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**ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL CONFERENCE  
13-16 DECEMBER 2012  
BANGKOK, THAILAND**

hosted by

**S.A.T. Associates Legal & Tax Co. Ltd**

and

**M.R. Associates Co. Ltd**

**DELEGATES PROGRAM**

Individual arrival at the **Shangri-La Hotel Bangkok**, 89 Soi Wat Suan Plu, New Road, Bangkok, 10500, Thailand, T: +66 2 236 7777, F: +66 2 236 8579, W: <http://www.shangri-la.com/bangkok/shangrila>

**Thursday, 13 December 2012**

9:00 – 17:00	Game of Golf (only for prior registered participants)	
14:30 – 17:30	Practice Group meeting International Taxation <i>Room: Valley Room</i>	Ashish Bairagra Ricky W. P. Wong
19:00 – 21:00	Welcome Cocktail Introduction of GGI new member firms and candidates <i>Room: Next 2 Chao Phraya Main</i>	

**Friday, 14 December 2012**

07:30 – 08:45	Breakfast at the hotel <i>(Dress code: smart casual)</i> <i>Room: Hotel Restaurant</i>	
08:00 – 08:45	Registration at the Hospitality desk (main meeting room "The Study")	
09:00 – 17:30	<b>Conference for Delegates at the hotel</b> <i>(Dress code: smart casual)</i> <i>Room: The Study</i>	
09:00 – 09:15	Official Conference Opening by the Swiss Ambassador to the Kingdom of Thailand	H.E. Christine Schraner Burgener
09:15 – 09:25	Welcome Speech by Founder & Chairman	Claudio G. Cocca
09:25 – 09:32	Words of Welcome by Hosts M.R. Associates Co. Ltd S.A.T. Associates Legal & Tax Co. Ltd	Methee Ratanasrimetha Adirek Limsiriwong

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09:32 – 09:35	Words of Welcome by the President of the Swiss Thai Chamber of Commerce	Mr. Luzi Matzig
09:35 – 10:20	"Why ASEAN matters"	Dr. Sethaput Suthiwart-Naruput
10:20 – 11:15	Addressing long-term structural problems with "short-run fixes" and superimposing "new bubbles" Investment strategy in a rapidly changing and highly volatile environment	Dr. Marc Faber, MD of Marc Faber Ltd & Editor of "The Gloom, Boom & Doom Report"
11:15 – 11:45	Coffee Break <i>Room: Foyer of meeting room</i>	
11:45 – 12:10	Managing a successful practice – current challenges facing the profession	Alan Rajah
12:10 – 13:00	Management Report Asia-Pacific and news from GGI	Peter Kaeser Claudio G. Cocca
	Presentation GGI Institute GGI upcoming conferences	Adam Crowson
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch <i>Room: Next 2 Cafe</i>	
14:00 – 17:30	<b>Practice Group Meetings in two rounds:</b>  <u>Round 1 (14:00 – 15:30):</u>  Corporate, Commercial & IP <i>Room: Valley I</i>  Auditing, Reporting & Compliance <i>Room: Valley II</i>  Task Force Financial Crisis <i>Room: Garden Gallery</i>  Private Equity and International Wealth Management <i>Room: The Study</i>	Ady Nordman Jonathan Agmon  Steve Bradby  Claudio G. Cocca  Vijesh Zinzuwadia
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break  <u>Round 2 (16:00 – 17:30):</u>  M&A <i>Room: Valley I</i>  Immigration & Expatriate Services <i>Room: Valley II</i>  International Dispute Resolution <i>Room: Garden Gallery</i>	Ben Ho  Huub Kapel  Taijun Ichii

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- 19:00 – 19:30 Meeting at the hotel lobby and shuttle boat to dinner location
- 19:30 – 22:30 Dinner at THE PENINSULA Bangkok  
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Klongsan, Bangkok 10600  
Thailand  
T: +66 2 861 28 88  
W: [www.peninsula.com](http://www.peninsula.com)  
Return to the Shangri-La Hotel after dinner
- 22:30 Drinks at the hotel lobby bar of the Shangri-La Hotel

Saturday, 15 December 2012

- 08:00 – 09:30 Breakfast at the hotel  
*(Dress code: smart casual)*  
Room: Hotel Restaurant
- 09:30 – 12:00 **Different workshops**  
*(Dress code: smart casual)*
  - Structuring investment into Australia Iain Spittal  
Allan Farrar  
Room: Garden Gallery
  - The new emerging nations – is BRICs passé? Dipankar Chatterji  
Room: Valley I
  - Managing a successful practice – current issues facing the profession Alan Rajah  
Room: Valley II
  - What you need to know when performing financial due diligence, especially in China? Ricky W. Wong  
Room: Peppino
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break  
Room: Foyer of the meeting rooms
- 12:00 – 14:00 Lunch at the hotel  
Room: Next 2 Cafe
- 14:00 Meeting point for sightseeing tour
- 14:00 – 17:00 **City & Temples including the Grand Palace for all delegates and accompanying persons**  
*This tour includes three of the most unusual Buddhist temples in Bangkok: Wat Trimitr with its invaluable Golden Buddha (5 ½ tons of solid gold) – Wat Po, the most extensive temple in Bangkok, with its colossal Reclining Buddha and the Chedis of the Kings. The Grand Palace is one of the most beautiful samples of an ancient Siamese court. It used to be the residence of the Kings of Thailand. Here you will see palaces which were used for different occasions: the Funeral Palace, the Reception Palace, the Throne Hall, the Coronation Hall, the Royal Guest House and the beautiful Emerald Buddha Temple.*  
**Dress code: no slippers, no shorts**

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- 19:00 Meeting point at the hotel lobby  
Departure to dinner location
- 19:30 – 22:30 Dinner outside of the hotel (River Cruise)
- 22:30 Optional drinks at the hotel lobby bar

### Sunday, 16 December 2012

- 08:00 – 10:30 Breakfast at the hotel
- 10:30 – 15:15 Asia-Pacific Regional Council (APRC) Peter Kaeser  
*by prior invitation only*  
*Room: Boardroom Suites*
- Individual departure of delegates

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