

# MPO HAPPY HOUR GAMELAN

# NIGHT

In conjunction with the 25th World Gas Conference, the organiser is proud to present “MPO Happy Hour – Gamelan Night”.

**Time: 6 pm**  
**Duration: 1 hour**  
**Date: 5 June 2012**  
**Fee: USD 100**

This event is part of the many exciting Social Tour activities that the organiser has specially pre-arranged for WGC2012 participants. Gamelan Night will be held at **Dewan Filharmonik PETRONAS** (DFP). Home to the Malaysian Philharmonic Orchestra (MPO), DFP is strategically located between the PETRONAS Twin Towers and is less than a 5 minute walk from WGC2012 Concept Village.

*The Malay gamelan has distinct characteristics, played on metallophones called saron, and further elaborated on a wooden xylophone called gambang, together with keromong, a set of small kettle gongs. Background accompaniment is provided by larger kettle gongs called kenong and a pair of hanging gongs. The beat is supplied by a Malay barrel drum called gendang.*

The **shoe-box shaped room** at DFP is designed to serve all kinds of music ranging from orchestra with chorus, to Malaysian traditional dance, to solo violin. Designed by acoustic consultant Kirkegaard Associates from Chicago, its most unusual feature is a concealed movable ceiling that can change the acoustic volume of the room.

## Book your seats now!!!

This one hour show is particularly packaged for WGC2012 participants with light refreshments and gift bags courtesy of WGC2012. Specially designed souvenirs will be given as a remembrance of a memorable night of understanding **Malaysia's unique culture**.

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So, don't miss a chance to join us for an exclusive gamelan evening specially coordinated and opened for interested delegates and exhibitors. This evening aims to showcase beautiful, traditional pieces of gamelan music styled with a modern touch. Accompanied by internationally renowned MPO musicians, **the eclectic sound of the gamelan** featuring stories from different countries is guaranteed to fascinate you and beat the mid-week blues!

### Concert Dress Code:

*Jeans, denim, shorts, collarless T-shirts/singlets, sneakers and slippers are not allowed at any time. Ticket holders shall be denied admission if inappropriately dressed; no refunds will be given.*

*We thank you in advance for your co-operation.*

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