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**“Sustaining a Resilient Asia Pacific  
Community: Issues and Solutions”**

**(Program)**

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# **The 5<sup>th</sup> East-West Center International Graduate Student Conference**

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**CONFERENCE SCHEDULE**

**Thursday, February 16, 2006**

1 - 4 pm  
**Registration** Lanai

1 - 3.30 pm  
**Room and Equipment Check** Pago-pago, Kaniela, Sarimanok, Washington  
Wailana, Garden level

4.30 - 6 pm  
**Welcoming Address and Keynote Speech** Keoni Auditorium

Conference report by **Wilmar Salim**, Conference Chair.

Welcoming address by **Dr. Charles Morrison**, President of the East-West Center.

Keynote speech:  
**"Challenging World Area Divisions: The Asia-Pacific Community"**  
by **Dr. Barbara Watson Andaya**  
Professor, Asian Studies, University of Hawaii at Manoa  
President, Association of Asian Studies

*Abstract: Academic, diplomatic and strategic formulations of "world areas" have historically worked to separate Asia from the Pacific, rather than bring these regions together. Given this heritage, it has not been easy to create, or even to think about - much less to sustain, as our conference call urges us - a truly interactive "Asia-Pacific" community. There are, however, important nodes of connection that make it possible to think conceptually about the ways in which people and societies living in different cultures and in different geographic regions have been brought together. In this context, we can profitably return to reconsiderations of the historical dimensions of globalized trade, and to the implications of this trade in regard to the movement of objects and the imaginaire of the individuals and communities involved. In tracking three examples of "interactive products," this presentation sets a context for the fifth East-West Center Graduate Student Conference by recognizing that the combination of human ingenuity, collaboration and common interests fundamentally challenges the academic confines of "area studies" boundaries.*

6 - 8 pm  
**Reception** Wailana Room, Garden Level

**Friday, February 17, 2006**

**Parallel Session 1: 8.30 - 10.15 am**

- PS 1.1 Chinese Art Studies
- PS 1.2 Societies and Culture
- PS 1.3 Environment and Development in China
- PS 1.4 Perspectives on Women Empowerment

**Parallel Session 2: 10.30 - 12.15 pm**

- PS 2.1 Cross-culture, Cross-boundary
- PS 2.2 Curriculum Development in Asia Pacific
- PS 2.3 Issues in Forestry and National Park
- PS 2.4 Political Activism and Agency

**Lunch (prepaid): 12.15 - 1.15 pm**

**Wailana Room, Garden Level**

Poster Presentation 1: 12.15 - 12.30 pm

**Parallel Session 3: 1.15 - 3 pm**

- PS 3.3 Deterritorizing and Emerging Boundaries in Korean Diaspora
- PS 3.2 Social Issues in Asia Pacific
- PS 3.1 Legal Issues in Southeast Asia
- PS 3.4 International Relations and Security Issues in Asia

**Parallel Session 4: 3.15 - 5.30 pm**

- PS 4.1 Multidimensional Issues in Governance
- PS 4.2 Humanities: Reflection on History and Philosophy
- PS 4.3 Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Identity
- PS 4.4 International Politics and Regionalism

**Saturday, February 18, 2006**

**Parallel Session 5: 8.30 - 10.15 am**

- PS 5.1 Issues in Development Economics
- PS 5.2 Issues in Human Development
- PS 5.3 Multidimensional Conflict and Resolution
- PS 5.4 Addressing Problems in Urban Areas

**Parallel Session 6: 10.30 - 12.15 pm**

- PS 6.3 Towards Civil Society
- PS 6.2 Education as Solution
- PS 6.1 Property Rights and Technological Innovation
- PS 6.4 Planning the Urban Areas

**Lunch (prepaid): 12.15 - 1.15 pm**

**Wailana Room, Garden Level**

Poster Presentation 2: 12.15 - 12.30 pm

Poster Presentation 3: 12.45 - 1 pm

**Parallel Session 7: 1.15 - 3 pm**

- PS 7.1 International Economy
- PS 7.2 Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Health Development
- PS 7.3 National Politics: Issues and Solutions
- PS 7.4 Rural Communities: Issues and Solutions

**Parallel Session 8: 3.15 - 5.30 pm**

- PS 8.1 Investment and the National Economy
- PS 8.2 Towards Better Health
- PS 8.3 Multidimensionality of Resistance and Rebellion
- PS 8.4 Recovering from Disaster

**EWCPA International Cultural Night: 6.30 - 7.30 pm**    **EWC Friendship Circle**

**Sunday, February 19, 2006**

**Grand Circle Island Tour (prepaid): 8 am - 5 pm**

**Notes:**

Dress code for all functions is smart casual, or Aloha attire. National dress is suggested for the opening day.

Poster presentations are in Room Wailana, posters will be displayed from February 16, 4 pm till February 18, 2 pm.

Conference Office is in Tagore Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

All participants must wear nametag during conference, especially for lunch.

Tour participants should bring nametag and convene in front of Imin Center at 8 am.

## PAPER PRESENTATIONS

**Friday, February 17, 2006**

**Session 1: 8.30 - 10.15 am**

### **PS 1.1 Chinese Art Studies**

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Dr. Ricardo D. Trimillos, Professor, University of Hawaii, Manoa

Kristie Smith, Clark University, USA

"The Dance of Ugyhur Women in Modern China: Body Lingua and Discourse"

Bijun Tilford, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"The Binary in Visual Culture: Chinese Martial Arts Cinema in the Global Context"

Jing Yang, University of British Columbia, Canada

"What the Super Girl Voice Contest Says About the Power of the Media in Present Day China"

### **PS 1.2 Societies and Culture**

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Dr. Carl Hefner, Assistant Professor, Kapi'olani Community College

Lisi Feng, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Rethinking State and the Migrants: the Emergence of a Disciplinary Order in Contemporary China"

Lou Antolihao, National University of Singapore, Singapore

"The Governance of Culture: Festival Tourism, Power Dynamics, and Social Change in the Philippines"

Qiong Jia, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"New Road, Old Shoes: The Impact of English as a Global Language on English Language Acquisition in China's Minority Regions"

Huwy-min Liu, Chinese University of Hong Kong, China

"Betel Nut Consumption in Contemporary Taiwan: Gender, Class and Social Identity"

### **PS 1.3 Environment and Development in China**

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Dr. Sumeet Saksena, Fellow, East-West Center

He Wang, Syracuse University, USA

"The Pollution Transformation in China:....from urban to rural areas"

Ke Zhang, Tsinghua University, China

"The Development of Twenty-Three Industrial Sectors in Western China with Implementing of Strategy of Western Development: Scale & Productivity"

Guilan Xia, ZhengZhou Institute of Aeronautical Industry Management, China

"Future Energy Demand and Environmental Impact in China: Challenges and Strategies"

Ying Wang, Shenzhen Graduate School, Peking University, China

"Case Study of Cleantech Programs of Middle/High Investing in Guangdong China and Discussion on the Possibility Introducing Venture Capital"

### **PS 1.4 Perspectives on Women Empowerment**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Dr. Minja Kim Choe, Senior Fellow, East-West Center

Huong Tran, Clark University, USA

"Traditional Insights for Sustainable Women Empowerment Process in a Disadvantaged Community in the South Viet Nam"

Wilfredo Jr. Tatlonghari, Waseda University, Japan

"Towards Investment Promotion and Women Empowerment in the Countryside: Some Evidence from the Philippines"

Alok Rajouria, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Micro-finance and Empowerment of Women"

Mi-Kyeng Jeong, Korea University, South Korea

"The Cultural Impacts to Female Economic Duties in Northern Thailand Countries"

**Session 2: 10.30 - 12.15 pm**

### **PS 2.1 Cross-culture, Cross-boundary**

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Ms. Mary Hammond, Dean of Education, East-West Center

Toshiaki Furukawa, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"I wanna go ichibusaya": A functional analysis of code-switching in narratives by a female second generation Okinawan American"

Chialin Huang, University of Washington, Taiwan

"While We Are Away From Home: Gender and Ethnic Issues of American Exchange University Students of China"

Ravi Vatrappu, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Culture and Technology: An inquiry into the intercultural intersubjective webs of Indian international students at the University of Hawaii at Manoa."

### **PS 2.2 Curriculum Development in Asia Pacific**

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Dr. Geoffrey White, Pacific Islands Development Program, East-West Center

Michael Shehan, University of Waterloo, Canada

"Culture, Community, Education and the Diversity of Thought: Challenges for East Asian Public School Systems"

Siriwattana Dongkham, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"A Needs Assessment for Developing Secondary EFL Curriculum in Thailand"

Dawa Bhuti Ghoso, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Sustaining Native Language Education: The case of Tibetan refugees in India"

Sarah Lightner, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"The Vanuatu National History Curriculum Challenge: Creating and Encouraging a Decolonised Exploration of History with Features of Traditional Society"

### **PS 2.3 Issues in Forestry and National Park**

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Dr. Sumeet Saxena, Fellow, East-West Center

Meilanie Buitenzorgy, Wageningen University, The Netherlands

"Democracy and Deforestation in Asia-Pacific: An EKC Empirical Cross-Country Analysis"

Alexandra Ho, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Indonesian Forest Fires: Reasons Why South East Asia Continues to be Engulfed in Smoke"

Elizabeth (Cedar) Louis, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Investigating Land Use and Land Cover Change in Nepal's Terai Region: An Ecological and Social Analysis"

Hang Nguyen, Clark University, USA

"Integrated Conservation with Development Projects: A Case-Study-Based Research in Pu Mat National Park, Nghe An Province, Vietnam"

### **PS 2.4 Political Activism and Agency**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Dr. Choong Nam Kim, Coordinator of POSCO Fellowship, East-West Center

Noah Viernes, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Enabling Politics and Activating Life in Peripheral Geographies: A Study of Empowerment in Burma"

Takuro Akamine, San Francisco State University, USA

"Transnational Activism toward De-Militarization in Okinawa: A Case Study of Okinawa PeaceFighters"

Shakira Hussein, Australian National University, Australia

"Muslim Women's Political Activism and "Western" Feminism: Collaboration or Rejection?"

### **Session 3: 1.15 – 3 pm**

#### **PS 3.1 Legal Issues in Southeast Asia**

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Dr. Terance Bigalke, Director of Education, East-West Center

Arlie Tagayuna, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Hanging Moods: Capital punishment in the Philippines"

Patricia Rinwigati-Waagstein, University of Uppsala, Sweden

"Legal Responsibility of Multinational Enterprises for Violating Human Rights Law: A Case Study of Indonesia"

Alejandro Jr. Ciencia, University of the Philippines, Philippines

"The Philippine Supreme Court and the Mining Act Reversal"

Hendrianto, University of Washington, USA

"Towards Greater Access to Justice: The Constitutional Court and the Rise of Judicial Power in Post-Authoritarian Indonesia"

#### **PS 3.2 Social Issues in Asia Pacific**

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Dr. Nicholas Barker, Leadership Education Coordinator, East-West Center

Ninik Supartini, Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia

"Psychological Trauma, Coping and Outcomes of Children of 1965 Political Prisoners in Yogyakarta and Klaten, Central Java, Indonesia"

Mingzhu Dong, London School of Economics and Political Science, United Kingdom

"Social Exclusion among the Laid-Off State-Owned Enterprise Workers in Urban China: Using Preliminary Data from Wuhan and Beijing"

Chung Nguyen, Brown University, USA

"Anti-communist Zeal Among Vietnamese Americans"

'Amelia Pasi, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Silence and Burdens: *Kavenga* in the Hawai'i-Tongan Diaspora"

### **PS 3.3 Deterritorizing and Emerging Boundaries in Korean Diaspora**

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Dr. Choong Nam Kim, Coordinator of POSCO Fellowship, East-West Center

Soo Sun Choe, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Fresh Off the Jet: The Emergence of a South Korean Transnational Elite"

Yoon Young Kim, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Cultural Adaptation and Conflict: North Korean Refugee Adolescents in South Korea"

Hyeon Ju Lee, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"North Korean Defectors in South Korea: long lost family or immigrants?"

Gae Hee Song, Syracuse University, USA

"State Policy and Its Impact on the Lives of Newcomers in a Host Country – A case study of defecting North Korean residents and foreign migrant workers in South Korea"

### **PS 3.4 International Relations and Security Issues in Asia**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Mr. Richard W. Baker, Special Assistant to the President, East-West Center

Eun Ha Chang, Yonsei University, South Korea

"Human Security in Asia: the Causes of Differing Responses by States"

Bryanne Miller, University of Calgary, Canada

"Separating Economic Reform from Human Rights in China"

Justin Liang, Australian National University, Australia

"Beyond the Straits and into the Ocean: Implications of the Taiwan-China Rivalry in the South Pacific"

Lin Zhao, Tsinghua University, China

"Strategic Cooperation between China & South Korea and Strategic Structure of Northeast Asia"

### **Session 4: 3.15 – 5.30 pm**

#### **PS 4.1 Multidimensional Issues in Governance**

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Dr. Dieter Ernst, Senior Fellow, East-West Center

Takuya Murata, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"The New Generation: Emerging Japanese Politicians and the Resilience of the Japanese Economy"

Min Hee Go, University of Chicago, USA

"Fiscal Federalism under Spatial Inequality: Governmental Relations in China"

Zhihong Bai, Australian National University, Australia

"Governance by Absence: an alternative model of good governance"

Vishal Sehgal, Harvard University, USA

"The Computerization of Income Tax Department in India – A case study in managing change"

Mohammed Kabir, Yamaguchi University, Japan

"Fighting Corruption in Bangladesh: How and to What Extent Can E-Government Help?"

#### **PS 4.2 Humanities: Reflection on History and Philosophy**

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Ms. Virginia Suddath, Program Associate, East-West Center

Curtis Rigsby, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"THE LOGIC OF PARADOX: Nishida Kitarô and Kierkegaard Explore the Depths of the Human Spirit"

Jacque Swartout, California State University, Fullerton, USA

"Theoretical Perspectives and Guanxi in Long Quan Village"

Scott Bailey, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Travel Literature Theory and Russian Imperialism in Central Eurasia"

Juan Zhou, Central China Normal University, China

"How Lin Yutang Brought the East to the West in His Edition-Translation of Lunyu"

Saiful Umam, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Islam in the Nineteenth Century Java"

#### **PS 4.3 Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Identity**

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Dr. Terance Bigalke, Director of Education, East-West Center

Robert Cummings, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Cultural Identity of Ethnic Chinese in Northern Thailand"

Kiran Sagoo, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Colonial Construction of Malayness: The Influence of Population Size and Composition"

Jiwen Feng, Shanghai University, China

"Identity, Discourse and Institutional Exclusion- The Case of internal Migrants in Shanghai"

Joao da Silva Sarmiento, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Tetun as a Marker of National Identity: Moving from Linguistic Neocolonialism to Linguistic Nationalism"

Michelle-Elizabeth Valle, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Muslims of China: Deconstructing Hui Identity"

#### **PS 4.4 International Politics and Regionalism**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Mr. Richard W. Baker, Special Assistant to the President, East-West Center

Mrinalini Menon, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Multi-Track Diplomacy in the Asia-Pacific: Converging or Diverging Paths?"

Nissim Otmazgin, Kyoto University, Japan

"Cultural Commodities and Regionalization in East Asia"

Marcos Redondo, University of Florida, USA

"Troubled Waters: The South China Sea and its Geo-Political, Strategic and Economic Significance to the Development of the Asia-Pacific Community"

Ha Tuan, Australian National University, Australia

"Balance of Power of Southeast Asia Countries: The Origin of Peace and Autonomy in The Region in The Post-cold War Era"

Katharine Wies, Princeton University, USA

"America, ASEAN, and International Pressure for Reform in Burma/Myanmar"

**Saturday, February 18, 2006**

**Session 5: 8.30 – 10.15 am**

#### **PS 5.1 Issues in Development Economics**

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Dr. Tianshu Chu, Fellow, East-West Center

Gufia Shi, University of British Columbia, Canada

"A Simple Approach to Global Policy Coordination Under Noisy Information"

Xin Su, University of Waterloo, Canada

"An Index Aggregation Approach to a Comparison Study of BRICSAM Countries"

Archi Gatchalian, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Is Asia the Next Europe?: A Literature Survey on the Prospects of a Common Currency in Asia"

Nguyen Xuan, International University of Japan, Japan

"A Panel Data Analysis of Trade in Small Transitional Economies: the Case of Viet Nam"

#### **PS 5.2 Issues in Human Development**

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Dr. Nancy D. Lewis, Director of Research, East-West Center

Amparo Pamela Fabe, University of the Philippines, Philippines

"The Impact of Migration on Women and Children"

Vicky Yin Ching Leung, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, China

"Investigation of Flexible Labor in Hong Kong Contexts"

Hassan Eini Zinab, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Demographic and Socio-Economic Determinants of Birth Interval Dynamics in Iran: A Hazard Function Analysis"

Mika Marumoto, Yonsei University, South Korea

"The U.S., China, and International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD): Overcoming Conflict over Reproductive Health Rights"



### PS 5.3 Multidimensional Conflict and Resolution

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Mr. Richard W. Baker, Special Assistant to the President, East-West Center

Shane Barter, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Resurgence and Insurgents: The Origin of Secularism in the Aceh Conflict"

Mangadar Situmorang, Curtin University of Technology, Australia

"Domestication of Intrastate Conflicts and Humanitarian Emergency: Indonesian Cases"

Kevin Chang, University of Sydney, Australia

"Justice at the Heart of Reconciliation in Fiji: Historical Legacies, Cycles of Impunity and Multicultural Accommodation"

### PS 5.4 Addressing Problems in Urban Areas

Room: Washington

Moderator: Dr. James H. Spencer, Assistant Professor, University of Hawaii, Manoa

Bunnarith Meng, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Between Metropolitan Centrality and Poverty Reduction Policies: What Kind of Urban Development for Boeng Kak Sector in the Central Area of Phnom Penh, Cambodia?"

John Porter, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Across the Great Divide: the Disjuncture Between Homeless Reality and State Policy in Contemporary Japan"

Premakumara Dickella Gamaralalage, Nihon Fukushi University, Japan

"Community Contracting as a Means of Improving the Livelihood of the Poor Urban Communities: A Case of Colombo, Sri Lanka"

Ashwin Sabapathy, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"The energy-water nexus in industries - a case study of a software industry in India"

### Session 6: 10.30 - 12.15 pm

#### PS 6.1 Property Rights and Technological Innovation

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Dr. ZhongXiang Zhang, Fellow, East-West Center

Crystal Chang, University of California, Berkeley, USA

"Intellectual Property Rights in a Developmental Context - A Comparative Study of China and India"

Matthew West, Chinese University of Hong Kong, China

"Cultural Conceptions of Disc Piracy in China: Structural Constraints and Local Agency in Policy Implementation"

Rakhi Gupta, Institute of Social Studies, The Netherlands

"Intellectual Property Rights and Drug Prices: A Case Study of India"

Ariel Aral, New Era University, Philippines

"Trends of Technological Innovation Styles in the Philippine Mobile Telecommunication Industry"

#### PS 6.2 Education as Solution

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Ms. Karen Knudsen, Director of External Affairs, East-West Center

Annabelle Bonje, University of the Philippines, Philippines

"Politics of Power: The Implication of Education in Policy and Decision Making Process in Canumay, Rizal"

Kira Davis, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Sophisticated Environmental Education in Rural China: Case Study of Local Perceptions in Xiangxi Autonomous Prefecture, Hunan"

Yumi Matsumoto, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Users of Lingua Franca English as potential models for English Learning"

Soohee Song, Binghamton University, SUNY, USA

"Peace Education as a Framework for Korea's Unification Education"

#### PS 6.3 Towards Civil Society

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Ms. Mary Hammond, Dean of Education, East-West Center

Justin Patrie, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Popular Nationalism in China and the Role of a Nascent Civil Society"

Jocelyne Mui, University of British Columbia, Canada

"China's Xinfang System: Towards Civil Society?"

Hiroki Igarashi, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"In Search of a Pluralistic Society: The Study of Civil Society Supporting Non-Japanese in Kawasaki, Japan"

Olga Beznosova, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Social Capital in Post-Soviet Russia: Networks, Institutions, and Change"

#### **PS 6.4 Planning the Urban Areas**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Dr. James H. Spencer, Assistant Professor, University of Hawaii, Manoa

Herlily, University of California, Berkeley, USA

"Democratic Moment, Repressive Landscape: Colonization of Urban Informality"

Adam Fong, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"The Many Faces of the City of Rams: Guangzhou's Urban Evolution, 1368-2000 C.E."

Cathy Yang Liu, University of Southern California, USA

"Space, Skill and Race/Ethnicity: Intra-metropolitan Geography of Minority and Immigrant Youth Employment"

Bandana Bhattacharai, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Participatory Community Planning: An Example from Mayor Wright Housing, Hawaii"

#### **Session 7: 1.15 – 3 pm**

#### **PS 7.1 International Economy**

Room: Pago-pago

Moderator: Dr. ZhongXiang Zhang, Fellow, East-West Center

Tam Vu, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Tigers Coming Back: Southeast Asia Before and After the 1997 Crisis"

Changchun Hua, Hitotsubashi University, Japan

"The Determinants of Efficiency of Large Banks in Transition Economies"

Yuanming Alvin Yao, National Chengchi University, Taiwan

"China's Oil Scrambling and Constructivist Implications for US-China relations"

Archi Gatchalian, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Foreign Direct Investments, Openness, and Economic Growth in Asia: Have We Found the Holy Grail?"

#### **PS 7.2 Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Health Development**

Room: Kaniela

Moderator: Dr. Jiajian Chen, Senior Fellow, East-West Center

Rouselle Lavado, Hitotsubashi University, Japan

"The Efficiency of Social Services Expenditure in Philippine Provinces: A Parametric and Non-parametric Approach"

Nurdiyana Syarifuddin, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA

"Framing Indonesian Health Care System: The Challenge of New Paradigm"

S.M. Kabir, Carleton University, Canada

"Public Private Partnership in Primary Health Care: Evidence from Bangladesh"

Derek Willis, Princeton University, USA

"A New Framework for Suppressing Malaria Transmission in South and Southeast Asia"

#### **PS 7.3 National Politics: Issues and Solutions**

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Dr. Christopher McNally, Fellow, East-West Center

Stephanie Lim, University of British Columbia, Canada

"Landscapes of Power and the National Imagination: Bordering Indigenous Livelihoods at the Cambodian Frontier"

Ceren Ergenc, Boston University, USA

"Collective Memory of 1911 Revolution in China's New Nationalism"

Simon Cotton, Australian National University, Australia

"Promoting Reform in Burma/Myanmar: Sanctions versus Engagement"

Lisa Lim, National University of Singapore, Singapore

"Safeguarding Democracy in Times of Uncertainties: Perspectives from Singapore"

#### **PS 7.4 Rural Communities: Issues and Solutions**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Dr. Christopher Edmonds, Fellow, East-West Center

Anthea Moore, Australian National University, Australia

"Is Economics 'missing the point' on land? The commodification of land and the impact of non-Indigenous concepts of land in Bougainville."

Dolgorsuren Dorj, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Common Pool Resource with Free Mobility: 'Voting with their herds'"

Rusaslina Idrus, Harvard University, Malaysia  
"The Legal Arena and Indigenous Land Claims in Malaysia"

Bryan Bushley, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA  
"Half the Problem, Half the Solution: Promoting Towns as a Focus for Rural Regional Development"

**Session 8: 3.15 – 5.30 pm**

**PS 8.1 Investment and the National Economy**  
Room: Pago-pago  
Moderator: Dr. Kang Wu, Fellow, East-West Center

Wenhui Fan, University of British Columbia, Canada  
"Foreign Direct Investment in China: 1981 – 2001"

Changchun Hua, Hitotsubashi University, Japan  
"Effects of Capital Adequacy Regulation on Bank Risk-taking Behavior in China"

Sutti Sooampun, Assumption University (ABAC), Thailand  
"Towards Sustainable Development: A Study of Productivity Gain From Skill Training in Thailand's Manufacturing Sector"

Rouselle Lavado, Hitotsubashi University, Japan  
"Pensions and Savings in the Philippines: Are there any trade-offs?"

Ganiyat Adesina-Uthman, International Islamic University, Malaysia  
"Sustaining a Resilient Asia, Malaysian Success Story: The Role of Malaysian Islamic Banks"

**PS 8.2 Towards Better Health**  
Room: Kaniela  
Moderator: Dr. Jiajian Chen, Senior Fellow, East-West Center

Hideki Morooka, University at Albany, SUNY, USA  
"The Effects of Americanization on Chronic Disease Health among Asian Immigrants"

Jinlan Li, University of Hawaii at Manoa, EWC, USA  
"HIV Epidemic Trend and HIV Prevent and Control Strategies in Guizhou Province, China"

Huei-Ting Tsai, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, USA  
"Challenges and Solutions in Improving Tuberculosis Care among Indigenous People in Taiwan"

Vivien Won, National University of Singapore, Singapore  
"Schizophrenia in the Family - Caregivers and Medical Uncertainties"

**PS 8.3 Multidimensionality of Resistance and Rebellion**

Room: Sarimanok

Moderator: Dr. Vincent Pollard, Assistant Professor, University of Hawaii, Manoa

A.S.M Ashraf, University of Pittsburgh, USA  
"Extrajudicial Killings in the Context of Internal Security Campaigns: A Comparative Case Study of Bangladesh and Nepal"

Sukawarsini Djelantik, Parahyangan Catholic University, Indonesia  
"Terrorism in Indonesia: Case Study the West Javanese terrorists"

Maria Sheila Arado, University of California, Berkeley, USA  
"Factors Influencing the Rise of Islamic Extremism in Southern Phillipines"

Stephen Flanigan, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA  
"The Commanding Heights of Heaven: Religion and Authority in Contemporary China"

Adam Fong, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA  
"Ending an Era: the Huang Chao Rebellion of the Late Tang, 874-884"

**PS 8.4 Recovering from Disaster**

Room: Washington

Moderator: Mr. Bob Alexander, Rural Livelihood Risk Management Consulting

Rusyan Jill Mamiit, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA  
"A Survey of Environmental Concerns in Coastal Communities Affected by the 2004 Indian Ocean Tsunami: the case of two villages in Sri Lanka"

Aulia Sofyan, University of Queensland, Australia  
"The Strategy for an Effective Reconstruction Program in Aceh"

Matthew Chapman, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA  
"A Conceptual Framework to Facilitate the Rapid Construct of Multilingual Textual Communication Networks for Specific Key Knowledge Requests"

Charlotte Kendra Castillo, Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines  
"Mapping Philippine Risk: A GIS-based Analysis of Climate and Weather Related Disasters"

## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

**Friday, February 17, 2006**

12.15 – 12.30 pm

Raphael Kaliko, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"The Application of Computer-based Technology to Teach Traditional Knowledge"

**Saturday, February 18, 2006**

12.15 – 12.30 pm

Dorothy James, University of Hawaii, Manoa, USA

"Addressing Breast Cancer: Micronesian Women in Hawaii"

12.45 – 1 pm

Naoko Tomita, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, United Kingdom

"The Policy-Making Process in the Separation of Prescribing and Dispensing in Japan and South Korea"