



Provisional Programme

Towards an Ecosystem of Financial Accountability, Transparency and Integrity

High-level regional consultation in Asia-Pacific co-hosted by the High-Level Panel on International Financial Accountability, Transparency and Integrity for Achieving the 2030 Agenda and

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific

12 November 2020, 09:00 - 11:00 (UTC), via WebEx Event, registration is required*

High-level segment

Opening remarks

- H.E. Ibrahim Assane Mayaki, former Prime Minister of Niger, FACTI Panel Co-chair
- Ms. Armida Salsiah Alisjahbana, ESCAP Executive Secretary

Keynote speakers

- H.E. Asim Iftikhar Ahmad, Ambassador of Pakistan to Thailand and Permanent Representative to ESCAP
- Mr. Richard Ian Wagstaff, President of New Zealand Council of Trade Unions

Open discussion

FACTI Panel members

- Mr. Yu Yongding, Director of the Institute of World Economics and Politics of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, President of the Chinese Society of World Economy, FACTI Panel Member
- Ms. Tarisa Watangase, former Governor of the Bank of Thailand, FACTI Panel Member
- Mr. Shahid Hafiz Kardar, Vice Chancellor of Beaconhouse National University of Pakistan, FACTI Panel Member
- Mr. Karim Daher, member of the Anti-Corruption Committee of the Lebanese Ministry of Justice and international business lawyer, FACTI Panel Member

Invited speakers

- H.E. T.S. Tirumurti, Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations
- Mr. John Versantvoort, Head of Anti-Corruption Section of Asian Development Bank
- Mr. Robin Ng, Director of International Tax and Relations Division, Ministry of Finance, Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore
- Mr. Faez Hamad Alshehri, Head of Anti-Fraud Unit of Ministry of Finance, Saudi Arabia
- Mr. Edwin Maria John, Director of Global Outreach, Neighborhood Community Network
- Mr. Lazar Vejendla, President of Welfare Organization for Rural League Development World

- Ms. Cynthia Gabriel, Executive Director of Center to Combat Corruption and Cronyism
- Ms. Neeti Biyani, Programme Manager of Centre for Budget and Governance Accountability
- Mr. Antonio de Leon Salvador, Third World Network
- Mr. Bibhusan Bista, CEO at YoungInnovations Company

Closing Remarks

- H.E. Ibrahim Assane Mayaki, former Prime Minister of Niger, FACTI Panel Co-chair