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| <p>9AM 10AM</p> <p>10AM</p> <p>10.25AM 10.40AM</p> <p>11AM 11.10AM</p> <p>11.25AM</p> <p>11.40 AM 11.55 AM</p> <p>VIDEOS:</p> <p>12PM to 1.30PM</p> <p>1.30PM to 3.30PM</p> | <p>Registration for the public / coffee welcoming VIPs' arrival</p> <p>Opening ceremony (include Video) YB Senator Datuk Paul Low Seng Kuan, Minister In The Prime Minister's Department, Malaysia</p> <p>Chow Ying Ngeow, Executive Committee of ADPAN</p> <p>Raphaël Chenuil Hazan, Executive Director, The Organisation Together against the Death Penalty (ECPM), France</p> <p>Steven Thiru, President , Malaysian Bar</p> <p>Tan Sri Hasmy Agam, Chairman, Human Rights Commission of Malaysia (SUHAKAM)</p> <p>Constantin Nicolaysen Karamé, First Secretary, Royal Norwegian Embassy, Kuala Lumpur</p> <p>H.E. Rod Smith, Australian High Commissioner to Malaysia</p> <p>H.E. Luc Vandebon, Ambassador & Head of Delegation of the European Union to Malaysia</p> <p>• Bishop Desmond Tutu, Nobel Peace prize, 1984 • Father Charlie Burrows</p> <p>Lunch Time</p> <p>Plenary session: DRUGS AND DEATH PENALTY TOPIC: The inefficiency of death penalty in drug related crimes. The responsibility of the European countries and UN agencies in financing anti-drug programs in retentionist countries. MODERATOR: Representative from ADPAN SPEAKERS: • Dr. Rick Lines, Executive Director, Harm Reduction International, United Kingdom • Ricky Gunawan, Director, Lembaga Bantuan Hukum (LBH) Masyarakat (Community Legal Aid Institute), Indonesia • Professor Franklin Zimring, School of Law, University of California, Berkeley, California, United States of America • M Ravi, Human and Anti-Death Penalty Activist, Singapore • Matilda Bogner, Regional Representative for South East Asia of OHCHR</p> |
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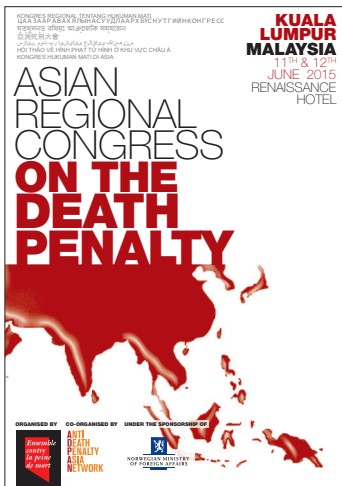


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3.30PM to 4PM Coffee Break

4PM to 5PM

Workshop 1: THE MANDATORY DEATH PENALTY

TOPIC:

Make a clear distinction between the death penalty and the mandatory death penalty, to consider the abolition of the mandatory death penalty as a first step towards total abolition. Progress and regression of the mandatory death penalty. Identification of steps for abolition of the mandatory death penalty.

MODERATOR: Representative from ADPAN

SPEAKERS:

- **Professor Chan Wing Cheong**, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, National University of Singapore, Singapore
- **Parvais Jabbar**, Co-Executive Director, The Death Penalty Project, United Kingdom
- **Dr. Azmi Sharom**, Law Professor, University of Malaya (TBC)
- **Julian McMahon**, Australian lawyer and barrister for Myuran Sukumaran and Andrew Chan, executed in Indonesia

5PM to 6PM

Testimonies: JUDICIAL OFFICIALS/JUDGES/LAWYERS AND THE DEATH PENALTY

TOPIC:

Judicial Officials, Judges and Lawyers will testify their personal experiences when dealing with a death penalty case: how they made decisions; what were their reflections?

SPEAKERS:

- **Chin-hsien Chen**, Judge, Tainan District Court, Taiwan

DAY 2 • 12TH JUNE 2015

9AM to 10.30AM

First roundtable discussion: THE ELEMENTS OF UNFAIR TRIALS

TOPIC:

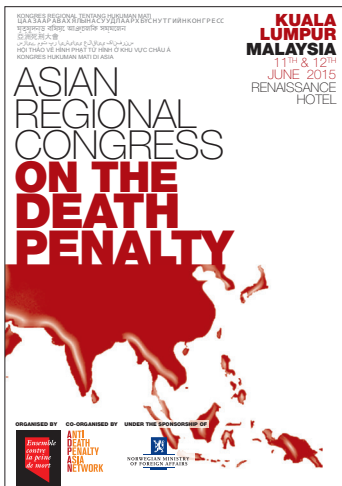
The topic of discrimination in the use of the death penalty. Point out the non-respect of criminal law-guaranteed procedures: unaccompanied defendant during the interrogations, confessions sometimes obtained under torture, etc. Remind retentionist countries to respect the criminal procedures set up and guaranteed by the Criminal Procedure Code.

MODERATOR: Representative from ADPAN

SPEAKERS:

- **Abdul Rashid Ismail**, Advocate & Solicitor, Messrs Rashid Zulkifli and Past President, National Human Rights Society (HAKAM), Malaysia
- **Saul Lehrfreund**, Co-Executive Director, The Death Penalty Project, United Kingdom
- **Leon Chih-hau Huang**, Lawyer, Taiwan - LIONHEART Attorneys-at-Law, specialized in Intellectual Property, Int'l Dispute, Criminal Defense, Legal Interpretation, Forensic Psychology & Psychiatry
- **Puri Kencana Putri**, Research Bureau, The Commission for "the Disappeared" and Victims of Violence (Kontras), Indonesia

10.30AM to 11AM Coffee break



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11AM to 12.30PM **Second roundtable discussion: DIPLOMACY AND DEATH PENALTY**

TOPIC

The diplomatic leverages, a useful tool to help advance the abolitionist cause. The role of interregional organizations (e.g. ASEAN) to promote the abolition of the death penalty in Asia.

MODERATOR:

- **Richard Sedillot**, Lawyer and Defender of death row prisoners, Vice President of the International Commission of the CIB, ECPM Administrator

SPEAKERS:

- **Rafendi Djamin**, Representative of Indonesia to ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Right (AICHR)
- **Tan Sri Muhammad Shafee Abdullah**, Representative of Malaysia to ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Right (AICHR)
- **Luvсанvандан Bold**, Member of Parliament, Mongolia and Former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mongolia

12.30PM to 2PM Lunch Time

2PM to 3.30PM **Workshop 2: INGOs, DIPLOMACY AND DEATH PENALTY**

TOPIC

Sharing experiences on how to incorporate international pressure and diplomacy pressure with local campaigns. Develop common strategies adapted to the particular context of the considered area: East and South East Asia.

MODERATOR:

- **Aurélie Plaçais**, Program Director, World Coalition Against the Death Penalty, France

SPEAKERS:

- **Raphaël Chenuil Hazan**, Executive Director, The Organisation Together against the Death Penalty (ECPM), France
- **Hanna Gormann**, Head of European Commission Project, Reprieve, United Kingdom
- **Chiara Sangiorgio**, Death Penalty Researcher, Amnesty International, United Kingdom
- **Bhatara Ibnu Reza**, Operational Coordinator, The Indonesian Human Rights Monitor (Imparsial), Indonesia
- **Valérie Régnier**, International Relation, Comunita' di Sant'Egidio
- **Michelle Kissenkoetter**, Director of Asia Desk, International Federation for Human Rights FIDH

2PM to 3.30PM **Workshop 3: WORKING WITH THE VICTIMS' FAMILIES**

TOPIC:

Death penalty should not be only tackled through law and legislation approaches. Telling stories, talking about individuals who are directly affected by the death penalty is essential to raise awareness among the media and the public. The importance of creating educational tools about the work with the victims' families. Focus on how we can work with the victim's family from an NGO's point of view. How to reach them without scare them away and develop a relationship with the victim's family. How to reach out to different victims groups and work with them.

MODERATOR: Representative from ADPAN

SPEAKERS:

- **Jiazhen Wu**, Deputy Director, Taiwan Alliance to End the Death Penalty (TAEDP), Taiwan
- **Arthur Wilson**, Executive Director, Prison Fellowship Pakistan, Pakistan
- **Toshi Kazama**, New York-based photographer, Journey of Hope
- **Sabine Atlaoui**, Spouse of a death row prisoner in Indonesia



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2PM to 3.30PM

Workshop 4: TEACHING ABOLITION

TOPIC:

The integration of educative workshops in academic systems' curricula.

MODERATOR: Representative from ADPAN

SPEAKERS:

- **Marianne Rossi**, The Organisation Together against the Death Penalty (ECPM), France
- **Munkhjavhlan Baatar**, Lecturer, National University of Mongolia and Human Rights Activist, Mongolia
- **Connie Chan Man-Wai**, Senior Campaigner, Amnesty International, Hong Kong
- **Li-shu, Weng**, Lu Jiang Elementary School teacher, Executive Board Member of TAEDP, Member of TAEDP Curriculum Team
- **Datuk Dr. Khaw Lake Tee**, Vice-Chairman, Human Rights Commission of Malaysia (SUHAKAM)

3.30PM to 4PM

Coffee break

4PM to 5PM

Closing ceremony

SPEAKERS:

- **Constantin Nicolaysen Karamé**, First Secretary, Royal Norwegian Embassy, Kuala Lumpur
- **Raphaël Chenuil Hazan**, Executive Director, The Organisation Together against the Death Penalty (ECPM), France
- **Charles Hector**, Executive Committee of ADPAN
- **Florence Bellivier**, President of WCADP
- **Mario Marazziti**, Member of Italian Parliament, Parliamentarian for Global Action

CULTURAL PROGRAM:

- Ewam Lin: exhibition of prison drawings (by TAEDP)
- Installation of a prison cell by AI Malaysia/ and pictures of prison
- Letters written by former death-row inmate Yong Vui Kong
- Exhibition of the International Drawing Contest: "Draw Me the Abolition"