



**NORTHEAST ASIA ECONOMIC FORUM**

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**15<sup>TH</sup> EXPERT WORKING GROUP MEETING  
ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT:  
RENEWABLE ENERGY  
AND GREEN GROWTH**

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*(Sans Souci Banquet Room)*  
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*DAY 1, APRIL 26, 2015: SUNDAY*

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**17:45–20:30 Welcoming Dinner**

Maple Garden Restaurant

Tel: (808)941-6641

Introduction: **Lee-Jay CHO**, Chairman, NEAEF

**Denise Konan**, Dean, CSS, UHM

Welcoming Remarks: **George ARIYOSHI**, Former Governor of Hawaii and Chairman, Board of Directors, HAPI

*DAY 2, APRIL 27, 2015: MONDAY*

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8:00–8:30 Registration/Coffee and Tea

**8:30–8:50 Introductory Remarks**

**Lee-Jay CHO**, Chairman, NEAEF

**8:50–11:05 SESSION 1: RENEWABLE ENERGY AND GREEN GROWTH– COUNTRY PERSPECTIVES**

Moderated by Denise Konan and Steve Cowper

8:50–9:10 **TANABE Yasuo**, Executive Vice President, Government and External Relations, Hitachi, Japan and Former Director General, Economic Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan

9:10–9:30 **Choi Bo-Sun**, Deputy Director, New and Renewable Energy Division, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy, Korea

9:30–9:50 COFFEE/TEA BREAK

9:50–10:10 **Mark GLICK**, Energy Administrator, Hawaii State Energy Office

10:10–10:30 **Hermina MORITA**, Former Chair, Public Utilities Commission, Hawaii

10:30–10:50 **Terry SURLES**, Lead for the Initiative on Clean Energy and Environmental Solutions, University of Hawaii at Manoa

10:50–11:05 DISCUSSION

11:05–12:35 Bento Lunch

**12:35–15:05 SESSION 2: RENEWABLE ENERGY AND GREEN GROWTH - CONTINUED**  
Moderated by TANABE Yasuo

12:35–12:55 **Scott SEU**, Vice President, Hawaiian Electric Co.,  
*Status of HECO activities*

12:55–13:15 **UCHIDA Mitsuho**, Former Director, Central Research Institute of  
Electric Power Industry; Visiting Professor, Chukyo University, Japan

13:15–13:35 COFFEE/TEA BREAK

13:35–13:55 **Chasuta ANUKOOLTHAMCHOTE**, UH/College of Social Sciences

13:55–14:45 DISCUSSION

*DAY 3, APRIL 28, 2015: TUESDAY*

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**9:00–10:00 SESSION 3: RENEWABLE ENERGY FOR ISLAND SUSTAINABILITY**  
Moderated by DENISE KONAN

9:00–9:40 **SHI Dinghuan**, State Counselor, China State Council and  
Chairman, China Renewable Energy Society, P.R. China.

9:40-10:00 **TBD**

10:00-10:15 COFFEE/TEA BREAK

**10:15–11:40 SESSION 4: BUSINESS AND RELATED ENTERPRISE PERSPECTIVES:  
CHINA – TBD**

Moderated by Lee-Jay CHO

**11:40–12:00 Policy Recommendations and Conclusion**

**Lunch (on your own)**

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**Enrico FONTANA**, Managing Director, Ansaldo Honolulu

**Mark GLICK**, Energy Administrator, Hawaii State Energy Office

**David IGE**, Governor of Hawaii

**Kim Sungsoo**, Deputy Consul General, Korean Consulate, Honolulu, Hawai'i

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