



EAST-WEST CENTER
EDUCATION PROGRAM

**East-West Center Wednesday Evening Seminar
Spring 2009**

Keoni Auditorium
Imin Conference Center; Jefferson Hall
Wednesday, **February 4, 2009**
6:30pm-8:30pm

"Southeast Asia: A Regional Perspective"

Dr. Leonard Y. Andaya

This seminar will be an introduction to the history, politics, and cultures of Southeast Asia as a region. In order to understand the historical development of this region, themes regarding Western colonialism, education, nationalism, and ethnic politics will be covered. This presentation, the first of two seminars on the Southeast Asia region, will provide background information for understanding contemporary Southeast Asia.

Dr. Leonard Y. Andaya is a professor in the Department of History at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. He received his BA in history from Yale University and holds a MA and PhD in Southeast Asian history from Cornell University. He has written several publications on the early history of Southeast Asia, especially on early Malaysian and Indonesian history. His current research focuses on the history of the seas in eastern Indonesia in the early modern period.

(You can help reduce climate change by bringing your own cup. Mahalo!)

The community is welcome to attend this lecture!