Conference Agenda
Ottawa Forum 2016 | January 28 – 29, 2016 | Château Laurier Hotel
Note: all sessions in the Adam Room unless otherwise indicated.

Thursday, January 28th, 2016

7:45 AM  Registration Opens
Standing light breakfast available

8:30 AM  Opening Keynote
Hon. Stephane Dion, PC, MP, Minister of Foreign Affairs

9:15 AM  Panel One
International Institutions in 2016

Participants:
- Dr. Rohinton Medhora, CIGI
- David Petrasek, University of Ottawa
- Margaret Biggs, Queens University
- Robert Greenhill, Global Canada (moderator)*

10:45 AM  Morning Break

11:15 AM  Special Presentation
Report from World Economic Forum 2016
Hon. John Manley, PC, Canadian Council of Chief Executives

11:45 PM  Networking Luncheon
(Drawing Room)
1:00 PM  Panel Two
Getting the North American Relationships Right

Participants:
- Dr. Fen Olser Hampson, CIGI
- Hon. Gordon D. Giffin, Dentons LLP
- Ian Mallory, SeaNG Corporation
- Agustín Barrios Gómez, Mexico Image Foundation
- Hon. Anne McLellan, PC, Bennett Jones (moderator)*

2:30 PM  Panel Three
Building Blocks for a Canada-Asia Strategy

Participants:
- Stewart Beck, Asia Pacific Foundation Canada
- Kevin Lynch, BMO Financial Group
- Hon. Sandra Pupatello, PwC Canada
- Janet De Silva, Toronto Region Board of Trade
- Paul Wells, Maclean’s (moderator)*

4:00 PM  End of Day 1 Conference
Break

5:30 PM  Public Lecture
Dr. Fareed Zakaria, Host of CNN’s GPS
in conversation with Dr. Roland Paris

Friday, January 29th, 2016

8:30 AM  Welcoming Remarks
Marc-André Blanchard, Canada’s Ambassador and Permanent
Representative-designate to the United Nations

Special Presentation
Hon. Antonio Guterres, Former UN High Commissioner for Refugees
9:15 AM  **Panel Four**
Nowhere to Go – Displaced Persons and their Effect on Global Stability

Panelists:
- Hon. Antonio Guterres, Former UN High Commissioner for Refugees
- Arif Virani, MP, Parkdale-High Park
- Jennifer Bond, University of Ottawa
- Ruma Bose, UN Foundation (moderator)*

10:30 AM  **Coffee & Snack Break**

11:00 AM  **Panel Five**
The Changing Nature of Global Power

Panelists:
- Simon Palamar, CIGI
- Dr. Taylor Owen, University of British Columbia
- Dr. Peter Jones, Centre for International Policy Studies
- Dr. Roland Paris, Prime Minister’s Office (moderator)*

12:30 PM  **Closing Keynote**
Hon. Harjit Sajjan, PC, MP, Minister of National Defence