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(Malaysian Economic Association)

Dear All,

Greetings from the Malaysian Economic Association (MEA).

With great pleasure, the MEA cordially invites you to a talk on the IMF World Economic Outlook (WEO) Report by Mr Weicheng Lian and the IMF Global Financial Stability Report (GFSR) presented by Mr. Jochen M. Schmittmann.

Details of the programme are as follows:

Date : 29 April 2019 (Monday)

Time : 9.00 am – 11.30 am

Venue : TBC

### **Program Agenda**

8.30 am - Registration and Welcome Drinks

9:00 – 9:45 am Presentation on World Economic Outlook

9:45 – 10:00 am Q&A Session

10:00 – 10:15 am Coffee Break

10:15 – 11:00 am Presentation on Global Financial Stability Report

11:00 – 11:15 am Q&A Session

### **SPEAKERS' PROFILE**



Weicheng Lian

Weicheng Lian is an Economist in the Research Department of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), having worked previously in the European Department of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), having worked previously in the European Department. His research projects cover a wide range of issues, including labor income share, housing trends and cycles, and exchange rate and inflation dynamics. He holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Princeton University and B.S. in Physics and M.A. in Economics both from Peking University



Jochen M. Schmittmann

Jochen M. Schmittmann is the head of the International Monetary Fund's (IMF) representative office in Singapore, covering Singapore, Malaysia, and financial market developments across Asia. Prior to moving to Singapore, Jochen worked in the Asia and Pacific, Western Hemisphere, Finance, and Monetary and Capital Markets departments at the IMF. He also worked as part of the team managing the IMF's investments. Jochen has published on a range of topics in finance and macroeconomics, including behavioral finance, currency hedging, and the economic impact of demographic change in Asia. He holds a Ph.D. in Financial Economics from Goethe University Frankfurt.

Your attendance to the above event is highly appreciated.

We would appreciate it if you could disseminate this information to your colleagues who may be interested.

We are looking forward to receiving you at this special event. We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for your valuable support and cooperation.

For registration, kindly fill in the form.

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Thank you.

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