



## Event Program

11:45 | Introductions of the Awardees of Asia CEO Awards 2022 – Richard Mills



### 11:30 | **Martin Romualdez**

*Speaker of the House  
House of Representatives.  
Republic of the Philippines*

**KEYNOTE PRESENTER:** Martin Romualdez was overwhelmingly elected Speaker of the House of Representatives earlier this year. He is also president of the Lakas–Christian Muslims Democrats (CMD) party, one of the oldest political parties in the country. During the 18th Congress, during the Covid-19 pandemic, Martin was majority leader of the House. His role was critical for the speedy passage of two important Bayanihan laws — the Bayanihan to Heal as One Act or Bayanihan 1, and the Bayanihan to Recover as One Act or Bayanihan 2. He was also heavily involved in the approval of the Covid-19 Vaccination Act of 2021 and the Malasakit Centers Act.

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12:30 | **Christina Frasco**

**Secretary**  
**Department of Tourism**

*PRESENTER: Christina is one of the youngest cabinet members of the current government. She was elected to 3 terms as Mayor of Liloan, Cebu. Her leadership drove development towards sustainability, livability, and innovation with infrastructure development and social protection programs earning awards for Liloan as the Top Model Municipality and Most Resilient Municipality in the Philippines. Christina graduated from Ateneo Law and is a practicing lawyer.*



12:50 | **Yogi Filemon Ruiz**

**Commissioner**  
**Bureau of Customs (BoC)**

*PRESENTER: Yogi Filemon Ruiz was previously the Head of the Enforcement & Security Service (ESS) of the Bureau of Customs for almost 5 years since 2017. Previously, Ruiz was Regional Director of the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency Central Visayas.*





01:10 | **Dr. Bernie Villegas**

**Economist**

**University of Asia and the Pacific**

*PRESENTER: Bernie is widely known as the nation's most prominent Economist. He has PhD in Economics from Harvard University where he was one of its youngest ever instructors. He is past Professor of the University of Asia and the Pacific (UA&P), Research Director of the Center for Research and Communications and Visiting Professor of IESE Business School in Barcelona. Dr. Villegas is author of widely used economics textbooks in the Philippines and management best-sellers like The Philippine Advantage. He has sat on numerous boards of leading companies, such as Insular Life, Alaska Milk, PHINMA, Rolls Royce, Dupont, BPI, Benguet, Globe Telecom, McDonalds, IBM, etc.*

01:30 | Closing

