# Emerging Australia-Japan Security Cooperation: A Catalyst for Strategic Rivalry or Regional Order-Building?

31 March – 3 April 2008

#### WORKSHOP PROGRAM

## MONDAY, 31 MARCH 2008

9:00 – 10:45: Workshop Participants Briefed at the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade and Australia-Japan-U.S. Relations and Regional Security Architectures
(A bus will transport participants from the University House, ANU to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade at 0830 hours and will also be used to transport participants to other sites throughout the day)

1115 – 1330: Projected Working Lunch at Parliamentary Research Service. Workshop participants will interact with Ministerial staff, designated Australian government policy analysts for Parliamentary committees, etc.

1400 – 1600: Seminar with Australian Department of Defense Strategic Policy Branch, Reps from Intelligence Agencies, etc. at DOD Campbell Facilities (note: all briefings will be on an unclassified basis). Return to University House at 1600 hours.

**1900 for 1930 – Workshop Dinner at the Boat House Restaurant**: Keynote speech by Gillian Bird, Acting Secretary of Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT).

### TUESDAY, 1 APRIL 2008 - Common Room, University House, ANU

# 0830-1000 – Panel 1 – Conceptual Overview: Regional Security Architectures and Emerging Power Configurations

Chair: Bill Tow, Australian National University

Presenter: Ole Waever, University of Copenhagen

Evolving Contexts of 'Regional Security': Theory and Practice

Presenter: Evelyn Goh Oxford University Power and Hierarchy in East and Southeast Asia

Presenter: Lowell Dittmer, University of California, Berkeley

From Strategic Triangles to What?

Discussant: Professor Yoshihide Soeya, Keio University

Note: Each presentation (including discussants) will be approximately 10 minutes long followed by general workshop Q&A/Dialogue conducted under Chatham House Rules

## 10:00-10:30 Morning Tea

## 1030-1200 - Panel 2 - The United States: Architectural Facilitator or Impediment?

Chair: Roy Kamphausen, National Bureau of Asian Research

Presenter: Nick Bisley, LaTrobe University

American Perceptions of Asia-Pacific Security Architectures and National Security Interests

Presenter: Sheldon Simon, Arizona State University

Regional Responses to the TSD: the Southeast Asian Dimension

Presenter: Paul Dibb, Australia National University

Regional Responses to the TSD: the Northeast Asian Dimension

Discussant: Professor Rikki Kerston, Dept. of Political and Social Change, ANU

#### 1200 - 1300: LUNCH

## 1300 – 1430 – Panel 3 – Japan, the TSD and International Security Ramifications

Chair: Yukio Satoh

Presenter: Dr Michael Auslin, Resident Scholar at the American Enterprise Institute

The TSD – An American Perspective

Presenter: Akihiko Tanaka, University of Tokyo

The TSD – A Japanese Perspective

Presenter: Desmond Ball

The TSD – An Australian Perspective

Discussant: Dr Philip Towle, Cambridge University

#### 1430-1500: Afternoon Tea

# 1500-1630 – Panel 4 – Australia: Straddling Cooperative and Competitive Regional Architectures

Chair Dr Brendan Taylor, Australian National University

*Presenter:* Eiichi Katahara, National Institute of Defense Studies (NIDS), Tokyo Japanese Approaches to Strengthening the 'Weak Third Leg: Evolving Australian-Japanese Security Relations'

*Presenter:* Hugh White, Australian National University Misplaced Courtships and Confessions of a TSD Skeptic

Presenter: Rory Medcalf, The Lowy Institute

Ambiguities and Benefits: The TSD's Long-Term Prospects

Discussant: Dr Carl Ungerer, Australian Strategic Policy Institute

## Wednesday, 2 April - Common Room, University House, ANU

## **International Alliance of Research Universities Meeting**

Note: Non-IARU Participants are free to fly to Sydney Wednesday morning and check into the Wentworth Hotel – No Other Events Scheduled that day. Workshop will Re-Convene at Sydney University Thursday morning

## Thursday, 3 April – University of Sydney

## 9:00-1030 - Panel 5 - China: An Architectural Catalyst?

Chair: Dr Katherine Morton, Department of International Relations, ANU

Presenter: Zhu Feng, Peking University

Alternative Regional Security Orders: The China Dimension

Presenter: Dr Shogo Suzuki, Manchester University

Asian Stability or Turbulence? The Sino-Japanese Dynamic

Presenter: Professor Kiichi Fujiwara

China as an Order-Builder: Historical Precedents

Discussant: Professor Stuart Harris, Department of International Relations, ANU

## 10:30 - 11:00 - Morning Tea

# 1100-12:20 - Panel 6 - Regional Asymmetries and Non-Traditional Security Approaches

Chair Dr Allan Gyngell, Lowy Institute

Presenter: Dr Ken Jimbo, Keio University

Geopolitical Challenges to the TSD

*Presenter:* Professor Alan Dupont, University of Sydney Non-Traditional Security Factors and Alliance Politics

*Presenter:* Dr Bilveer Singh, National University of Singapore TSD, ASEAN and the Protracted Asymmetry of Terrorism

Discussant: Dr Marianne Hanson, University of Queensland

1220-1250 - Transport to the Lowy Institute

1250-13:30 - Lunch

13:30-14:450 - Special Speaker - Dignitary from the United States

14.45-1500 - Afternoon Tea

1500-1615 – Public Forum: Workshop Participants Interact with Invited Sydney Community Representatives at the LOWY INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL POLICY