Group of 78 Luncheon Speaker
Series
Dan Ciuriak

So Long, Globalization V2:
The Causes and Consequences

DATE: Tuesday January 31st, 2017
TIME: 12:00 noon (sharp)
PLACE: Palais Imperial Restaurant, 311-313 Dalhousie St., Ottawa
COST: $30 for luncheon and presentation
$5 for presentation only
(For presentation only, please plan to arrive by 12:45 p.m. Coffee and tea will be available.)
RESERVATIONS: Group78@group78.org 613-565-9449 ext. 22 by Friday January 27, 2017 by 12:00 pm
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The group is required to pay for those who reserve but do not come. Therefore, individuals who do not cancel their reservations at least 24 hours before the luncheon will be billed $30.

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Economic history since the industrial revolution has not been a story of gradual evolution. Rather it has punctuated by disruptive changes that ushered in new episodes. The current episode is being ushered out; what will replace it? The sources of the disruption can be traced by the various economic indicators that literally went off the charts: nominal interest rates broke the “zero bound” going into negative territory; financialization, income inequality, and the structural bias against labour and “good jobs” soared. Economic systems face economic constraints: the balance of payments must balance; savings must equal investment. But they also (eventually) face other constraints: economic outcomes must fall within tenable social, political and environmental bounds, or disruption follows. The system that is to come will respond to the pressures that brought down Globalization V2. Can we glimpse at this future?

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