19 November 2014 (Day 0)
6:00 a.m.–12:00 m.n.  Arrival of Participants/Check-In at Hotel
6:30 p.m.–8:30 p.m.  Informal Welcome Reception at Grand Intercontinental Seoul Parnas, Chrysanthemum Room (2/F)

20 November 2014 (Day 1)
8:30 a.m.  REGISTRATION

Session 1: OPENING CEREMONIES (plenary)
Moderator: Taejong Kim, professor, KDI School of Public Policy and Management

9:30 a.m.  WELCOME REMARKS
Joon-Kyung Kim, president, Korea Development Institute

9:35 a.m.  Juzhong Zhuang, deputy chief economist
Economics Research and Regional Cooperation Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)

9:40 a.m.  KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Hyung-Hwan Joo, vice minister, Korea Ministry of Strategy and Finance

10:00 a.m.  PHOTO SESSION AND COFFEE BREAK

10:30 a.m.  Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2014—Poverty in Asia: A Deeper Look
Juzhong Zhuang, deputy chief economist, ERCD, ADB

11:00 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

11:15 a.m.  New Directions for a Rapidly Maturing Miracle Economy: The Case of Korea
Wonhyuk Lim, executive director, Center for Regulatory Studies, KDI

11:45 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

12:00 noon  LUNCH BREAK
Session 2a: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES OF GLOBALIZATION AND REGIONAL INTEGRATION IN ASIA (parallel session)

Moderators: Rathin Roy, director, National Institute of Public Finance Policy
Rethy Kieth Chhem, executive director,

1:30 p.m. East Asian Economies, Regional Economic Structure and the Emerging Regional Trade Regimes: TPP and RECP
Xiaoming Huang, professor and director, New Zealand Contemporary China Research Centre

1:50 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

2:10 p.m. China’s Processing Trade and Labor Change
Guoqiang Long, vice minister, Development Research Center of the State Council

2:30 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

2:50 p.m. Enjoying the Fruits of Their Labor: Redirecting Exports to Asian Consumers
Willem Thorbecke, senior fellow, Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry

3:10 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

3:30 p.m. COFFEE/TEA BREAK

4:00 p.m. The Lao PDR’s Joining ASEAN Economic Community by and after 2015: Opportunities and Challenges
Leeber Leebouapao, director general, National Economic Research Institute

4:20 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

4:40 p.m. PPP Modality in China: Experience and the Way Forward
Qiangwu Zhou, deputy director-general, Asia-Pacific Finance and Development Center Beijing Office

5:00 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

5:20 p.m. **INFORMAL EXCHANGE/NETWORKING**

6:30 p.m. DINNER AT INTERCONTINENTAL SEOUL COEX HOTEL, JUPITER ROOM (30/F)

SESSION 2B: Innovation and Escaping the Middle-Income Trap (parallel session)

Moderators: Derek Brien, executive director, Pacific Institute of Public Policy
Nonarit Bisonyabut, research fellow, Thailand Development Research Institute

1:30 p.m. An Exploratory Cross-Country Analysis of the Relationship between New Firm Entry and Income Inequality
Poh Kam Wong, director, NUS Entrepreneurship Centre and Professor, NUS Business School
1:50 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

2:10 p.m. Malaysia’s Structural Impediments to High-Income Status: Decomposition Analysis of Output Growth 1991–2005
Zakariah Bin Abdul Rashid, executive director, Malaysian Institute for Economic Research

2:30 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

2:50 p.m. Industrial Policies to Escape from the Middle-Income Trap: Cases of Uruguay and Malaysia
Alibek Konkakov, analyst, Economic Research Institute

3:10 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

3:30 p.m. COFFEE/TEA BREAK

4:00 p.m. Does Innovation Mediate Good Firm Performance?
Gilberto Llanto, president, Philippine Institute of Development Studies

4:20 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

4:40 p.m. Chaebol and Industrial Policy in Korea
Wonhyuk Lim, executive director, Center for Regulatory Studies, KDI

5:00 p.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

6:30 p.m. DINNER AT COEX INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL, JUPITER ROOM (30/F)

21 NOVEMBER 2014 (DAY 2)

Session 3a: Inclusive Growth and Social Protection (parallel session)
Moderator: Zaw Oo, executive director, Myanmar Development

8:00 a.m. REGISTRATION

8:30 a.m. Creating Jobs in India’s Organized Manufacturing Sector
Radhicka Kapoor, consultant, Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations

8:50 a.m. OPEN DISCUSSION

9:10 a.m. The Inclusive Growth Agenda: A Case for Emerging Mega Economies
Rathin Roy, director, National Institute for Public Finance Policy

9:30 a.m. OPEN DISCUSSION
9:50 a.m.  *Social Protection For Small-Scale Agriculture – Evidences From Viet Nam*
Tran Kim Chung, vice president, Central Institute for Economic Management

10:10 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

10:30 a.m.  COFFEE/TEA BREAK

10:40 a.m.  *Effective Social Protection for a Transforming Economy and Society of Uzbekistan*
Kamila Mukhamedkhanova, researcher, Center for Economic Research

11:00 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

**Session 3b: Addressing Poverty and Inequality (parallel session)**
Moderator: Dushni Weerakoon, deputy director, Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka

8:00 a.m.  REGISTRATION

8:30 a.m.  *Alternative Measure of Poverty in Indonesia*
Carunia Mulya Hamid Firdausy, director, National Research Centre for Economics, LIPI

8:50 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

9:10 a.m.  *The Impact of Remittance on Poverty Reduction: Evidence Using Data on Labour Migration in Nepal*
Ram Chandra Dhakal, executive director, Centre for Economic Development and Administration, Tribhuvan University

9:30 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

9:50 a.m.  *The Rural Non-farm Economy, Livelihood Strategies, and Household Welfare in Rural Pakistan*
Shujaat Farooq, researcher economist, Pakistan Institute of Development Economics

10:10 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION

10:30 a.m.  COFFEE/TEA BREAK

10:40 a.m.  *Sustained National Deworming Campaign in South Korea*
Taejong Kim, professor, KDI School of Public Policy and Management

11:00 a.m.  OPEN DISCUSSION
Session 4: Asian Think Tank Networking: Sustaining the ADB–Asian Think Tank Network (plenary)

Moderator: Juzhong Zhuang, deputy chief economist, ERCD, ADB

11:30 a.m. Updates and Action Planning
Dongxiang Li, advisor, Regional and Sustainable Development Department, ADB

12:30 p.m. LUNCH BREAK

AFTERNOON

2:00–5:30 p.m. INFORMAL NETWORKING ACTIVITY (TOUR OF SEOUL’S CULTURAL ATTRACTIONS)