



## Peace and Cooperation in Northeast Asia

### Agenda

#### Day 1: Monday, October 6, 2014

08:50-09:20 Registration (1F, Grand Ballroom, The Westin Chosun Seoul)

09:20-10:20 Opening Ceremony

Opening Remarks: *Hong Seok-Hyun*, Chairman, JoongAng Ilbo·J (*tbc*)

Welcoming Remarks: *Robin Niblett*, Director, Chatham House

Keynote Address: *Kevin Rudd*, Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Chatham House;  
Prime Minister of Australia (2007-10, 2013)

10:20-10:40 Coffee Break

10:40-12:00 **Session 1: Restructuring the International Order in East Asia: Lessons from Europe**  
What possibilities are there for restructuring the international order in East Asia, given recent political disputes? Which powers are seen as the greatest challenge to the international order? Are regional architectures in East Asia fit for purpose and what lessons can be taken from the European experience, e.g. through the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE)?

*Ha Young-Sun*, Chairman, East Asia Institute

*Theo Sommer*, Editor-at-Large, Die Zeit

*John Swenson-Wright*, Head, Asia Programme, Chatham House

*Yamaguchi Noboru*, Director, International Programs, National Defense Academy of Japan

Chair: *Lord John Kerr*, Member, House of Lords

12:00-13:30 Luncheon (2F, Tulip & Lilac Room) /Speech (TBD)

13:30-15:00

**Session 2: The US-China Bilateral Relationship**

What is the ideal bilateral relationship between the United States (US) and China? How might this affect the current international order and the relations that close allies of the US have with both? Does the US's focus towards Asia represent a 'rebalancing' or the development of a new 'power partnership'? Will China and the US escape the 'Thucydides trap', in which a rising power's growing prominence raises the risk of conflict with an established power? How might the Republic of Korea's strengthening relationship with China affect its interaction with the United States?

*Chung Jae-Ho*, Professor, Seoul National University

*Jia Qingguo*, Dean, School of International Studies, Peking University

*Kim Heung-Kyu*, Professor, Ajou University

*Jane Perlez*, Chief Beijing Diplomatic Correspondent, The New York Times

*Kevin Rudd*, Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Chatham House; Prime Minister of Australia (2007-10, 2013)

Chair: *Chung Chong Wook*, Vice Chairman, Presidential Preparatory Committee for National Reunification

15:00-15:20

**Coffee Break**

15:20-16:50

**Session 3: Economic Cooperation in East Asia**

What is the future of economic cooperation in East Asia? How has this been negatively affected by political disputes in the region? What are the prospects for enhanced regional economic integration as a result of initiatives such as the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) and the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP)?

*Ahn Choong-Yong*, Chairman, National Commission for Corporate Partnership

*Anatole Kaletsky*, Columnist, The New York Times

*Lee Il Houg*, President, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy

Chair: *Sakong Il*, Minister of Finance, Korea (1987-88)

16:50-17:00

**Closing Remarks**

18:30-20:30

**Dinner for speakers and selected participants**

**Day 2: Tuesday, October 7, 2014**

09:00-09:30 Coffee Break (2F, Tulip & Lilac Room, The Westin Chosun Seoul)

09:30-12:30 Closed Roundtable: The Anglo-ROK Relationship: How to Further Cooperation

12:30-13:50 Luncheon (2F, Tulip & Lilac Room)