From Support to Governance: Global Anti-Corruption Pathways

Program for Multifaceted Approaches to Prevent Corruption and Enhance Accountability

12 December 12:00-1:15PM

Carter Center Chapel/livestreamed

## Zoom link <https://emory.zoom.us/j/94120574307?pwd=bENyL0cycWNOTWtjTEQ0Sk1vR0ZQQT09>

## Description:

Cooperation among and assistance between States on investigative and prosecutorial strategies to combat corruption has advanced significantly. This side event will consider how lessons learned may be applied in global judicial terms: a standing and specialized International Anti-Corruption Court.

**Panelists (all in person, one PPT)**

* Judge Dr. Claudia Escobar, Vice Chair, Integrity Initiatives International (III)
* Justin Snyder, Chief of Party, USAID Integritas for Partnership for Governance Reform

in Indonesia (KEMITRAAN) (TBC)

* Hillary Forden, Senior Associate Director, Rule of Law Program, The Carter Center
* Cynthia Gabriel, Founder, Centre to Combat Corruption and Cronyism (C4); Senior

Anti-Corruption Advisor, Center for Independent Private Enterprise (CIPE)

* Slagjana Taseva, Chair, Transparency International Macedonia; Board Member, Integrity

Initiatives International; Board Member, International Academic Advisory Board in the International Anti-Corruption Academy; Former Committee Member, Afghanistan Joint Independent Anti-Corruption Monitoring and Evaluation Committee

**Moderator:** Rebecca A. Shoot, Executive Director, Citizens for Global Solutions (CGS)

RUN-OF-SHOW

12:00 - 12:05: **Opening Remarks by Moderator: Toward an International Anti-Corruption Court**

Rebecca A. Shoot, Executive Director, Citizens for Global Solutions (CGS)

12:05 - 12:15: **Lessons from Hybrid Mechanisms to Combat Corruption**

Judge Dr. Claudia Escobar, Vice Chair, Integrity Initiatives International (III)

*Dr. Escobar will speak to her experience with CICIG as a hybrid mechanism to fight corruption, distilling important lessons for IACC. How CICIG operated, investigated cases of high corruption – and then, what happened when it left.*

12:15 - 12:25: **The Case of Indonesia: Understanding the Enforcement Gap (POWERPOINT)**

Justin Snyder, Chief of Party, USAID Integritas for Partnership for Governance Reform

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*The Indonesian Corruption Eradication Commission (KPK) is a paradigmatic case of the “enforcement gap” upon which Mr. Snyder will expound.*

12:25 - 12:35: **Lessons from Foreign Assistance in Legal and Judicial Anti-Corruption Initiatives**

Hillary Forden, Senior Associate Director, Rule of Law Program, The Carter Center

*Ms. Forden will bring perspective from Carter Center and earlier roles at ABA ROLI and with the US Government supporting legal and judicial anti-corruption efforts bilaterally between States and from civil society/development, extrapolating what lessons and practices could be applicable to a standing international body.*

12:35 - 12:45: **The Case of Malaysia: Toward Judicial Complementarity and Cooperation**

Cynthia Gabriel, Founder, Centre to Combat Corruption and Cronyism (C4); Senior

Anti-Corruption Advisor, Center for Independent Private Enterprise (CIPE)

*Malaysia, despite ups and downs, has managed to improve accountability but challenges remain. The international anti-corruption framework could be improved, including through the creation of an IACC, to help further fortify enhanced accountability in Malaysia and beyond.*

12:45 - 12:55: **Closing** **Remarks: The Need for an International Anti-Corruption Court**

Sladjana Taseva, Chair, Transparency International Macedonia; Board Member, Integrity

Initiatives International; Board Member, International Academic Advisory Board in the International Anti-Corruption Academy; Former Committee Member, Afghanistan Joint Independent Anti-Corruption Monitoring and Evaluation Committee

*Why gaps in the existing international legal framework demand an International Anti-Corruption Court.*

12:55 - 1:10: **Question and Answer/Discussion** (in person questions only as live stream is one-way)

1:10 - 1:15: **1 Minute Closing Thoughts from Each Speaker**

1:15: **Thank You and Closing**