

WORKSHOP ON TREATY LAW AND PRACTICE

Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel, Singapore
16 – 19 January 2012

PROGRAMME

PRE-WORKSHOP	MONDAY, 16 JANUARY 2012
18.00 – 20.00	Pre-Registration Reception and Collection of Workshop Materials Foyer of Flamingo Room, Level 3, Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel
DAY 1	TUESDAY, 17 JANUARY 2012
8:30 – 9:00	Registration Galleria Ballroom, Level 3, Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel
9:00 – 9:10	Welcome Remarks
9:10 – 9:30	<u>Opening Speech: Ambassador Tommy Koh, Chairman, Centre for International Law, NUS</u>
9:30 – 10:30	<u>SESSION 1: INTRODUCTION TO WORKSHOP – TREATY LAW AND PRACTICE</u>
10:30 – 10:40	Group Photo Session
10:40 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:30	<u>SESSION 2: ORGANISATION OF TREATY WORK IN GOVERNMENTS AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS - INTRODUCTION</u>
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:30	<u>SESSION 3: ORGANISATION OF TREATY WORK IN ASEAN GOVERNMENTS AND THE ASEAN SECRETARIAT</u>
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 17:30	<u>SESSION 4: MANAGEMENT OF TREATY COLLECTIONS</u>
19:00 – 21:00	Welcome Dinner The Promenade, Lobby Level, Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel

DAY 2	WEDNESDAY, 18 JANUARY 2012
9:00 – 10:30	<u>SESSION 5: CONCLUDING A NEW TREATY – ACTION ON THE INTERNATIONAL PLANE</u>
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:30	<u>SESSION 6: BREAK-OUT SESSION 1: TREATIES VERSUS NON-BINDING “TREATY-LIKE INSTRUMENTS”</u>
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:30	<u>SESSION 7: BREAK-OUT SESSION 2: ISSUES ON TREATY LAW AND PRACTICE</u>
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 17:30	<u>SESSION 8: SPECIAL SESSIONS WITH SPEAKERS AND RESEARCH ASSOCIATES</u>
18:30 – 21:00	Excursion and Dinner We invite you to enjoy a boat ride to the Singapore Flyer to experience panoramic views from the world’s largest observation wheel, followed by dinner and transport by bus back to the Hotel
DAY 3	THURSDAY, 19 JANUARY 2012
9:00 – 10:30	<u>SESSION 9: CONCLUDING A NEW TREATY – NATIONAL ACTION ON THE DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL PLANES</u>
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:30	<u>SESSION 10: IMPLEMENTING TREATIES IN DOMESTIC LAW</u>
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:30	<u>SESSION 11: BREAK-OUT SESSION 3: TREATY PRACTICE IN ASEAN</u>
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 17:30	<u>SESSION 12: CONCLUSIONS – EVALUATION OF BEST TREATY PRACTICE</u>
17:30	Closing Remarks