



# 23<sup>rd</sup> Singapore Economic Roundtable

Monday, 25 May 2015  
Orchard Ballroom 3, Level 3  
Orchard Hotel

## PROGRAMME

(as at 13 May 2015)

1.15 pm – 1.30 pm	<b>Registration</b>
1.30 pm – 1.35 pm	<b>Opening Remarks</b> Mr Manu Bhaskaran Adjunct Senior Research Fellow Institute of Policy Studies
1.35 pm – 1.55 pm	<b>Recent Economic Developments</b> Mr Ng Tze Wei Lead Economist Domestic Economy Division Economic Surveillance & Forecasting Department Monetary Authority of Singapore
1.55 pm – 2.35 pm <i>1.55 pm – 2.15 pm</i>	<b>Macro-Economic Outlook for Singapore and Implications for Policy</b> Dr Arup Raha Chief Economist CIMB
<i>2.15 pm – 2.35 pm</i>	<b>Discussant</b> Mr Ray Farris Managing Director & Head of Global Emerging Markets Fixed Income Strategy Credit Suisse AG
2.35 pm – 3.10 pm	<b>Discussion</b>
3.10 pm – 3.20 pm	<b>Tea Break</b>

3.20 pm – 4.20 pm	<b>Special Session: Singapore's Economic Restructuring for Productivity-Led Growth</b>
3.20 pm – 3.40 pm	<b>Curse of the City-State and Productivity: Strategies for Next Stage of Growth for Singapore</b> Associate Professor Shandre Thangavelu Regional Director (Southeast Asia) Centre for International Economic Studies Institute for International Trade The University of Adelaide, Australia
3.40 pm – 4.00 pm	<b>Discussant</b> Associate Professor Randolph Tan Director Centre for Applied Research SIM University
4.00 pm – 4.20 pm	<b>Discussant</b> Mr Tom Sonnen Managing Director - Singapore Partners in Performance
4.20 pm – 4.55 pm	<b>Discussion</b>
4.55 pm – 5.00 pm	<b>Closing Remarks</b> Mr Manu Bhaskaran