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**Call for Proposals: The Evaluation of the Informal ASEM Human Rights Seminar Series**

Dear ASEF Governors, ASEM Senior Officials and ASEM Contact Points,

The Asia-Europe Foundation (ASEF), together with its Partners – the Raoul Wallenberg Institute (RWI), the French Ministry for Europe and Foreign Affairs, the Philippine Department of Foreign Affairs, the Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China, has the honour to send you the Call for Proposals for the evaluation of the [Informal ASEM Human Rights Seminar Series](#). ASEF is recruiting an independent consultant or organisation to undertake a review of the series for the period of 2012 - 2017. We would greatly appreciate your assistance in helping us distribute the Call for Proposals to relevant platforms or organisations.

The specific objectives of the evaluation are:

- To assess the results and strengths of the human rights project series so far;
- To identify ways to strengthen the future strategy and operation of the project series;
- To provide recommendation to improve the impact of the project series and its long-term stability.

The review is planned to start in June 2019 and be finalised by January 2020. The final report will be presented at the Informal ASEM Human Rights Seminar Series' Steering Committee meeting in February 2020 in Singapore.

Queries, CVs, cover letters and work plans (including quotations) should be emailed to Ms Armi Hannele AARNI ([armihannele.armi@asef.org](mailto:armihannele.armi@asef.org)), Iulia LUMINA ([iulia.lumina@asef.org](mailto:iulia.lumina@asef.org)) and CC [humanrights.seminar@asef.org](mailto:humanrights.seminar@asef.org). Expressions of interest must be received by 12:00 noon (Singapore time) **1 May 2019**.

Please find more information in the attached file.

We thank you for your cooperation and remain at your disposal for any further enquiries.

Yours sincerely,



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