The James Martin Center for Nonproliferation Studies: Export Control Outreach Activities in the Asian Region

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About the James Martin Center for Nonproliferation Studies (CNS)

- Based in Monterey, California at the Monterey Institute of International Studies, a Graduate School of Middlebury College
 - Branch Office in Wash. DC
 - Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation (VCDNP)
- CNS is the largest NGO in the United States devoted exclusively to research and training on nonproliferation issues







CNS: Our Mission Statement

CNS combats the spread of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) by:

- Training the next generation of nonproliferation specialists
- Disseminating timely information and analysis



Timely Analysis





CNS' Export Control Outreach in Asia: Emphasis on Collaboration

CNS' Export Control and Nonproliferation Program (XNP)



CNS' East Asia Nonproliferation Program (EANP)



- Partner NGO's
 - Center for Policy Research, State University of New York
 - Center for International Trade and Security, UGA
 - Centre for Science and Security Studies, King's College London





CNS' Export Control Outreach in Asia: Informed by <u>Timely Analysis</u>

Timely Analysis of:

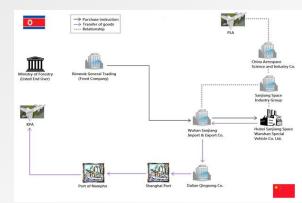
- Illicit WMD-related Procurement Activity
- Industry Awareness and Compliance Communities

Sustained by ongoing (2012–2014) MacArthur Foundation-supported CNS project titled *Industry Awareness of Iran/DPRK-linked WMD-related Procurement Activities: Gap-Analysis and Identification of Awareness-Building Opportunities*

Contemporary Trends in Export Control

Sustained by Nuclear Threat Initiative's UNSCR 1540 Resource Collection :

http://www.nti.org/analysis/reports/1540-reporting-overview/



Link analysis diagram of illicit WMD-related diversion





CNS' Export Control Outreach in Asia: Training the Next Generation

- Direct Outreach to Industry
 - In 2013, CNS experts participated as guest lecturers in Beijing at two export compliance training programs for China-based firms
- Visiting Fellows Programs at CNS-Monterey
 - Asia Export Control Fellows Program
 - U.S.-based Training and Exchange Visits
 - Industry Fellows Program





CNS' Export Control Outreach in Asia: Training the Next Generation

- **Asia Export Control Fellows Program**
 - 48 Fellows have participated since 2004
 39 from China

 - 9 from Pakistan
 - Expansion planned in summer 2014



- Curriculum includes:

 - 6-week training course at CNS (Monterey, California)
 2-week training course at UGA's CITS (Athens, Georgia)
 - 1-week of roundtables with export control practitioners in Washington DC
- Focus areas: Contemporary trends in nonproliferation and export control; inter-agency and international communitybuilding with peers





CNS' Export Control Outreach in Asia: Training the Next Generation

- **US-based Training and Exchange Visits**
 - 2-week program featuring:

 - 1-week of roundtables, field visits in California 1-week of roundtables, field visits in Washington, DC Counter-trafficking tabletop exercise (TTX)
 - For participants from Asia, focus is on industry outreach and building a proactive export compliance and nonproliferation-supportive community in industry:
 - Silicon Valley has been featured as a case study, with field visits to Google HQ, a WIT-NC industry trade professionals associate evening seminar program, and a roundtable at a leading compliance law firm with representatives from area industry practitioners and US Office of Export Enforcement (San Jose, Calif. Branch)



Satellite View of Silicon Valley (NASA)





CNS' Export Control Outreach in Asia: Training the Next Generation

- Industry Fellows Program
 - Newly-Launched, Asia-focused



- 3-year program featuring events at CNS' Monterey location and partner country in Asia
- Collaboration-focused
- Obsigned to:
 - Cultivate a <u>self-sustaining</u> community of export control practitioners in (or supporting) industry
 - Cultivate <u>leaders</u> who will support and grow this community
- Silicon Valley's export compliance community featured as a case study model for building a community of export control practitioners in industry



