

**DELHI DIALOGUE VII**  
**ASEAN-India: Shaping the Post-2015 Agenda**

**11-12 March, 2015**

**CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

***12 March, 2015, Thursday***

**Venue: Auditorium, Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (IDSA), New Delhi**

**ACADEMIC SESSION** (0930-1730 hours):

**0900-0930 hours - Registration**

**0930-0935 hours - Welcome Address** by Brig. Rumel Dahiya (Retd), Dy. Director General, IDSA  
**0935-0945 hours - Keynote Address by Shri. Anil Wadhwa**, Secretary (East), Ministry of External Affairs of India

**0945-0955 hours - Brief on Partners and Associates of Delhi Dialogue VII**

**0955-1135 hours**

***Session 1: Geopolitical Issues***

**Moderator:** [ASEAN] **Mr. Mediyatama Suryodiningrat**, Editor in Chief, The Jakarta Post

**A. Maritime Security**

- Lead Speaker: [India] **Cdr. Abhijit Singh**, Research Fellow, IDSA
- Panellist: [ASEAN] **Dr. Nguyen Vu Tung**, Vice-President, Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam

**B. Cyber Security**

- Lead Speaker: [India] **Dr. Kamlesh Bajaj**, CEO, Data Security Council of India
- Panellist:  
[ASEAN] **Tan Sri Azumi Mohamed**, Chairman, Cyber Security, Malaysia  
[India] **Mr. Alok Vijayant**, Director, Cyber Security Operations, NTRO, India

**1135-1150 hours - Tea/Coffee**

**1150-1320 hours**

***Session 2: Socio-Cultural Issues***

**A. Building Knowledge Societies and Economies: Education and Skill Development including Mutual Recognition of Degrees**

**B. Strengthening Cultural Linkages and People-to-People Contacts**

**Moderator:** [India] **Dr. Dilip Chenoy**, National Skill Development Corporation

- Lead Speaker: [ASEAN] **Atty. Julito D Vitriolo**, Executive Director IV, Commission on Higher Education, Govt. of Philippines

- Panellists:  
ASEAN] **Asst. Prof. Rajesh Rai**, Asst. Director, Institute of South Asian Studies (ISAS), Singapore  
[India] **Prof. Baladas Ghoshal**, Director, Society for Indian Ocean Studies, India

**1320-1410 hours** - Lunch

**1410-1550 hours**

### **Session 3: Economic Issues**

- A. **Infrastructure and Connectivity**
- B. **Energy**
- C. **Integrating Regional Production Networks and Value Chains**

**Moderator:** [India] **Amb. Shyam Saran**, Chairman, RIS and NSAB

- Lead Speaker:  
[ASEAN] **Dr. Sankaran Nambiar**, Senior Fellow, Malaysia Institute of Economic Research (MIER), Kuala Lumpur  
**Dr. Prabir De**, Professor, RIS and Coordinator, ASEAN-India Centre at RIS
- Panelists:  
[ASEAN] **Prof. Suthiphand Chirathivat**, Head, ASEAN Studies Centre, and Director, Chula Global Network, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok  
[India] **Dr. Nagesh Kumar**, Head, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific's South and South-West Asia Office

**1550-1600 hours**      Tea

**1600-1730 hours**

### **Session 4: The Way Forward**

1. **Future Directions for ASEAN-India Relations**
2. **Directions for Delhi Dialogue VIII**

**Moderator:** [ASEAN] **Prof. Hidetoshi Nishimura**, Executive Director-ERIA.

- Panellists:  
[India] **Brig. Rumel Dahiya (Retd.)**, Dy. Director General, IDSA, New Delhi  
[India] **Amb. Rajiv K. Bhatia**, Director General, ICWA, New Delhi  
[ASEAN] **Amb. Gopinath Pillai**, Chairman, Management Board of the Institute of South Asian Studies (ISAS), Singapore  
[ASEAN] **Tan Sri Rastam Mohd Isa**, Chairman and Chief Executive, ISIS Malaysia  
[ASEAN] **H.E. U Nyunt Maung Shein**, Chairman, Myanmar Institute of Strategic and International Studies, Myanmar  
[ASEAN] **Kavi Chongkittavorn**, Senior Fellow, ISIS, Thailand