

ADB – IWEPP (CASS) Joint-Seminar
Institutions for Integration
Toward an Asian Economic Community

Beijing, Thursday, 15 July 2010
Conference Hall, First Floor, CASS Building

8:30-9:00 **Welcome coffee**

9:00-9:30 **Opening remarks**

Zhang Wencai, Deputy Director General, International Department, Ministry of Finance, People's Republic of China

Paul Heytens, Country Director, People's Republic of China Resident Mission, Asian Development Bank

9:30 – 11:00 **Session I Institutions for Asian Integration: Issues and Challenges**

Chair: He Fan, Assistant Director, Institute of World Economics and Politics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Institutions for Asian Integration: Main findings and recommendations from the ADB's study

Srinivasa Madhur, Senior Director, Office of Regional Economic Integration, Asian Development Bank

Comment: Ding Yifan, Deputy Director, Institute of World Development, Development Research Center of the State Council, People's Republic of China

What Asian opinion leaders think on Institutions for Integration

Giovanni Capannelli, Principal Economist, Office of Regional Economic Integration, Asian Development Bank

Comment: Wu Guoliang, Ministry of Commerce, People's Republic of China

Open Floor Discussion

11:00-11:30 **Coffee Break**

11:30 – 13:00 Session II China's role in Institution-Building for Asian Integration
- Panel Discussion

Moderator: Yang Rui, Anchor, Dialogue, CCTV

Panelists:

Srinivasa Madhur, Senior Director, Office of Regional Economic Integration, Asian Development Bank

He Liping, Chair, Department of Finance, Beijing Normal University

Chai Yu, Assistant director, Institute of Latin American Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Wang Xin, Financial Research Institute, People's Bank of China

Zhang Ming, Deputy Head, International Finance, Institute of World Economics and Politics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Wang Yongchun, Second Secretary, Division of Regional Cooperation, Department of Asian Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

13:00 End of Seminar

13:00 – 14:30 Buffet Lunch

Lunch Venue: Beijing International Hotel Conference Center, 2nd Floor, Room 5