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Topic of the Lecture:

“ Modeling the impact of decarbonization on Global Value Chain related to the ASEAN countries. ”

SPEAKER:

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Dr. Badri Narayanan Gopalakrishnan serves NITI Aayog – Government of India (GoI), as a Non-Resident Fellow, wherein he previously headed the verticals of Trade and Commerce, Strategic Economic Dialogue, International Cooperation, and Vision India@2047. Prior to joining the GoI, he has been an economist working to analyze a wide range of economic (mainly international trade), disruptive technology, environmental/energy, labor, and public health policies. He has informed the process of decision making in several major economic policies, such as free trade agreements, technology regulations, etc., both through his academic research and consulting/advisory projects. He simultaneously holds several affiliations: Affiliate/Courtesy Faculty Member with the University of Washington Seattle, Oregon State University, and Boston College, Non-Resident Senior Fellow with the European Center for International Political Economy, Brussels, National Council for Applied Economic Research (NCAER) and Center for Social and Economic Progress (formerly Brookings India), New Delhi.

Dr. Badri was on the Board of Directors of the British American Business Council. He has also been a consultant with the UN, World Bank, ILO, FAO, WHO, IMF, ADB, McKinsey, KPMG, PWC, CGD, Harvard University, LSE, ICRIER, NCAER, the Commonwealth Secretariat, Tata Group, Aditya Birla Group and several other international organizations as well as government/private bodies across the world. Furthermore, he is a consulting advisor to the Honorable Minister of Trade, UAE, and the General Authority of Foreign Trade, Saudi Arabia.

He was awarded by the India Australia Business and Community Alliance in 2022 for Excellence in Trade and Investment. He has also been engaged with the startup community across the world as an advisor and co-founder. He founded a consulting firm named "Infinite Sum Modelling" in 2015, which has a global presence, with offices/centers in Vancouver, Seattle, Los Angeles, Coimbatore, Bangalore, Hyderabad, Chennai and New Delhi. He has published over 150 papers, and 8 books cited thousands of times in journals as well as popular media (FT, BBC, CNN, WP, The Economist, etc.), in reputed journals such as Nature Communication, Energy Economics, Network, and Spatial Economics, Economic Modelling, Applied Economics, Agricultural Economics, etc., and presented his work in over 30 countries across the world, including several times as a Keynote/Plenary Speaker.

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