



SEMINAR ON CAREC 2020
Tentative Program (as of 2 June 2011)
7 June 2011, Baku, Azerbaijan

Objective: To exchange views among resource persons, senior CAREC country officials, and representatives of CAREC multilateral institutions on the proposed CAREC 2020 strategic framework document and preliminary ideas on implementing it.

08.30 – 09.00

Registration

09.00 – 09.10

Opening Remarks

Mr. Juan Miranda
Director General
Central and West Asia Department
Asian Development Bank

09.10 – 09.20

Overview of the Seminar

Prof. Ian Woodward, Strategic Communications and Facilitation Specialist

09.20 – 09.30

Overview of Draft CAREC 2020

Mr. Sean O'Sullivan
Deputy Director General
Strategy and Policy Department
Asian Development Bank

Strategic Objectives and Operational Priorities of CAREC 2020

09.30 – 09.50

Prof. Frederick Starr
Chairman of the Central Asia-Caucasus Institute and
Silk Road Studies Program
Johns Hopkins University

09.50 - 10.10

Mr. Shigeo Katsu
Former Regional Vice President for Europe and Central Asia
World Bank, and President/Rector, Nazarbayev University, Astana,
Kazakhstan

10.10 – 10.25

Coffee break

10.25 – 10.45

Mainstreaming Regional Cooperation in National Development: The Case of Thailand in the Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS) Economic Cooperation Program

Dr. Porametee Vimolsiri
Deputy Secretary General
National Economic and Social Development Board
Royal Thai Government

10.45 – 11.05 **Mobilizing Resources for Regional Cooperation and Integration**

Mr. Olivier Descamps
Managing Director
Turkey, Eastern Europe, Caucuses and Central Asia
European Bank for Reconstruction and Development

11.05 – 12.55 **Open Forum**
Moderator: Prof. Ian Woodward

12.55 – 13.00 **Wrap up**
Prof. Ian Woodward

13.00 – 14.30 *Lunch*

