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“MARITIME SILK ROAD” AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA: PRESENT SITUATION AND PROSPECTS

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Venue: Hilton Hotel, Hanoi

Date: 26-27 November 2015

Thursday, 26 NOVEMBER 2015	
8:30-9:00	Registration
9:00-9:30	Opening remarks by Ms. Rabea Brauer , KAS Country Representative
	Welcome remarks by H.E. Bui Thanh Son, Vice Minister , Ministry of Foreign Affairs (tbc)
	Keynote speech by Prof. Nguyen Van Khanh , Rector of USSH-Hanoi
	SESSION 1: REFLECTIONS ON CHINA’S “MARITIME SILK ROAD” Moderator: Prof. Pham Quang Minh (Vice Rector, USSH-Hanoi)
9:30 – 10:00	Dr. Xue Li (Institute of World Economics and Politics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS): How does the One-Belt-One-Road Strategy facilitate Sino-ASEAN ties?

10:00 – 11:30	Dr. Trinh Van Dinh (Department of Scientific Management, USSH-Hanoi): A Historical Approach of the Origin and Aspiration of China’s “Maritime Silk Road”
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:00	Discussion
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch
	SESSION 2: THROUGH THE NAVAL LENS Moderator: Dr. Nguyen Vu Tung (Vice President, Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam)
13:30-14:00	Dr. Vijay Sakhuja (National Maritime Foundation, New Delhi & Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore): China’s “Maritime Silk Road” and International Developments in the South China Sea: A Naval Perspective from India
14:00-14:30	Dr. Nguyen Thanh Minh (Department of Maritime Police, Ministry of Defense, Vietnam): “Maritime Silk Road” and South China Sea Update: A Vietnamese Naval Reflection
14:30-15:15	Discussion
15:15 – 15:30	Coffee Break
	SESSION 3: TENSION IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA Moderator: Prof. Nguyen Thi Thanh Thuy (Head, Department of Americas Studies, Faculty of International Studies, USSH-Hanoi)
15:30-16:00	Prof. David Arase (Hopkins-Nanjing Center, Nanjing University): The US View of China’s “Maritime Silk Road” and the Escalating Tension in the South China Sea
16:00-16:30	Prof. Nguyen Thi Lan Anh (Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam) Status of the Code of Conduct: International Expectations
16:30-17:30	Discussion
17:30 –	Closing Remarks Day 1: Prof. Pham Quang Minh (USSH)

Friday, 27 NOVEMBER 2015	
	<p>SESSION 4: THE ASEAN STANDPOINT</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Hoang Khac Nam (Dean, Faculty of International Studies, USSH-Hanoi)</p>
8:30 -9:00	<p>Prof. Elaine Tolentino (De La Salle University, Manila)</p> <p>China’s Grand Strategy Meets a Regional Organization: One-Belt-One-Road, ASEAN and Prospects of Cooperation</p>
9:00-9:30	<p>Prof. Pham Quang Minh (Vice Rector, USSH-Hanoi):</p> <p>ASEAN’s Solidarity: A View from Vietnam</p>
9:30-10:15	Discussion
10:15 – 10:45	Coffee Break
	<p>SESSION 5: REGIONAL STANDPOINT AND COOPERATION</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Hoang Anh Tuan (Deputy Dean, Faculty of History, USSH-Hanoi)</p>
10:45-11: 15	<p>Prof. Seiichiro Takagi (Japan Institute of International Affairs):</p> <p>The Emergence of the Indo-Pacific Concept and China’s new “Maritime Silk Road” Strategy</p>
11:15-11:45	<p>Prof. Do Tien Sam (Former Director of Chinese Studies Institute, VASS):</p> <p>Vietnam and China: Historical, Political and Economic Interdependencies</p>
11:45-12:30	Discussion
12:30-14:00	Lunch
	<p>SESSION 6: CURRENT STATE OF AFFAIRS - Roundtable</p> <p>Moderators: Prof. Pham Quang Minh (USSH), Dr. Nguyen Vu Tung (DAV)</p> <p>Input by: Prof. David Arase, Dr. Xue Li</p>
14:00-16:00	<p>Focuses on recent State Visits to the US by President Xi and General Secretary Nguyen Phu Trong; Visits to Vietnam by President Obama and President Xi, pending Law Suit (Philippines)</p> <p>Includes all Speakers, Moderators, Participants, especially the Following Discussants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Major General Le Van Cuong (Former Director of Institute of Strategic Studies, Ministry of

	<p>Public Security)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dr. Tran Cong Truc (Former Head of National Border Committee, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Vietnam) ○ Mr. Duong Danh Di (Former Vietnam’s Consulate General in Guangzhou, China) ○ Dr. Vu Hai Dang (National Border Committee, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Vietnam) ○ Dr. Nguyen Toan Thang (Department of International Law, Hanoi University of Laws) ○ Prof. Nguyen Quang Ngoc (Former Director of Institute of Vietnamese Studies and Development Sciences, VNU-Hanoi) ○ Prof. Hoang Anh Tuan (Vice Dean, Faculty of History, USSH Hanoi) ○ Dr. Truong Minh Vu (Director, Center for International Relation Studies, USSH-HCM City) ○ Dr. Tran Viet Thai (Vice Director, Institute of Strategic Studies, Diplomacy Academy of Vietnam) ○ Prof. Pham Minh Son (Dean, Faculty of International Relations, Academy of Journalism and Communication)
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30	<p>Closing Remarks</p> <p>Ms. Rabea Brauer (KAS) and Prof. Pham Quang Minh (USSH)</p>