



# Coface Country Risk Conference 2010

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Shangri-La Hotel, Singapore,  
22 Orange Grove Road, Singapore 258350

## PROGRAM

**MODERATOR:** *Melvin Yong, Executive Editor of Channel NewsAsia*

8.30 Registration

9.00 Welcome

*Jean-Claude Speitel*, Regional Managing Director, Coface

9.05 **Keynote Speaker & Guest of Honour:**

*Lim Hng Kiang*, Minister for Trade and Industry, Singapore

### WORLD TRADE & INVESTMENT -Post Crisis Outlook

Overview of the current global, political and economic climate: highlights on risk issues that may impact trade and investment flows

9.15 **US & Europe: what to expect next?**

*Dr Rajan Govil*, International Consultant Economist, I.M.F.

9.35 **Shifting gravity: 2010 as Asia's Year**

*David Carbon*, Head of Economic & Currency Research, DBS Bank

9.55 **Panel discussion:**

Global trade & investment risks and opportunities in supply chains in the Asia Pacific region

*Dr Rajan Govil*, International Consultant Economist, I.M.F.; *David Carbon*, Head of Economic & Currency Research, DBS Bank; *Tan Kah Chye* Global Head of Trade Finance, Standard Chartered Bank, *Damian Glendinning*, Global Treasurer, Lenovo; *Stephen Curtis*, Regional Chief Financial Officer - Asia Pacific, SDV

10.30 **Networking break**

### REGIONAL TRADE & INVESTMENT– Post Crisis Outlook

Panorama of the risks affecting trade & investment flows; supply chain changes in the region; Trade liquidity issues in the region

11.00 **ASEAN: Geopolitical & economic panorama**

*Tai Hui*, Regional Head of Research, Standard Chartered Bank

11.20 **China led growth: more or less risky?**

*Luca Silipo*, Chief Economist Asia Pacific, Natixis

11.40 **Panel discussion:**

Key Geo-political & Geo-economic factors likely to affect trade & investment decisions in ASEAN markets

*Tai Hui*, Regional Head of Research, Standard Chartered Bank, *Luca Silipo*, Chief Economist Asia Pacific, Natixis; *Rajiv Biswas*, Director, South-East Asia, Economist Corporate Network, *Francis Wong*, Deputy Group CEO, Swiber Group; *Bernard Sauvage* Senior Underwriter Asia Political and Special Risks, Coface

### COUNTRY RISK PANORAMA

Latest Global Coface Country Ratings & Open account payment survey results

12.15 **Risk overview**

*Yves Zlotowski*, Chief Economist, Coface

12.35 **Closing remarks**

*Jérôme Cazes*, CEO, Coface

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