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FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 2014

Johns Hopkins University - SAIS
1740 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20036

The conference will begin at 9:00 a.m.
Preceded by light refreshments.

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AGENDA: FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 2014

8:00-8:55 a.m.

Registration and Light Refreshments

9:00-9:10 a.m.

Opening Remarks

Mr. Brad Pupello

Executive Director, Rebuild Afghanistan Summit, Washington DC

9:10-9:15 a.m.

SAIS: Welcome Remarks

Dr. Walter Andersen, Administrative Director, South Asia Studies, SAIS

9:15- 10:15 a.m.

Panel #1: Afghanistan & Pre-Frontier Investment

Moderated by:

Mr. Albert Bossar (confirmed)

Project Manager, SME Investments Task Force Business Stability Operations

Dr. Shah Mehrabi (confirmed)

Member of Supreme Council, Da Afghanistan Bank

Mr. John Aldonas (confirmed)

Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC)

Mr. Sanzar Kakar (confirmed)

Chairman, Afghan Holdings Group

Ms. Malalai Wassail

CLO, Roshan

Benj Conway (confirmed)

Co-CEO and Co-Founder, InFrontier LTD

10:15 - 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30- 11:00 a.m.

Special Presentation

Ms. Benafsha Tasmim (confirmed)

Strongheart Fellow and Former Skateistan Education Coordinator

Mr. Curt Laird

American University of Afghanistan

11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Panel #2: Public Private Partnerships; Support Beyond 2014

Moderated by:

Mr. Shakib Noori (confirmed)

Private Investment Economic Advisor, Afghan Embassy, Washington D.C.

Mr. David Bailey (confirmed)

Senior Private Investment Advisor AF-PAK. USAID

Ms. Najilla Habibyar (confirmed)

CEO, Export Promotion Agency of Afghanistan (EPAA)

Mr. Brendan O'Donoghue (confirmed)

Program Manager of Investment and Entrepreneurship, TFBSO

Mr. Steve Landrigan (confirmed)

Carpet SME & Consultant, US Department of Commerce AIRTF

12:00-12:45 p.m.

Lunch - Traditional Afghan Cuisine

12:45- 1:00 p.m.

Growth Through Sports Enterprise

Mr. Chris McDonald (confirmed)

Founder, Special Advisor to Afghan Premier League

1:00-1:05 p.m.

Introduction to Keynote Speaker

Mr. Chris McDonald

1:05-1:10 p.m.

Video Presentation Clip

The Network: The Story of Tolo News

1:10-1:30 p.m.

Keynote Speaker

Mr. Zaid Mohseni (confirmed)

Chief Operations Officer, MOBY Group

1:30-1:50 p.m.

Fireside Chat, Questions & Answers

Mr. Zaid Mohseni & Mr. Chris McDonald

1:50-2:00 p.m.

Break

2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Security Outlook Post-2014

H.E. Mr. Hekmatullah Foushanji

Director of Foreign Affairs, Office of National Security Council

LTC Scott Mann (Ret) (confirmed)

Founder, The Stability Institute

Mr. Milt Bearden (confirmed)

President, Asia-Africa Projects Group

2:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Social Enterprise

Ms. Connie Duckworth

Arzu Studio Hope

Ms. Roz Rustigian (confirmed)

Rustigian Rugs & Initiative to Educate Afghan Women

3:00-3:15 p.m.

Summation and Closing Remarks

Mr. Brad Pupello

Executive Director, Rebuild Afghanistan Summit