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Trans-Pacific Dialogue 2021

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Background

Since the end of the Cold War, the world has enjoyed almost three decades of peace and economic prosperity. Northeast Asia has been at the epicenter of such transformation, serving as a key locomotive for global economic growth and ushering in an era characterized by the “Rise of Asia.” Since the mid-2010s, however, Northeast Asia and the Pacific have been faced with unprecedented challenges at unseen speed and scope.

These challenges center around the escalating hegemonic rivalry between the U.S. and China, which first started off as trade war but has rapidly spilled over into the realm of technological innovation. One area of the rising concern and huge implications for the region is the increasing competition in global supply chains, especially with regard to advanced technologies, including 5G, semiconductors, bioscience, rare earth elements, EV battery, etc. Establishment of their norms and standards are becoming increasingly important in preventing any major potential bifurcation in global supply chains.

Against this backdrop, the Chey Institute for Advanced Studies, supported by the SK Group, proposes a bipartisan dialogue inviting the world’s most influential opinion leaders, scholars, and incumbent/former high-ranking officials from the United States, Korea, and Japan. This “Trans-Pacific Dialogue” aims to address the most pressing global challenges or crises we face today, including, but not limited to, the following: U.S.-China rivalry; Indo-Pacific strategy; denuclearization of North Korea; and the impact of scientific innovation and new technologies, focusing on global supply chains.

Agenda

Conference Moderator

SOHN Jie-ae Professor, Ewha Womans University

Day 1 (December 6)

Session I 15:30 - 17:30	US-China Strategic Competition		
	Chair	John MEARSHEIMER	Professor, University of Chicago
	Panelists	Stapleton ROY John IKENBERRY Daniel RUSSEL Evan FEIGENBAUM TAKAHARA Akio CHUNG Jae Ho	Former Ambassador of the USA to China Professor, Princeton University Former Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs Vice President for Studies, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Professor, University of Tokyo Professor, Seoul National University
	Designated Discussants	Wendy CUTLER Susan THORNTON Evan MEDEIROS FUJIWARA Kiichi	Former Acting Deputy US Trade Representative Former Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs Professor, Georgetown University Professor, University of Tokyo
	Fireside Chat	Chuck HAGEL Richard ARMITAGE	Former Secretary of Defense Former Deputy Secretary of State
17:45 - 18:30	Moderator	AHN Ho-young	President, University of North Korean Studies; Former Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to the USA

19:00	Reception		
Gala Dinner	Welcoming Remarks	CHEY Tae-won	Chairman, SK Group
	Congratulatory Remarks	Jon OSSOFF	United States Senator of Georgia
	19:30 Keynote Speech	Joseph S. NYE	Harvard University Distinguished Service Professor, Harvard Kennedy School

Day 2 (December 7)

Opening Ceremony	Welcoming Remarks	PARK In-kook	President, Chey Institute for Advanced Studies
		[Congratulatory Messages from Foreign Ministers] H. E. HAYASHI Yoshimasa Foreign Minister of Japan H. E. CHUNG Eui-yong Foreign Minister of ROK	
		FUJISAKI Ichiro	Former Ambassador of Japan to the USA
	08:30 09:10	Edwin FEULNER LEE Hong Koo	Founder, Heritage Foundation Former Prime Minister, ROK
		Keynote Speech	Kurt CAMPBELL NSC Coordinator for Indo-Pacific Affairs
Session II	Indo-Pacific Strategy and US-Korea-Japan Trilateral Cooperation		
	Chair	FUJISAKI Ichiro	President, Nakasone Peace Institute; Former Ambassador of Japan to the USA
	Panelists	Atul KESHAP	Chargé d'affaires of the U.S. Mission to India
		Rexon RYU	Former Chief of Staff to Secretary of Defense
		TOKUCHI Hideshi	President, Research Institute for Peace and Security
		LEE Sook Jong	Professor, Sungkyunkwan University

Session II 09:10 - 10:50	Designated Discussants	Michael GREEN SUGIYAMA Shinsuke PARK Cheol-Hee	Senior Vice President for Asia and Japan Chair, CSIS Former Ambassador of Japan to the USA Professor, Seoul National University
10:50-11:10	Break		
Session III 11:10 - 13:00	North Korean Denuclearization and the US-Korea Alliance		
	Chair	Gary SAMORE	Professor, Brandeis University
	Panelists	Robert EINHORN	Senior Fellow, Center for Security, Strategy, and Technology, Brookings Institution
		Daniel PONEMAN	Former Deputy Secretary of Energy; President and CEO, Centrus Energy Corp
		Bruce KLINGNER	Senior Research Fellow, Heritage Foundation
		TAKAMIZAWA Nobushige KIM Hong Kyun	Former Ambassador of Japan to the Conference on Disarmament in Geneva Former Special Representative for Korean Peninsula Peace and Security Affairs
	Designated Discussants	Victor CHA NAKABAYASHI Mieko KIM Byung-Yeon	Senior Vice President and Korea Chair, CSIS Professor, Waseda University; Former Member of Japan's House of Representatives Professor, Seoul National University
13:00-14:30	Luncheon		

Session IV 14:30 - 15:30	Scientific Innovation and Geopolitical/Geoeconomic Impacts		
	Chair	LEE Geun	President, Korea Foundation
	Panelists	Robert ATKINSON Cynthia COOK David MOSCHELLA YU Jeong Joon	Founder and President, Information Technology and Innovation Foundation Director of the Defense-Industrial Initiatives Group, CSIS Leading Edge Forum Vice Chairman and CEO, SK E&S
	Designated Discussants	SUZUKI Kazuto LEE Jae-Seung	Professor, University of Tokyo Dean, Graduate School of International Studies, Korea University
15:30-15:45	Break		
Session V 15:45 - 17:45	The Future of Global Supply Chains and Sustainability		
	Chair	Tarun CHHABRA	NSC Senior Director for Technology and National Security
	Panelists	Stanley WHITTINGHAM Tsu-jae KING LIU KANG Kisuk LEE Seok-Hee	2019 Nobel Prize in Chemistry Laureate; Professor, SUNY Binghamton Dean, UC Berkeley College of Engineering Professor, Seoul National University President and CEO, SK Hynix
	Designated Discussants	FUKAGAWA Yukiko SAKATA Yasuyo	Professor, Waseda University Professor, Kanda University of International Studies
17:45-18:30	Break		

18:30	Reception		
Dinner 19:00	Special Remarks	Bill HAGERTY	United States Senator of Tennessee

Day 3 (December 8)

Wrap-up Session 09:00 - 11:00	Chair	PARK In-kook	President, Chey Institute for Advanced Studies
	Session Report	John MEARSHEIMER	Professor, University of Chicago
		FUJISAKI Ichiro	President; Nakasone Peace Institute; Former Ambassador of Japan to the USA
		Gary SAMORE	Professor, Brandeis University
		LEE Geun	President, Korea Foundation
		KANG Kisuk	Professor, Seoul National University
11:00-12:00	Break		
12:00	Farewell Luncheon		

Participants *(In alphabetical order)*

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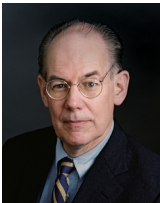


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