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WEDNESDAY EVENING SEMINAR

Education Program Presents

Governance for Human Development: Issues and Emerging Trends in Asia

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Wednesday, October 6, 2010

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Keoni Auditorium, Imin International Conference Center

The presentation and discussion will focus on the theory and practice of governance for human development in Asia. Methodologies and approaches to assess the significance of effective governance to promote human development will be examined. In addition, the progress in achieving the United Nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) in Asia will be reviewed.

Before joining East-West Center, Dr. Cheema was Program Director, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, United Nations (2001- 2007), the Director of Governance Division of United Nations Development Programme (1995-2001) and Principal Adviser, Urban Management (1990-95). As a senior UN official, he provided leadership in crafting UN- assisted democratic governance and public administration programs in over 25 countries in Asia, Africa and the Arab Region. He designed and managed regional and global research and training programs on governance innovation, electoral and parliamentary processes, civil service reform, transparency and accountability of government, decentralization and local governance, urban management, and governance in post-conflict countries. He also served as the Director of the United Nations Global Forum on Reinventing Government.

**Refreshments will be served. Please bring your own cup, plate/bowl and utensil.
The community is welcome to attend this lecture.**

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