

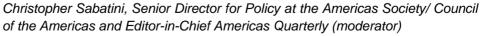
Opportunities and Challenges of Infrastructure in the Northeast of Brazil

Atlante Plaza Hotel, Avenida Boa Viagem, 5426

AGENDA

February 8, 2012	
8:30-9:00	Registration (Room Gilberto Freyre)
9:00-9:20	Opening and Welcoming Remarks Susan Segal, President and CEO, Americas Society/Council of the Americas Amb. Thomas Shannon, US Ambassador to Brazil Maurício Rands, Secretary of Government, Pernambuco
9:20-10:50	Opportunities and Challenges of Infrastructure in the Northeast of Brazil
9:20-9:35	Part I: Opportunities and Investments in the Northeast of Brazil Henrique Sampaio, Director of Financing and Project Recovery, Ministry of National Integration
9:35-9:45	Q&A
9:45-10:15	Part II: State of Play in the State of Pernambuco: Main Projects and Future Perspectives Geraldo Júlio de Mello, Secretary of Economic Development, Pernambuco João Batista do Carmo Aquino, Corporate Director, Refinaria Abreu Lima
10:15-10:25	Q&A
10:25-10:40	Part III: Financing Infrastructure Projects José Sydrião de Alencar Júnior, Director of Management Development, Banco do Nordeste do Brasil S.A.
10:40-10:50	Q&A
10:50-11:05	Coffee Break
11:05-12:35	Panel - Transportation and Communication Infrastructure: Public Incentives-Private Demand—Asia and Latin America Thiago Aracema, Director for Industrial Projects, DHL

Sam Fouad, Americas Emerging Markets Leader, Ernst & Young LLP Barbara Kotschwar, Research Associate, Peterson Institute for International **Economics** Renato Mello, Director of Transport, Odebrecht Roberto Nigro, Marketing Manager, GE Transportes Ferroviários SA.











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12:35-12:40	Concluding Remarks Susan Segal, President and CEO, Americas Society/Council of the Americas
12:40-2:00	Lunch (Room Gilberto Freyre – Atlante Plaza Hotel)
2:00-5:30	Site Visit - Industrial Complex of Suape
07:00-09:00	Dinner offered by the Government of Pernambuco H.E. Eduardo Campos, Governor of Pernambuco

Side Meetings and Site visits

To schedule side meetings with local authorities or to visit other sites, please contact:

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