

Monday November 14th, 2005

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Lunch

1:30 pm – 3:45 pm

Theme 9: The Case for Civil Society Involvement

The Role of Civil Society in EITI
Ole Andressen, Representative of the World Bank Oil, Gas and Mining Unit

Working Group Session – “Towards Effective Civil Society Involvement”

Break

Report on Working Group Session

3:45 pm – 4:00 pm

Closing Remarks

Conference Chair – Gregory McGuire

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8:00 am – 9:00 am

Registration

9:00 am – 9:15 am

Welcome Remarks

Errol K. McLeod, President General, OWTU

Welcome Remarks

Principal, University of the West Indies

9:15 am – 9:45 am

Feature Address – Minister in the Ministry of Finance

Senator, The Honourable Conrad Enill

9:45 am – 10:15 am

Theme 1: Hydrocarbon Sector Investment, Output and Export

Review 1995-2005 and Forecast 2006-2010
Presented By – Representative NGC

10:15 am – 10:30 am

Break

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Theme 2: Fiscal Policy and Hydrocarbon Revenue

Trends in Sources and Uses of Hydrocarbon Wealth: A Comparative Analysis, 1974-1979 and 2000-2005 Compared
Presented By – Gregory Mc Guire, UWI

Hydro Carbon Taxation and Fiscal Incentives
Presented By – Greta Jackman, Assistant Commissioner, Oil Audit Department, Ministry of Finance

11:30 am – 12:30 pm

Theme 3: Capturing Resource Rents

Capturing Resource Rents: by Analysing the True Economic Value of the Resource and Factoring Sustainability and Energy Security Concerns - the Case of Trinidad and Tobago
Presented By – Justin Ram, SEDU

Maximizing Value from LNG: Pitfalls and Options
Presented By – Anthony Paul, Energy Strategy Consultant

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Tuesday, November 15th 2005

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Theme 4: Welfare Expenditure and Labour Market Issues

Presentation By – Reynold Simons,
International Labour Organization (ILO)

The Challenge of Creating an Equitable Society in
an Externally Propelled Hydrocarbon Based
Economy

*Presented By David Abdulah, Oilfields Workers'
Trade Union (OWTU)*

*Discussant – Dr. Roy Thomas
Chairman - Dr. Ralph Henry*

2:30 pm – 2:45 pm

Break

2:45 pm – 4:00 pm

**Theme 5: International Transparency and
Accountability Initiatives**

Presentation By – Dr. Malaika Culverwell,
UK Department for International Development,
Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative

Presentation By – Henry Parham
International Coordinator – Publish What You Pay

*Discussant - Mr. Reginald Dumas, Trinidad and
Tobago Transparency Institute (TTTI)*

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8:30 am – 10:00 am

**Theme 6: Linkages and Entrepreneurship-
Building Local Enterprise Capability**

The Case for State Involvement in Strategic
Investments: Reflections on the Point Lisas
Experience

*Presented By – Carlos Hee Houng, Principal
Consultant - The Savonetta Group*

Presentation By -The Honourable Eric A. Williams
Minister of Energy and Energy Industries

*Discussant – Kirston Coombs, Energy Consultant
Chairperson – Dr. Trevor Farrell UWI*

10:00 am – 10:15 am

Break

10:15 am – 11:15 am

**Theme 7: The Macroeconomics of Petro
Exporting Economies**

Natural Resource Funds and Macroeconomics in
Hydrocarbon-based Rentier Economies, with
Application to Trinidad and Tobago

Presented By – Dennis Pantin & Dale James, UWI

Foreign Exchange Management in Resource Boom
*Presented By – Dr. Ewart Williams, Governor –
Central Bank of Trinidad and Tobago (CBTT)*

Discussant – Dr. Eric St. Cyr

11:15 am – 12:30 pm

**Theme 8: Socio Environmental Impact of
Industrial Estate Development**

Charting the Industrial Revolution and Its Inter-
Relations with the Environment and Communities in
Trinidad and Tobago

*Presented By – Dr. Soriaya Manwaring,
Environmental Management Authority (EMA)*

Industrial Estates and Village Communities in
Trinidad and Tobago
*Presented By – Dr. J. Rocke, Institute of Marine
Affairs (IMA)*

Discussant – Professor Julian Kenny