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# Political Transitions in South Asia and the Prospect of Peace

His Excellency Jalil Abbas Jilani, Ambassador of Pakistan  
*An Asia Society Texas Center Business and Policy Event*

**Wednesday, August 27, 2014**

Reception 6 pm | Program 7 pm

**Asia Society Texas Center**  
1370 Southmore Blvd  
Houston, TX 77004

## Sponsorship Proposal



## About Asia Society Texas Center

*Global Mission with a Local Purpose*

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Founded in 1979, Asia Society Texas Center engages the diversity of Houston through a broad range of enriching programs and events within the pillars of arts and culture, business and policy, exhibitions, and education and outreach. As one of the nation's most ethnically diverse cities, Houston is home to a rapidly growing Asian American population. Through a multi-disciplinary approach, Asia Society educates the greater community on relevant ideas and issues of our time, preparing future generations for stronger understanding and interaction between east and west.

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Pakistan's Ambassador to the United States H.E. Jalil Abbas Jilani joins Asia Society Texas Center on August 27<sup>th</sup> to discuss the challenges and opportunities facing current U.S.-Pakistan relations. Drawing upon his worldwide diplomatic career, Ambassador Jilani will address key policy issues affecting Pakistan and its neighbors, such as the United States withdrawal from Afghanistan, Pakistan-India relations, security challenges in the region, and emerging opportunities for civilian partnership. A pre-event reception begins at 6:00 pm for supporters and distinguished guests.

## His Excellency Jalil Abbas Jilani

*Ambassador of Pakistan to the United States*

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Ambassador Jalil Abbas Jilani assumed his responsibilities as Ambassador of Pakistan to the United States on January 2, 2014. Prior to his appointment, Ambassador Jilani served as Foreign Secretary of Pakistan from March 2012 to December 2013. He is a career diplomat and has also served as Ambassador of Pakistan to Belgium, Luxembourg, and the European Union and as Pakistan's High Commissioner to Canberra, Australia.

Ambassador Jilani holds a Bachelor's Degree in Law and a Master of Science in Defense and Strategic Studies. In his professional life, he has specialized in South Asian affairs and remained Director India, Deputy High Commissioner/Acting High Commissioner to New Delhi and Director General South Asia and South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC).

In 2005, he also served as the Government's Spokesman on Foreign Affairs. From 1989 to 1992, Ambassador Jilani served as Deputy Secretary in the Prime Minister's Secretariat. His other overseas assignments included Jeddah, London, and Washington.



## Sponsorship Request

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*Political Transitions in South Asia and the Prospect of Peace* is sure to be one of Asia Society's most prestigious programs in 2014. More than just a charitable contribution, sponsorship enables Asia Society to warmly welcome Ambassador Jilani to Houston and properly promote his visit. Your generosity will be recognized through unique access to Ambassador Jilani and the event's distinguished guests, extensive logo placement and verbal recognition, and complimentary inclusion in Asia Society's corporate membership program. A breakdown of available sponsorship opportunities and their corresponding benefits follows:

### **\$10,000 Lead Sponsorship**

- Private meeting with Ambassador Jilani
- Public recognition from podium by Asia Society representative
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- Name/company listing in Friends of Business & Policy at Asia Society Texas Center

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- Public recognition from podium by Asia Society representative
- Print, online, and on-site logo placement
- Priority seating for up to 10 guests
- Complimentary silver-level corporate membership
- Name/company listing in Friends of Business & Policy at Asia Society Texas Center

### **\$2,500 Sponsorship**

- Print and online logo placement
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