The Trilateral Commission
Asia Pacific Group
New Delhi Regional Meeting 2016
November 26-27, 2016
At Taj Mahal Hotel

Friday, November 25
Evening  Participants arrive in New Delhi

Saturday, November 26
09:00  Opening  [Longchamp, Rooftop Floor]
   Opening Remarks:  Yasuchika Hasegawa, Asia Pacific Chairman, Trilateral Commission
   Greetings:  Tarun Das, Indian Group Chairman, Founding Trustee, Ananta Aspen Centre, and
   Former Chief Mentor, Confederation of Indian Industry
09:15–10:45  Session 1: India’s Three Big Challenges: Creation of more jobs, National identity, and Improvement of productivity
   MODERATOR:  Tarun Das
   PANELISTS:
   (Creation of Jobs) Bhairavi Jani, Executive Director, SCA Group
   (Productivity) NK Singh, former Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) & Chairman, Fiscal Management and Budget Responsibility Committee
   (National Identity) BJ Panda, Member of Indian Parliament,
[10:45-11:00  Coffee Break]
11:00–12:30  Session 2: Can Asia Sustain its Growth - Impact of Economic and Trade Development in Asia
   MODERATOR:  Roberto de Ocampo, Chairman, Philippine Veterans Bank, Manila
   PANELISTS:
   Ruan Zongze, Executive Vice President of China Institute of International Studies, Beijing
   Djisman Simandjuntak, Senior Economist and Chair of the Board of Directors, CSIS Foundation, Jakarta
   Naoki Tanaka, President, Center for International Public Policy Studies, Tokyo
12:30–14:00  Luncheon  [Villa Medici, Rooftop Floor]
   SPEECH: Jamshyd Godrej, Chairman, Ananta Centre and Chairman of the Board, Godrej and Boyce Manufacturing Company Limited
Session 3: US Presidential Election: Its Impact on Asia

MODERATOR/PANELIST: Yasuchika Hasegawa

PANELISTS:
Barry Desker, Distinguished Fellow, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore
C. Raja Mohan, Director, Carnegie India

[16:15-16:30 Coffee Break]

Session 4: Turmoil in Europe – Brexit, US Presidential Election, etc.

MODERATOR: Akio Okawara, President, Japan Center for International Exchange, Tokyo

PANELISTS:
Akinari Horii, Special Advisor and Member of the Board of Directors, The Canon Institute for Global Studies, Tokyo
Bernhard May, Secretary General and Treasurer, German Group of the Trilateral Commission, Berlin

18:35 Meet in the Lobby
18:40 Depart for Hyderabad House by bus
19:00 Dinner hosted by the Ministry of External Affairs [Hyderabad House]

SPEECH: Dr. S Jaishankar, Foreign Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India

Depart for the Taj Mahal Hotel by bus

Sunday, November 27

Session 5: Promoting Dialogue among Asian Countries on Political Issues

MODERATOR: Pramit Pal Chaudhuri, Distinguished Fellow and Head, Strategic Affairs, Ananta Aspen Centre & Foreign Editor, Hindustan Times

PANELISTS:
Roberto de Ocampo
Hiroshi Watanabe, President, Institute for International Monetary Affairs, Tokyo
Ruan Zongze

[11:00-11:15 Coffee Break]

Session 6: Global Security and Terrorism – How Asia Copes with these Challenges

MODERATOR: Barry Desker

PANELISTS:
Yuji Miyamoto, Chairman, Miyamoto Institute; Corporate Advisor of Panasonic Corporation; Former Ambassador of Japan to PRC, Tokyo
Tobby Simon, President, The Synergia Foundation, Bangalore
12:45–13:00 Cocktail

13:00–15:00 Closing Luncheon Dialogue: The Rise of Populism, anti-Globalization and the Global Governance

INTERVIEWER: Barry Desker
INTERVIEWEE: Hitoshi Tanaka, Chairman of the Institute for International Strategy (IIS), Japan Research Institute, Ltd. Tokyo

15:00–15:20 Closing Remarks:

Tarun Das
Yasuchika Hasegawa