

In an era of economic fragmentation, governments and policy leaders are confronted with unprecedented challenges: rising protectionism, trade tensions, supply chain vulnerabilities, inflationary pressures, technological disruptions, and surging public debt.

The Malaysia's Economic Resilience Program, designed and delivered by the Asia School of Business (ASB) in collaboration with MIT Sloan, equips senior leaders with the insights, frameworks, and applied tools needed to strengthen economic resilience while advancing inclusive and sustainable growth.

The curriculum integrates cutting-edge scholarship with practitioner experience and offers immersive exposure to policy implementation through field engagement with Malaysia's central bank.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This program is curated for:

- · Senior government officials shaping economic, fiscal, and industrial strategies
- Policymakers and regulators in central banks, ministries, and supervisory agencies
- Senior executives from government-linked companies (GLCs) and state-owned enterprises
- Leaders in think tanks, policy institutes, and advisory roles focusing on economic governance

## **PROGRAM OBJECTIVES**

Participants will:

- 1. Interpret global economic shifts and anticipate their implications for national policy.
- 2. Evaluate fiscal, monetary, and industrial policy options in response to inflation, debt, and climate imperatives.
- 3. Strengthen supply chain resilience amid geopolitical, technological, and pandemic-related disruptions.
- 4. Apply evidence-based policymaking frameworks to design effective and accountable strategies.
- 5. Translate global insights into actionable approaches that enhance national competitiveness and resilience.



## **PROGRAM MODULES**

## Module 1: Macroeconomic & Fiscal Context (2 Days)

October 16 & 17, 2025

- The World Economic Outlook Global growth prospects, trade fragmentation, and industrial policies
- Macroeconomic Policies of Emerging Asia Policy challenges amid geopolitical shifts and new growth opportunities
- Fiscal and Monetary Policy in a Changing World Reshaping strategies for inflation, debt, and technological disruption
- Strategies for Addressing Public Debt Fiscal options for sustainability and stability

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## Module 2: Industrial Policy & Global Value Chains (3 Days)

October 27 - 29, 2025

- Strengthening Global Value Chain Resilience Lessons from the US-China trade war, COVID-19, and geopolitical shocks
- Trade and Industrial Development Sustainable innovation and competitiveness strategies for emerging economies
- Field Immersion (October 28)
- The Revival of Industrial Policy Competitiveness, climate, and supply chain resilience
- Evidence-based Policymaking Applications Transitioning from experience-based to data-driven policy design

# Global-to-local perspectives

Bridging international frameworks with Malaysia's context and aspirations

## Faculty of distinction

Renowned scholars and practitioners with senior experience in central banks, multilateral institutions, and global finance

## **Applied learning**

Interactive workshops, case studies, and simulations that connect theory to policy practice

## Immersive exposure

A field engagement connecting policy frameworks with Malaysia's industry and innovation landscape

## **FACULTY EXCELLENCE**





## Prof Ozer Karagedikli

PhD in Economics, Marburg University (Germany). Former Economic Adviser at the Reserve Bank of New Zealand, with prior roles at the Bank of England and the SEACEN Centre. He actively advises and lectures at central banks worldwide, bringing practical insights on global macroeconomic policy, financial stability, and emerging market challenges.



#### **Prof Hans Genberg**

Senior Associate Dean of the Central Banking Group and Professor of Economics at the Asia School of Business. Former Professor of Economics at the Graduate Institute of International Studies in Geneva, where he supervised over thirty doctoral students who went on to senior roles at central banks, the IMF, and academia. He has held leadership positions at the Hong Kong Monetary Authority, the SEACEN Centre in Kuala Lumpur, and the IMF's Independent Evaluation Office. With a PhD in Economics from the University of Chicago, he has published extensively on central banking, exchange rate regimes, reserve management, and Asian financial systems.



#### Su Yen Chia

Associate & Adjunct Faculty at ASB. A veteran in Government Affairs and Public Policy for the Asian banking sector, she has held senior leadership roles including Deputy CEO of Euroclear Bank (Hong Kong), Head of Government Relations at Barclays Asia Pacific, and Vice President of Public Policy at Credit Suisse Asia. She previously worked at UNDP in New York, co-authoring the inaugural UNDP Gender Report and contributing to the Millennium Development Goals framework. A Columbia University graduate and Sasakawa Fellow, she is now leveraging her expertise in financial strategy, sustainability, and emerging technologies such as blockchain and AI.



## Dr Ho Sui-Jade

Visiting Professor at the Asia School of Business and former Deputy Director in the Monetary Policy Department of Bank Negara Malaysia. She brings deep expertise in monetary policy analysis, inflation forecasting, and central bank decision-making, having served as part of the secretariat team for BNM's Monetary Policy Committee. Her recent work expands into climate change economics, where she co-led a subgroup under the Network for the Greening of the Financial System (NGFS). Dr. Ho holds degrees from the University of Cambridge (BA in Economics), Harvard University (MPA/ID), and the University of Michigan – Ann Arbor (PhD in Economics), and is also a CFA Charterholder. Her research has been published in leading journals such as The Review of Economics and Statistics and The Australian Economic Review. She is also an Associate Certified Coach (ACC) with the International Coaching Federation.



#### **Dr Andrew Coleman**

Public sector and academic economist with wide-ranging expertise in macroeconomics, monetary and fiscal policy, tax, intergenerational economics, and sustainable development. He holds a PhD in Economics from Princeton University, with training in development economics. Dr. Coleman has extensive lecturing experience in New Zealand and the United States, teaching macroeconomics, public finance, economic growth, and international finance. Over more than a decade, he has served in New Zealand's key macroeconomic agencies, focusing on retirement income, tax policy, and intergenerational economic challenges. His research and commentary frequently influence public policy debates and media, known for their innovation, depth, and clarity. He continues to bridge academia and policy, ensuring that research and practice inform and strengthen one another.



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