



“80 Years of Independence and 60 Years of Korea-Japan Normalization”

Date: Wednesday, April 23, 2025

Place: The Grand Hyatt Seoul

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Time	Panel Title	Panelist	Affiliation
08:00-09:00 <i>Ballroom Foyer</i>	Registration		
Opening Ceremony 09:00-10:00 <i>Grand Ballroom I+II</i>	Welcoming Remarks	Chung Mong Joon	The Asan Institute for Policy Studies
	Congratulatory Remarks	Cho Tae-yul	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, ROK
		Mizushima Koichi	Embassy of Japan in Korea
	Keynote Speech	Kurt Campbell	The Asia Group
10:00-10:10	Break		
Plenary Session 1 10:10-11:40 <i>Grand Ballroom I+II</i>	South Korea and Its Neighbors	Moderator Karen House	Harvard University
		John Hamre	Center for Strategic and International Studies
		Jia Qingguo	Peking University
		Lee Sook Jong	Sungkyunkwan University
		Nagamine Yasumasa	Anderson Mori & Tomotsune
		Shin Kak Soo	NEAR Foundation
		Soeya Yoshihide	Keio University
11:40-13:10 <i>Grand Salon (Invitation Only)</i> & <i>Namsan I+II</i>	Luncheon - Luncheon Speech: Paul Wolfowitz, Stanford University		

Concurrent Session 2-1 13:10-14:30 <i>Grand Ballroom I+II</i>	Visions for Northeast Asia	Moderator Victor Cha Center for Strategic and International Studies
		Kim Sung-han Korea University
		Andrey Kortunov Former Academic Director, Russian International Affairs Council
		Nakabayashi Mieko Waseda University
		Sheila Smith Council on Foreign Relations
		Su Hao China Foreign Affairs University
Concurrent Session 2-2 13:10-14:30 <i>Grand Ballroom III</i>	Emerging Security Architecture	Moderator Noah Sneider <i>The Economist</i>
		Chen Dongxiao Shanghai Institutes for International Studies
		Lee Shin-wha Korea University
		Sakata Yasuyo Kanda University of International Studies
		Randall Schriver The Project 2049 Institute
		Luis Simón Vrije Universiteit Brussel
14:30-14:40	Break	
Concurrent Session 3-1 14:40-16:00 <i>Grand Ballroom I+II</i>	New Faces of War	Moderator Timothy Martin <i>The Wall Street Journal</i>
		Oded Ailam International Consultant on Intelligence and Warfare
		Richard Falkenrath Johns Hopkins University
		Shin Beomchul Sejong Institute
		Tokuchi Hideshi Research Institute for Peace and Security
		Wang Junsheng Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
Concurrent Session 3-2 14:40-16:00 <i>Grand Ballroom III</i>	New Horizons of Economic Security	Moderator Anthony Kim The Heritage Foundation
		Jeanne Choi U.S. Department of State
		Gao Fei China Foreign Affairs University
		Narayanappa Janardhan Anwar Gargash Diplomatic Academy
		Marcus Noland Peterson Institute for International Economics
		Suzuki Kazuto University of Tokyo
		Yoo Myung-hee Seoul National University
16:00-16:10	Break	
Plenary Session 4 16:10-17:30 <i>Grand Ballroom I+II</i>	North Korea's Nuclear Threat	Moderator Ahn Ho-Young Kyungnam University
		Ahn Byung-suk Pyeongtaek University
		Bruce Bennett RAND Corporation
		John Everard Former UK Ambassador to the DPRK
		Kim Gunn National Assembly, ROK
		Sydney Seiler Center for Strategic and International Studies
		Yabunaka Mitoji Osaka University
		Zhu Feng Nanjing University
Closing Ceremony 17:30-17:35 <i>Grand Ballroom I+II</i>	Closing Remarks	Yoon Young-kwan The Asan Institute for Policy Studies