Invited):  **Mr Ho Meng Kit,** Senior Adviser,Singapore Business Federation  **Ms Shinta W. Kamdani,** Co-Chair, B20 (2021) Italy  **Mr Shoya Yoshida,** General Secretary, International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC) Asia Pacific  **Ms Shiumei Lin,** Vice President, Public Affairs & Sustainability, UPS Asia Pacific  **Mr Merle A. Hinrich,** Founder and Chairman, Hinrich Foundation |
| **Wednesday, 19 May 2021** | |
| **15:30 – 16:00** | **Registration and Entrance into Zoom Room** |
| **16:00 – 18:00** | **SESSION III: What's Ahead for the WTO?**  Moderator:  **Mr Keith Rockwell,** Director of Information and External Relations Division, WTO  Speakers (Invited):  **Amb David Walker,** Permanent Representative of New Zealand to the WTO  **Amb Li Chenggang,** Permanent Representative of China to the WTO  **Amb Brajendra Navnit,** Permanent Representative of India to the WTO  **Amb Usha Chandnee Dwarka-Canabady,** Permanent Representative of Mauritius to the WTO  **Amb Tan Hung Seng,** Permanent Representative of Singapore to the WTO  **Mr David Bisbee,** Chargé d’affaires, ad interim of U.S. Mission to the WTO |

**Note:**

All sessions will be conducted in English and no translation will be provided.

The agenda and speakers are subject to changes.

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