

## Center for Market Education

### 1st Colloquium on Economics Education Issues in Contemporary Economics Education

#### *Tentative Agenda*

#### 10 December 2019 – Arrival of guests

- 6.30pm: Meeting at Saujana Hotel lobby and departure for Oasis Square Ara Damansara.
- 7.00pm – 9.00pm: Welcome dinner and preliminary discussion at Oasis Square Ara Damansara.

#### 11 December 2019 – Day 1 of the Colloquium

Each session is divided in 20 minutes presentation by the lead discussant and 40 minutes debate.

- 9.00am – 9.30am: Introductory remarks:  
Ali Salman – CEO of IDEAS.  
Carmelo Ferlito – Director of the Center for Market Education.
- 9.30am – 10.30am: Mapping the neoliberal paradigm landscape in higher education in Myanmar.  
Lead discussant: Anders Lee – Researchers, Centre for Economic and Social Development (CESD), Yangon, Myanmar.
- 10.30am – 11.00am: Coffee Break.
- 11.00am – 12.00pm: Why do macroeconomists want core models?  
Lead discussant: Aki P Lehtinen – Professor of Philosophy at Nankai University, Tianjin, China.
- 12.00pm – 1.30pm: Lunch.
- 1.30pm – 2.30pm: From Adam to Vernon Smith: Shedding light on the Invisible Hand.  
Lead discussant: Daniel Schoch – Assistant Professor of Economics at Nottingham University Malaysia Campus, Semenyih, Malaysia.

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- 2.30pm – 3.30pm: Understanding FDIs beyond neoclassical theory: The role of the eclectic paradigm.  
Lead discussant: Lau Zheng Zhou – Research Manager in Economics and Business at IDEAS, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- 3.30pm – 4.00pm: Coffee Break.
- 4.00pm – 5.00pm: The role of religion in re-examining economics as a discipline: A case of Islamic economics.  
Lead discussant: Ali Salman – CEO of IDEAS, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
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- 7.00pm – 9.00pm: Dinner at Oasis Square Ara Damansara.

### 12 December 2019 – Day 2 of the Colloquium

Each session is divided in 20 minutes presentation by the lead discussant and 40 minutes debate.

- 9.30am – 10.30am: Is economic theory historically conditioned? *Verstehen* as a link between theory and history.  
Lead discussant: Carmelo Ferlito – Director of CME, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- 10.30am – 11.00am: Coffee Break.
- 11.00am – 12.30pm: Bounded rational behavior and its importance in economic analysis.  
Lead discussant: Consilz Tan – Senior Lecturer of Economics at UoW Malaysia KDU University College, Shah Alam, Malaysia.
- 12.30pm – 2.00pm: Lunch.

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