

PROGRAM

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2016

- All Day Arrival of Participants
Vancouver International Airport
- Greeting and Transportation to the Official Hotel
The Westin Bayshore, Vancouver
1601 Bayshore Drive, Vancouver
- 12:00 – 20:00 Registration
APPF Registration and Information Desk
Bayshore Grand Foyer
The Westin Bayshore, Vancouver
- Private Program

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17, 2016

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- 09:00 – 12:00 Meeting of Women Parliamentarians
Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1
- Welcoming Remarks by
- The Honourable Geoff Regan, P.C., M.P.
Speaker of the House of Commons of Canada
- Opening Address by
- The Honourable Hedy Fry, P.C., M.P.
House of Commons of Canada
- 12:15 – 14:00 Luncheon for Women Parliamentarians
hosted by
The Honourable Mobina Jaffer, Q.C.,
Senator of Canada
and
Dr. Nurhayati Ali Assegaf, M.P.,
House of Representatives of
the Republic of Indonesia
Fairmont Pacific Rim Hotel
1038 Canada Place, Vancouver
- [by invitation only]*
- 12:00 – 13:30 Luncheon for Members of the Executive
Committee
International Suite, 5th floor, Main Building
The Westin Bayshore
- [by invitation only]*
- 12:30 – 13:30 Meeting of Advisors and Secretaries to
delegations
Cypress
- 14:00 – 17:00 Meeting of the Executive Committee
Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1 and 2

18:30 – 21:30 Welcome Dinner Reception
hosted by
The Honourable George J. Furey, Q.C.
Speaker of the Senate of Canada
and
The Honourable Geoff Regan, P.C., M.P.
Speaker of the House of Commons of Canada
Bayshore Grand Foyer
The Westin Bayshore
Business Attire
[for all participants]

MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 2016

09:00 Press Conference
Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1

09:30 – 10:30 Official Opening Session
Bayshore Grand Ballroom

Welcoming to the Territory of the Coast Salish
by Amanda Nahannee

Welcoming Remarks by

- The Honourable Donald N. Plett,
Senator and President of the APPF
Executive Committee
- The Honourable George J. Furey, Q.C.,
Speaker of the Senate
- The Honourable Geoff Regan, P.C., M.P.,
Speaker of the House of Commons
- His Worship Gregor Robertson,
Mayor of Vancouver

- The Honourable Takuji Yanagimoto,
Member of the House of Councillors of
Japan

Opening Address by

- Ms. Pamela Goldsmith-Jones, M.P. ,
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of
Foreign Affairs

10:30 – 10:45

Health Break

10:45 – 12:00

First Plenary Session

Bayshore Grand Ballroom

Political and Security Matters

- Building the Tools of Democracy and
Citizen Engagement

11:00 – 12:00

Meeting of the Drafting Committee

Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1

12:00 – 14:00

Luncheon for Speakers and Heads of Delegation
hosted by

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Speaker of the Senate of Canada

and

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Speaker of the House of Commons of Canada

International Suite, 5th floor, Main Building

The Westin Bayshore

[by invitation only]

12:00 – 14:00	Buffet Luncheon for all Delegates Currents Restaurant The Westin Bayshore
14:00 – 17:00	First Plenary Session (continued) Bayshore Grand Ballroom <i>Political and Security Matters</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Strengthening Peace and Security in the Asia-Pacific Region• Addressing Transnational Crime and Human Trafficking• Combatting Terrorism
14:00 – 17:00	Meeting of the Drafting Committee Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1
14:00 – 17:00	Working Groups (4) Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 2 and 3 Oak Cypress
18:15	Assemble in the hotel lobby
18:20	Departure by bus for Stanley Park Pavilion
18:30 – 21:30	Dinner Reception Naturally Canada Stanley Park Pavilion 610 Pipeline Road Stanley Park, Vancouver <i>Casual Dress</i> <i>[for all participants]</i>

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2016

- 09:00 – 09:30 Keynote Address by
- Mr. Stewart Beck, President and CEO of the Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada
- Bayshore Grand Ballroom**
- 09:30 – 12:30 Meeting of the Drafting Committee
Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1
- 09:30 – 12:30 Working Groups (4)
Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 2 and 3
Oak
Cypress
- 09:30 – 10:30 Second Plenary Session
Bayshore Grand Ballroom
- Economic and Trade Matters*
- Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
- 10:30 – 10:45 Health Break
- 10:45 – 12:00 Second Plenary Session (continued)
Bayshore Grand Ballroom
- Economic and Trade Matters*
- Fostering Innovation and Connectivity
- 12:00 – 14:00 Buffet Luncheon for all Delegates
Currents Restaurant
The Westin Bayshore
- 13:30 – 17:30 Meeting of the Drafting Committee
Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1

- 13:30 – 17:30 Working Groups (4)
**Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 2 and 3
Oak
Cypress**
- 14:00 – 16:30 Second Plenary Session (continued)
Bayshore Grand Ballroom
Economic and Trade Matters
- Expanding Regional Trade and Investment and Optimizing Global Value Chains
 - Promoting Gateways and Enhancing Infrastructure
- 16:30 – 17:30 Third Plenary Session
Bayshore Grand Ballroom
Regional Cooperation in Asia-Pacific
- Ensuring an Optimistic and Prosperous Future for Youth
- Private Program

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2016

- 09:00 – 12:00 Third Plenary Session (continued)
Bayshore Grand Ballroom
Regional Cooperation in Asia-Pacific
- Building Resilience to Disasters and Crises
 - Protecting Wildlife and Advancing the Sustainable Management of Land and Marine Ecosystems
 - Implementing the Post-2015 Development Agenda and Sustainable Development Goals

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12:00 – 14:00	Buffet Luncheon for all Delegates Currents Restaurant The Westin Bayshore
13:00 – 14:00	Meeting of the Drafting Committee Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1
14:00 – 16:00	Final Plenary Session Bayshore Grand Ballroom <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outcome of the Meeting of Women Parliamentarians• Reports on Previous APPF Work• Future Work and Hosts of APPF Annual Meetings• Adoption of the Resolutions and Joint Declaration• Signature of the Joint Declaration• Closing Statements
16:30 – 17:00	Final Press Conference Stanley Park Ballroom, Salon 1 Private Program

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2016

All Day Departure of Delegates

Excursion to Whistler Village *(optional)*

08:30 Departure by bus for Whistler

10:30 Arrival in Whistler

Greeted by Whistler Tourism Officials

10:45 Peak 2 Peak Gondola

Arrival on top of Blackcomb Mountain
Photo and viewing opportunity

Peak 2 Peak back to Whistler Mountain
Photo and viewing opportunity

Gondola back to Whistler
Free time in village

14:30 Departure by bus for Vancouver

16:30 Arrival in Vancouver

Private Program

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2016

All Day Departure of Delegates