



ECONOMIC SOCIETY OF SINGAPORE
Annual Dinner 2007 & MAS-ESS Essay
Competition Prize Award Ceremony



"ASIA, THE WORLD ECONOMY & THE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SYSTEM"

Guest-of-Honor: Mr. Timothy F. Geithner
President, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Since the Asian financial crisis of 1997/98, Asian economies have bounced back. Can Asia continue to strengthen its economies and financial systems, and contribute to a more robust and stable international financial system? How vulnerable is Asia and the new global financial architecture to economic and financial risks that have been building since the Asian Crisis like the explosive growth of hedge funds, new derivative markets, LBOs and other financial leverage? Join us as Mr. Timothy Geithner, President of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York shares his insights on Asia's and ASEAN's prospects – as the region struggles to maintain its balance in this brave new world of financial innovations.



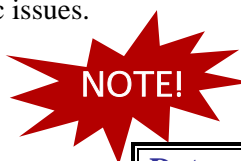
THE SPEAKER

Timothy F. Geithner became the ninth President and Chief Executive Officer of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York on November 17, 2003. In that capacity, he serves as the Vice Chairman and a permanent member of the Federal Open Market Committee, the group responsible for formulating the monetary policy of the US.

Mr. Geithner was Director of the Policy Development and Review Department at the International Monetary Fund from 2001 until 2003. He served as Under Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs from 1999 to 2001, and was closely involved in the response of the international community to the Asian financial crisis.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Policy makers, economists, businessmen, bankers, academics, senior management personnel, managers and executives. The Annual Dinner will also provide you with an excellent opportunity for social interaction and opportunities for the exchange of views on economic issues.



PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS:

- 6:30pm Cocktail Reception
- 7:40pm Arrival of Guest-of-Honor
Mr. Timothy F. Geithner
President, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
- 8:20pm MAS-ESS Essay Competition 2006/2007
 Prize Presentation & Photo-Taking
- 8:40pm Speech by Guest-of-Honor,
Mr. Timothy F. Geithner
- 9:00pm Q&A Session

Date	: 13 June 2007
Time	: 7:00 – 10:00pm
Venue	: Pan Pacific Hotel Pacific Ballrooms 1-3 Level 1
Dress Code	: Formal (Lounge Suit / Dress)

Fees are chargeable at S\$100 (member) and S\$120 (non-member).

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