

## INFORMATION STATEMENT

## The Shafik Gabr Foundation Speaker Series: Mr. Stephen Olson: "A View from Asia"

## 31st October 2024

## Introduction & Speaker Profile

On the 31st of October 2024, The Shafik Gabr Foundation hosted the first-of-its-kind virtual speaker series with guest speaker Mr. Stephen Olson. Mr. Olson is a recognized expert in international trade and economic policy, with a 30-year career across Asia, the Middle East, and the United States. Currently a Visiting Fellow at the Institute of Southeast Asian Studies and a non-resident fellow at the Clayton Yeutter Institute, Mr. Olson has held senior roles in government, research, and academia, focusing on global trade and sustainable trade. He previously served as Vice Chairman for Policy and Business

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