

## Temasek Foundation Centre for Trade & Negotiations (TFCTN)

Invites you to a Presentation on

# Game Changers: India in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

**Speaker:** Michael DiPaula-Coyle  
Director, Policy Advocacy  
US-India Business Council

**Date:** 20 January 2010, Wednesday  
**Time:** 10.00 am to 11.30 am

**Venue:** Room 2 & 3, Block S4 Level B4  
Nanyang Avenue  
Nanyang Technological University

Dress code: Office  
Attire, Long-sleeve  
shirt without tie

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The Temasek Foundation Centre for Trade & Negotiations (TFCTN) is a policy research centre at the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Nanyang Technological University. The Centre is dedicated to improving the process of international negotiations, with a particular focus on increasing capabilities and access for developing states. The Centre uses rigorous empirical research to create new ideas and to generate informed debate leading to practical policy alternatives for improving global negotiations on trade and economic issues. Countries which are unable to participate effectively risk losing out on the process of globalization.

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### About the Speaker

Michael DiPaula-Coyle serves as Director at the U.S.-India Business Council. In that role, he acts as Deputy to President Ron Somers and oversees a broad management and policy portfolio, including digital economy, insurance and pensions, and media and entertainment.

Prior to joining USIBC, Michael served as Chief of Staff at the International Trade Administration in the U.S. Department of Commerce. In that role he served as the Under Secretary's senior staff member, political advisor, and speechwriter and as a member of the senior management team leading an agency with 2,200 employees with operations in the United States and in 77 countries.

Prior to that, Michael was a Special Assistant and Policy Advisor at the Bureau of Industry and Security, where he helped develop, coordinate and implement national security policies regarding high-technology trade and dual-use export controls.

He served as the lead U.S. Government policy coordinator for the U.S.-India High Technology Cooperation Group, a bilateral high-technology and nonproliferation dialogue which helped lead to a strengthening of the Indian export control system, enhanced bilateral nonproliferation cooperation, and increased high-technology and defense exports to India.

He also participated in executive branch reform of the U.S. dual-use export control system.

Michael received his undergraduate degree from the University of St. Andrews, Scotland, and his Master's Degree from King's College, London.

### About the Presentation

The presentation addresses the rise of India as an economic, military and political power, with a specific focus on the transformation of the U.S.-India Strategic Partnership, as well identifying the 5 key sectors of the Indian Economy that will be a driving force for global growth in the coming decades (nuclear energy, military, IT, retail and pharmaceuticals).

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