



# Asia-Europe Meeting

## ASEM Senior Official Meeting (SOM)

*7-8 September 2017,*

*MICC-I, Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar*

*Tentative Agenda*

*(As of 29-8-2017)*

1. Adoption of agenda
2. Business arrangements
3. Future of ASEM
  - 3.1. Relevance of ASEM in the current global context
    - 3.1.1. Reviewing the lessons learnt from the previous ASEM experiences
    - 3.1.2. Ensuring efficient working method for 3rd decade
    - 3.1.3. Nexus of ASEM framework and United Nations' SDGs implementation
    - 3.1.4. How to produce tangible results from the cooperation under full use of ASEM's informal context
  - 3.2. The structure/format/procedure/rules of ASEM activities
    - 3.2.1. "Chair's statement" or "Chair's summary report"
    - 3.2.2. Format of "Chair's statement" or "Chair's summary report"
    - 3.2.3. The role of chair
  - 3.3. ASEM as a platform for Strategic cooperation
    - 3.3.1. Report of the 2<sup>nd</sup> APGC meeting
    - 3.3.2. ASEM Initiatives and meetings
      - 3.3.2.1. Current ASEM Ministerial calendar
      - 3.3.2.2. Future ASEM Ministerial Meetings for consideration in 2018

4. Preparation for the 13<sup>th</sup> ASEM Foreign Ministers' Meeting
  - 4.1 Logistic arrangements
  - 4.2. Tentative Programme
  - 4.3. Chair's statement/ Discussion on the elements to be discussed at the FMM13
5. ASEF's contribution to the Key ASEM Meetings in 2017
6. Any other business

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