

SHAPING AN ASIA-PACIFIC CENTURY: CHALLENGES AND CHOICES

ASIA 21 YOUNG LEADERS SUMMIT

Seoul, Korea – November 17-19, 2006

Agenda

Friday, November 17, 2006

Morning & Afternoon Arrivals

6:00pm Opening Reception
Venue: Ballroom Foyer, Shilla Hotel
Dress: Business

7:00pm Opening Dinner
Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Welcome Remarks
Vishakha N. Desai
President
Asia Society

Welcome Remarks
Baek Jong-Chun
President
The Sejong Institute

Introductory Remarks
Jamie Metz
Executive Vice President
Asia Society

Introduction of Keynote Speaker
Hong Jung-wook, Asia 21 Fellow
Chairman & CEO
Herald Media Inc.

Keynote Address
Han Myeong Sook
Prime Minister
Republic of Korea

8:45-9:00pm Music Performance

Pansori—Traditional Korean Music Theater

Singer: Wang Kicheol
Drum: Cheong Insu

9:00-11:00pm Social Reception
Venue: Yeong Bin Gwan, Shilla Hotel
Hosted By: Hyosung Group

With Performances By: B-boy Group *Last for One* and Crossover Group *Sia*

Saturday, November 18, 2006

7:30am Breakfast
Venue: Yeong Bin Gwan, Shilla Hotel
Hosted By: Kumho Asiana

8:45-9:45am Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Opening Remarks

Jamie Metzl
Executive Vice President
Asia Society

Opening Session: Values Based Leadership

Niret Alva, Chair
Co-Founder
Miditech

In an interview format, select young leaders discuss the importance of utilizing a values framework for making tough decisions.

Discussion Leaders

- **Wen Bo**, China Program Director, Pacific Environment
- **Siok Chin Chee**, Executive Director, The Alliance for Reform and Democracy in Asia
- **Eric Garcetti**, President, Los Angeles City Council
- **Ahmad Nader Nadery**, Commissioner, Afghan Independent Human Rights Commission

9:45-10:45am Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

The Challenges and Opportunities of Economic Growth

Anna Fifield, Chair
Korea Correspondent
Financial Times

This session will explore the broad implications of Asia's explosive, but uneven growth, and examine the challenges and opportunities raised by this growth.

- What are the economic and other key drivers of change in the Asia-Pacific region?
- What is "equitable growth," and what responsibilities do governments and corporations have to foster growth to ensure that economic growth serves to decrease poverty overall and in specific regions?
- Is Asia's economic growth sustainable? What are the potential speed bumps along the way, and what impact would this have on the region's most vulnerable populations?
- What impact will demographic trends have on the future of the Asia-Pacific region?

Discussion Leaders

- **Hunsoo Kim**, Managing Director and Head of Pacific Rim Equity Research, Merrill Lynch
- **Penny Low**, Member of Parliament, Singapore
- **Veerathai Santiprabhob**, Executive Vice President, Siam Commercial Bank
- **Rajiv Shah**, Director, Agricultural Development, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

10:45-11:15am

Break

11:15-1:15

Venues: Dynasty 1, Dynasty 3, Marronnier, and Lilac, Shilla Hotel

Breakout sessions will be moderated by select representatives and will include experts in each field.

Goals:

- Identify major challenges in each area
- Share best practices from across the region for addressing these challenges
- Develop new ideas for potential collaborations in this field

Breakout 1: Building Healthy Societies

Venue: Dynasty 1

James Kondo, Asia 21 Fellow, Chair
Vice Chairman, Healthcare Policy Institute, Japan
Associate Professor, University of Tokyo

- What makes a society healthy?
- What is sustainable development and what role does it play in the building of healthy societies?
- How can societies find the right balance between rapid growth and protecting their most vulnerable populations and the environment? What are the greatest challenges facing rapidly growing societies, and what are best practices for addressing them?
- What are the best models for addressing public health challenges and are they shareable across borders?

Discussion Leaders

- **Arash Alaei**, Director of International Education and Research Cooperation, Shaheed Beheshti Medical University
- **Veronica Colondam**, CEO, Yayasan Cinta Anak Bangsa Foundation
- **Piya Hanvoravongchai**, Research Fellow, International Health Policy Program, Ministry of Public Health, Thailand
- **Pan Tianshu**, Associate Professor, School of Social Development and Public Policy, Fudan University
- **Sachin Pilot**, Member of Parliament, India

Breakout 2: Building Inclusive Societies

Venue: Dynasty 3

Eric Garcetti, Asia 21 Fellow, Chair
President
Los Angeles City Council

Kathleen Reen, Asia 21 Fellow, Chair
Regional Director for Asia Projects
Internews

- What does it mean for a society to be inclusive?
- What specific examples of efforts to empower vulnerable and disadvantaged groups have been most successful, and are these models shareable?

Discussion Leaders

- **Donya Aziz**, Member, National Assembly, Pakistan
- **Michael Johnson**, Federal Member for Ryan, Parliament of Australia
- **Hee Jung Kim**, Member, National Assembly, Republic of Korea
- **Madison Nguyen**, Councilmember, City of San Jose, District 7

Breakout 3: Building Safe Societies

Venue: Marronnier Room

Parag Patel, Asia 21 Fellow, Chair
Senior Director
EMC Corporation

- What makes a society a safe society?
- Are liberty and security complimentary or conflicting goals within societies?
- How can states cooperate to enhance collective security?

Discussion Leaders

- **Alyssa Ayres**, Deputy Director, Center for the Advanced Study of India, University of Pennsylvania
- **Leonard Kosinski**, Director of Operations, 437th Operations Support Squadron, U.S. Air Force
- **Audry Li**, Partner, Zhong Lun Law
- **Karim Sadjadpour**, Senior Analyst, International Crisis Group
- **Damdin. Tsogtbaatar**, Advisor to the President, Mongolia

Breakout 4: Building Vibrant Societies

Venue: Lilac Room

Bam Aquino, Asia 21 Fellow
Chairman and CEO
NBT Global Inc

Bi-Khim Hsiao, Asia 21 Fellow
Member of Parliament
Taiwan

- How can societies protect their artistic and cultural heritage in the context of globalization? What models for doing this have been most effective?
- What role can the private sector play in protecting cultural heritage?
- Does globalization threaten cultural diversity? If so, how can the benefits of globalization be harnessed in a manner that does not threaten cultural traditions?
- What makes a society innovative? What can governments and leaders do to help facilitate these processes?

Discussion Leaders

- **Sophiline Cheam Shapiro**, Co-Founder & Artistic Director, Khmer Arts Academy
- **Rishab Ghosh**, Co-founder and Managing Editor, United Nations University / UNU-MERIT
- **Tan Le**, President, Emotive Systems Inc
- **Martin Lopez**, Executive Director, Pathways to Higher Education

1:15-2:30pm

Lunch

Venue: Dynasty 2, Shilla Hotel

Hosted By: The Federation of Korean Industries

2:30-4:00pm

Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Reunion Session

Presentations by breakout group leaders on morning sessions followed by dialogue with the larger group.

4:00-4:30pm

Break

4:30-5:00pm Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Introduction to Keynote Address
H.S. Cho
Senior Vice President
Corporate Strategy Center
Hyosung Group

Keynote Address
Kim Dae-Jung
Former President
Republic of Korea
Nobel Peace Prize Laureate--2000

5:00-5:30pm Presentation of the Asia 21 Public Service Award.

Award Presentation By
Harvey Keh
Executive Director
Pathways to Higher Education
Ateneo de Manila University

Award Winner
The Chi Heng Foundation

Represented By:
Chung To
Founder and Chairperson

6:30pm Delegates gather for dinner departure

7:00pm Dinner and Cultural Performance sponsored by the Korea Foundation
Venue: Korea House

Performances By: Gongmyoung and the Korea House performers

Late Evening “About” bar and lounge (karaoke optional)
Chung Dam Dong, Seoul

Sunday, November 19, 2006

7:30am Breakfast
Venue: Yeong Bin Gwan, Shilla Hotel

8:30-9:30am Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Opening Remarks

Jamie Metzl

Executive Vice President
Asia Society

Panel Discussion: The Citizen's Media Revolution

Joshua Ramo, Asia 21 Fellow, Chair

Managing Director
Kissinger Associates

- How are blogging and other forms of citizens media transforming the information environment in the Asia-Pacific region, and what are the implications of this for the next generation of leaders?
- What opportunities exist for greater cross-border collaboration between individuals and communities engaged with citizens media across the Asia-Pacific region?
- How can new media capabilities serve to open dialogue between and within societies and what are the benefits and dangers of this transformation?

Discussion Leaders

- **Krishna Acharya**, Journalist/Blogger, The Kathmandu Post
- **Awab Alvi**, Dentist/Blogger, Pakistan
- **Lam Oi-Wan**, Founding Member, Hong Kong In-Media
- **Scarlett Li**, President, R2G
- **Enda Nasution**, Independent Indonesian Blogger

9:30-10:30am Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Leadership in Action: Moments of Truth

Rui Chenggang, Chair

Director & Anchor
China Central Television

Panelists describe a moment in their lives where they had to make a critical choice.

10:30-11:00am Break

11:00am-12:30pm Venues: Dynasty 1, 2, and 3, Marronnier, Lilac, Pine and Bamboo, Shilla Hotel

Breakout Session

Constructing an "ideal society"

Break out into smaller groups (breakout room is noted on the back of delegate badges).

Each group will be given construction paper, scissors, markers, posterboard, sticks, etc. Using these "tools" and drawing from the experience and lessons of this Summit, design your vision of an **ideal society**. These models can be as abstract, practical, creative, or as literal as you would like. Some will be inclined to draw out an architectural "blueprint," some might draft a constitution, or some might even

construct a three-dimensional model. It can take on any form, but must conceptualize your philosophies of community based upon your own notion of what constitutes an ideal society inspired by the experience of this Summit. Try to integrate the diverse skills of every group member and be detailed in your approach.

Afterwards you group will present your “ideal society” model to the other delegates, and suggest how your notion of this type of society can guide you and other young leaders in your daily lives.

12:45-2:00pm

Lunch

Venue: Yeong Bin Gwan, Shilla Hotel

2:15-3:45pm

Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Group Presentations

The groups reconvene to share their ideas.

3:45-4:00pm

Venue: Main Ballroom, Shilla Hotel

Closing Remarks

Jamie Metzl

Executive Vice President

Asia Society