

**SEMINAR ON TRADE LOGISTICS AND CAREC CORRIDOR
PERFORMANCE MONITORING**
Baku, Azerbaijan: 23 April 2008

AGENDA

9:00–9:05 Welcome Remarks

Shanin Bagirov
Head, Main Department for Organizing the Customs Supervision,
State Customs Committee

Morning Seminar: Development of Trade Logistics in the CAREC Region

9:05–9:15 Opening Remarks:

Robert Y. Siy, Jr.
Director, Country Coordination and Regional Cooperation Division,
Central and West Asia Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)

9:15–11:15 Consultant Report—Summary of Country Trade Logistics Studies

Chair:

Ying Qian
Principal Economist (Financial Sector), Coordination Regional
Cooperation, Governance, Finance and Trade Division, East Asia
Regional Department (EARD), ADB

Speakers:

ADB consultants Max Ee Khong Kie, International Trade Institute of
Singapore, and Prof. Mark Goh, National University of Singapore

- [Development of Trade Logistics in CAREC: Issues and Opportunities](#)

11:15–11:45 Open Floor Discussion—Questions, Comments and Answers

11:45–12:00 Concluding Remarks

Chair:

Ying Qian

**Afternoon Seminar: Performance Measurement and Monitoring of CAREC
Transport and Trade Corridors**

14:00–14:15 Opening Remarks

Robert Y. Siy, Jr.

**14:15–15:45 Consultant Presentation—Integrated Approach for Performance
Measurement and Monitoring**





Chair:

Ying Qian

- [Introduction Presentation](#) 

Speakers:

ADB Consultants Professor Lauri Ojala, Turku School of Economics, Finland, and Ms. Loreli de Dios, Trade Facilitation Specialist

- [Performance Measurement and Monitoring: UNESCAP and WCO Methodologies](#) 
- [Integrated Approach for Performance Measurement and Monitoring](#) 
- [Methodology of Logistics Performance Index](#) 
- [Trade Logistics Measurement in CAREC](#) 

**15:45–16:15 Roles of Union of National Association of Forwarders and
Carriers (UNAFCA) in Promotion of Regional Trade**

Chair: ADB

Speaker:

Boris Mironchik
Head of Working Group of UNAFCA

16:15–16:45 Open Floor Discussion—Questions, Comments and Answers

16:45–17:00 Concluding Remarks

Chair:

Ying Qian