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Strengthening the Canada-Republic of Korea Comprehensive Strategic Partnership through Defense Co-operation



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Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in Vancouver

AGENDA

DECEMBER 8, 2025

10:00 – 10:10 AM Opening Remarks



Jeff Nankivell, President and CEO, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada



Jongho Kyun, Consul General of the Republic of Korea in Vancouver

10:10-10:15 AM Introduction



Vina Nadjibulla, Vice-President, Research & Strategy, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada

10:15-10:45 AM Speaker Remarks



Captain Suoek Lee, Director for North America Cooperation, International Cooperation Bureau, Defense Acquisition Program Administration (DAPA), Republic of Korea



Ravi S. K. Singh, Director General, Defence Industrial Strategy Department of National Defence



Dr. Alex Lin, Assistant Professor, Public Policy and Global Affairs, The University of British Columbia



Kelvin Hung, Head of Business Development, Asia Pacific, Europe, and Australasia, IMP Aerospace & Defence

10:45-11:10 AM

Moderated discussion



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MODERATOR:

Vina Nadjibulla, Vice-President, Research & Strategy, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada

11:30-12:30

Networking Lunch

11:10 – 11:25 AM

Audience Q & A

11:25-11:30 AM

Closing Remarks

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