8:30 – 8:45  Registration

8:45 – 9:00  Opening Remarks: Dr Khor Hoe Ee, Assistant Managing Director, MAS and President, ESS

9:00 – 10:40  Session 1  Chair: Professor Sun Yeneng (Acting Head, Department of Economics, NUS)

9:00 – 10:00  Macroeconomic projections and simulation: Inflation, exchange rate and the macroeconomy; Property Market
Associate Professor Tilak Abeysinghe, Acting Director, SCAPE, Department of Economics, NUS
Assistant Professor Choy Keen Meng, Division of Economics, NTU

10:00 – 10:40  Monetizing housing assets for retirement
Associate Professor Chia Ngee Choon, Deputy Head, Dept of Economics, NUS

10:40 – 11:00  Tea Break

11:00 – 12:30  Session 2  Chair: Dr Khor Hoe Ee, Assistant Managing Director, MAS and President, ESS

11:00 – 11:30  Singapore Business Cycle Dynamics: Key Factors and Effectiveness of Monetary Policy
Associate Professor Chow Hwee Kwan, School of Economics, SMU

11:30 – 12:30  Sovereigns Rule the Waves: Some perspectives on the Global Imbalances and the US Dollar
Professor Charles Adams, LKY School of Public Policy, NUS

12:30 – 1:30  Lunch (Ballroom 1)
1:30 – 2:30  Session 3  Chair: Mr Ong Keng Yong, Director, IPS; Ambassador-At-Large in the Singapore Ministry of Foreign Affairs

**Singapore’s Economic Growth Model – Too Much or Too Little?**
Professor Linda Lim, University of Michigan

2:30 – 3:40  Session 4  Chair: Professor Euston Quah (Head, Division of Economics, NTU)

**Singapore’s social safety net**
Ms Tan Li San, Director, Social Programs, MOF

3:40 – 4:00  Tea Break

4:00 – 5:00  Panel Session 5:  Financial market turmoil and outlook

Panelists:
Moderator: Mr Manu Bhaskaran, Centennial Asia Advisors Pte Ltd; Adjunct Senior Research Fellow, IPS
Professor Charles Adams, LKY School of Public Policy, NUS
Mr Sim Moh Siong, Regional Economist, Citigroup

5:00 – 5:05  Closing Remarks
Tilak Abeysinghe, Acting Director, SCAPE, NUS

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