



Asia 21 Young Leaders Summit & Tenth Anniversary Celebration

December 2-4, 2015
Asia Society Hong Kong Center

Wednesday, December 2, 2015

Morning & Afternoon **Arrival**

6:00 pm **Opening Reception**
Venue: Joseph & Josephine Lau Roof Garden

7:00 pm **Opening Dinner**
Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

Welcoming Remarks

Ronnie C. Chan
Co-Chair, Asia Society; and
Chairman, Hang Lung Properties

Tom Nagorski
Executive Vice President, Asia Society

Asia 21 Video

Sabeen Mahmud Tribute (Class of 2012)
Founder & Director, The Second Floor
Presented by **Yusra Askari**, Pakistan Correspondent, NDTV (**Class of 2014**)

Remarks by Asia 21 Young Leaders

- **Arnel Paciano Casanova (Class of 2009)**, CEO and President, Bases Conversion and Development Authority
- **Aaron Maniam (Class of 2008)**, Director of the Industry Division, Ministry of Trade & Industry, Singapore
- **Armen Orujyan (Class of 2008)**, Founder and CEO, Athgo International
- **Kathleen Reen (Class of 2006)**, Vice President for Global ICT Programs and Policy, Internews
- **Wenchi Yu (Class of 2011)**, Head of Corporate Engagement in Asia, Goldman Sachs

Presentation of the Asia 21 Public Service Award

- Class of 2015 Asia 21 Young Leaders

Cultural Performance

9:00 pm

Closing Toast

Thursday, December 3, 2015 (Public Day)

8:00 am **Breakfast**
Venue: Ammo Restaurant & Landscape Terrace

8:45 am **Welcoming Remarks**
Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

S. Alice Mong
Executive Director, Asia Society Hong Kong Center

Asia 21: A Brief Introduction
Martin Tan, Executive Director of the Institute for Social Leadership (ISL),
Singapore Management University

9:00 -10:30 am **Asia 21 Talk: Inform & Inspire**
Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

Presenters deliver succinct remarks (5 mins.) about how their work is making an impact and encourage their counterparts in the network to join hands in bringing about the changes that they would like to see. Meant to be part informative, part inspirational, and part a call to action. Each presentation will be followed by brief Q&A session with the presenter.

- *Building Resilient Cities: Arnel Paciano Casanova (Class of 2009)*, President and Chief Executive Officer, Bases Conversion and Development Authority (BCDA)
- *Sharing the Kids' Eye View of the World: Tudor Clee (Class of 2011)*, Founder, Touchable Earth
- *Sending A Global Message – In the 21st Century: Akash Goel (Class of 2013)*, Resident Physician, Internal Medicine at Columbia University/New York Presbyterian Hospital
- *Connecting People Through Music: Scarlett Li (Class of 2007)*, Founder & Founder, Zebra Media, Inc.
- *Recipe for Making Social Impact: Natharoun Ngo (Class of 2013)*, Head of Program for the United Nations, Cambodia
- *Preserving Local Culture and Traditions: Yin Myo Su (Class of 2013)*, Founder, Inle Heritage Foundation
- *Making Affordable Technologies Accessible to the Last Mile: Ewa Wojkowska (Class of 2013)*, Co-Founder and COO, Kopernik

10:30 - 10:45 am **Networking Break**

10:45 - 11:45 am **Asia 21 Beyond the Headlines**
Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

Asia 21 leaders **Faiysal AliKhan (Class of 2008)**, International Security Fellow, New America and **Saad Mohseni (Class of 2006)**, Chairman and Chief Executive, Moby Group share their insights on key developments in Afghanistan and Pakistan and their implications.

11:45 am - 12:30 pm

Luncheon

Venue: Ammo Restaurant & Landscape Terrace

12:30 - 1:45 pm

Keynote Conversation on Leadership with General (Ret) David H. Petraeus, Chairman, KKR Global Institute

Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

1:45 - 3:00 pm

Asia 21: Face-to-Face

Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

One-on-one interviews/conversations, each featuring a pair of Asia 21 young leaders.

- *Breaking the Glass Ceiling*: **Mitsuru Claire Chino (Class of 2006)**, Executive Officer and General Counsel, ITOCHU Corporation and **Wenchi Yu (Class of 2011)**, Head of Corporate Engagement in Asia, Goldman Sachs
- *Upholding the Value of Public Service*: **Penny Low (Class of 2007)**, Founder, Social Innovation Park Ltd. and former member of Parliament, Singapore and **Jamie Choi (Class of 2011)**, Global Campaign Leader, Food & Agriculture Campaign, Greenpeace International (Class of 2008)
- *Responding to the Nepal Earthquake*: **Mun Ching Yap (Class of 2011)**, Executive Director, AirAsia Foundation and **Rabi Karmacharya (Class of 2011)**, Founder and Executive Director, Open Learning Exchange Nepal (OLE Nepal)

3:30 - 4:00 pm

Group Photo

Venue: Joseph & Josephine Lau Roof Garden

4:00 - 6:30 pm

Asia 21 on Screen*

Venue: Miller Theater

Screening of *Rosewater*, followed by a discussion with **Maziar Bahari (Class of 2010)**, Producer, Off-Centre Productions

Based on Maziar's memoir *Then They Came for Me* and directed by Jon Stewart, the film tells a powerful story about his months-long imprisonment and interrogation and his efforts to maintain hope and sanity in the face of isolation, persecution, and seemingly insurmountable adversity.

** Due to limited seating-capacity in the Miller Theater, this session is **exclusively** meant for Asia 21 Young Leaders and alumni only. Guests/observers are invited to attend the second screening of the movie on the evening of Dec. 4th. Thank you for your consideration.*

6:45 pm

Departure for off-site Dinner

Off-site Dinner Venue:

Lin Heung Kui
2-3/F 46-50 Des Voeux Road West
Sheung Wan

Friday, December 4, 2015 (Exclusive/Private Day)

8:00 am

Breakfast

Venue: Ammo Restaurant & Landscape Terrace

8:30 - 10:30 am

Asia 21 Task Forces

Venues: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall; Lee Quo Wei Room; Landscape Terrace; Miller Theater

Four groups of Asia 21 Young Leaders – four issues to tackle

Leveraging the collective experience and expertise of the Asia 21 young leaders, the four groups devote this session to addressing some of the most pressing challenges facing the Asia Pacific region today. The objective is to produce a core set of recommendations, in the form of a short “report” that would then be disseminated broadly on Asia Society platforms and to relevant constituencies. Each Task Force group will be managed by a lead coordinator, who will help with designing the task force, organizing the discussions in Hong Kong, and guiding the production of the report to be completed by Feb. 15th.

- ***Beyond Aid: The Role of the Private Sector in Mitigating Public Health Challenges in the Asia Pacific***
Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall
 - **Akash Goel (Class of 2013)**, Resident Physician, Internal Medicine at Columbia University/New York Presbyterian Hospital
- ***Good Governance, Best Practices: Bringing Out the Best in the Public Sector***
Venue: Miller Theater
 - **Aaron Maniam (Class of 2008)**, Director of the Industry Division, Ministry of Trade & Industry, Singapore
- ***Strategies for Launching Smart Cities in Asia***
Venue: Lee Quo Wei Room
 - **Armen Orujyan (Class of 2008)**, Founder and CEO, Athgo International
- ***Cleaning the Air: Ending Asia’s “Haze Crisis”***
Venue: Landscape Terrace
 - **Dorjee Sun (Class of 2011)**, CEO, Carbon Conservation

10:30 - 11:00 am

Networking Break

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Group Presentations

Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

Groups reconvene to present their finalized plans and take questions from their colleagues.

12:00 - 2:00 pm

Asia 21 Young Leaders Ideation Lab: The Road Ahead

Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

Jointly conducted with [The Global Brain](#), the objective of this session is to envision the future of the Initiative and identify actionable steps to catalyze Asia 21 young leaders' individual progress on behalf of the greater whole.

(Working Lunch)

2:00 - 4:00 pm

Lessons in Leadership: Special Screening of *The Diplomat*

Venue: The Hong Kong Jockey Club Hall

Screening of the recent HBO documentary, *The Diplomat*, followed by a special conversation with filmmaker David Holbrooke, on the life and legacy of his late father, the film's subject, and former Asia Society Chairman, Ambassador Richard Holbrooke.

4:00 pm

Closing Remarks