

**1st Roundtable Conference on Malaysia-Cambodia/Laos/Myanmar Relations
towards Strengthening ASEAN through Multi-channel Dialogue
Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations (IDFR), Kuala Lumpur
27 & 28 August 2012**

PROGRAMME

Day One – Monday, 27 August 2012

8.30 to 8.45 a.m. Arrival of Participants/Registration

9.00 a.m.

Opening Session

Welcoming Remarks by:-

- **Tan Sri Razali Ismail**
Chairman, the Foreign Policy Study Group (FPSG)
- **Dato' Ku Jaafar Ku Shaari**
Director General, Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations (IDFR)
- **Opening Speech** by:- (TBA)

9.30 a.m.

Morning Refreshments

10.00 a.m.

Roundtable Conference

Moderator: Representative from **Malaysia**

Speakers:

Strategic Relations among CLMV Countries in order to Develop and Strengthen Mutual Cooperation and Achieve ASEAN Vision 2020 Ahead"

Mr. Hong Vanak (Cambodia)

ASEAN Community in 2015 or CLMV Economies

Mr. Chanthy Khounkhamphane (Laos)

Towards the ASEAN Community in 2015

Mr. U Khin Maung Lynn (Myanmar)

Quo Vadis of the ASEAN Way in Deepening Regionalism in South East Asia

Dr. Lili Yulyadi Arnakim (Malaysia)

1.00 p.m.

Lunch

2.15 p.m.

Roundtable Conference

Moderator: Representative from **Cambodia**

Speakers:

Lao-Malaysia Relations and Relations among ASEAN Countries in General

Mr. Linthong Phetsavan (Laos)

Malaysia-Myanmar Relations towards Strengthening ASEAN Regionalism

Ms. Nilar Myaing (Myanmar)

ASEAN Unity – The ASEAN Way and Regional Security Structures: Envisioning an ASEAN Role

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Azhari Karim (Malaysia)

5.00 p.m.

End of Roundtable Meeting/
Afternoon Refreshment

7.30 p.m. Reception/Mixed Buffet at Royal Selangor Golf and Country Club (RSGC),
Kuala Lumpur

Day Two – Tuesday 28 August 2012

9.00 a.m. **Roundtable Conference**
Moderator: Representative from **Myanmar**

Speakers:

Civil Society in Myanmar and Link to ASEAN Peoples' Forum
Mr. Ngwe Thein (Myanmar)

Mr. Hongkham Souvannavong (Laos)

Mr. BA Hamzah (Malaysia)

10.30 a.m. Morning Refreshments

11.00 a.m. **Roundtable Conference**
Moderator: Representative from **Laos**

Topic: *The Changing Geo-Strategic Environment in the Region with the Rise of China, India and the Return of the US to the Region*

Speakers:

1. **H.R.H. Prince Norodom Sirivudh** (Cambodia)

2. **Ambassador (Rtd.) Nyunt Maung Shein** (Myanmar)

3. **Assoc. Prof. Dr. Jatswan S. Sidhu** (Malaysia)

1.00 p.m. Lunch

2.15 p.m. **Roundtable Discussion**
Moderator: Tan Sri Razali Ismail

Topic: *ASEAN and the Changing Strategic Environment in the Region*

Speakers: Open to all Participants

4:30 p.m. **Round Up Remarks**

Closing Remarks by:-
Tan Sri Razali Ismail
Chairman of FPSG

5:00 p.m. End of Roundtable Meeting/
Afternoon Refreshment