

One-Day Workshop on
'Food Security in Asia'
Shangri-La Hotel, Singapore June 6th 2011

Workshop Programme

Venue: Pink/White Azalea Room, Mezzanine Level

9.00 – 9.15 *Registration, Tea/Coffee*

9.15 – 9.30 Welcome by **Mr Nigel Inkster, IISS**
Opening remarks, **Prof Alan Dupont, CISS**

9.30 – 11.00 **Session I: Food Security in a Global Security Context**

Chair: Prof Alan Dupont

'Food security as a global 'security' issue', *Dr Monika Barthwal-Datta, CISS*

'Food security and Southeast Asia – lessons from 2007-08 food crisis', *Mr Rajiv Biswas, IHS Global Insight, Singapore*

11.00 – 11.15 *Tea/ Coffee Break*

11.15 – 12.45 **Session II: Food Security in Asia – Emerging Concerns**

Chair: Mr Nigel Inkster, IISS

'Key geostrategic concerns in Asia with respect to food production and consumption', *Dr Sanjaya Baru, IISS/ Business Standard, India*

'China's food security dynamics and their impact on the food security concerns of other Asian countries', *Mr Zhang Hongzhou, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore*

12.45 – 13.45 *Lunch*

13.45 – 15.15 **Session III. Food Security in Asia – Mitigating risks**

Chair: Dr Nicholas Redman, IISS

'New dimensions of food security, role of private sector', *Dr Larry Chee-Yoong Wong, Institute of Strategic & International Studies (ISIS), Malaysia*

'Food security and international financial institutions – reconciling the need for effective measures and the political dynamics of govt decision-making', *Dr Lourdes Adriano, Asia Development Bank, Philippines*

15.15 – 16.00 **Conclusions and closing remarks, Prof Alan Dupont**