

Roundtable Policy Analysis Dialogue (PAD) Indonesia–Canada

Ottawa, 9 April 2026

ANNOTATED AGENDA

Time: 09.30 am – 12.00 pm (Ottawa Time)

Moderator: H.E. Ambassador Muhsin Syihab

TIME (OTTAWA)	PROGRAMME
09.30 – 09.50	Light refreshments and networking
Opening	
09.50.10.00	Welcoming remarks: Ambassador Muhsin Syihab Followed by introductions
Agenda Item 1: Current Global and Regional Dynamics	
10.00 - 11.15	<p>Purpose: The session aims to identify shared challenges, emerging opportunities, and possible areas of strategic convergence for Indonesia and Canada in maintaining regional stability and prosperity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➔ Strengthening middle powers to advance inclusive and rules-based international order in an era of great power rivalry.➔ Discussion on the strategic implications of the evolving transatlantic security architecture.➔ Global trade fragmentation and the implications of U.S. tariff policies and national security.➔ Enhancing national and regional resilience in the Indo-Pacific through ASEAN-led mechanisms and partnerships. <p>Proceeding:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Moderator opens the session with a brief welcoming message, followed by short introductions.2. General overview from Mr. Muhammad Takdir, Head of Foreign Policy Strategy Agency, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia.3. Exchange of views, moderated by H.E. Muhsin Syihab.
Agenda Item 2: Potential Cooperation and Collaboration	
11.15 – 12.00	<p>Purpose: Discussion on concrete areas for strengthening Indonesia–Canada expanded collaboration in joint research and knowledge sharing.</p>
Closing	
12.00 – 13.30	Luncheon and Networking