

Republic of Korea and World Bank Group
60 Years of Partnership
Retrospect and Prospect

KOREA WEEK 2015

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Welcome to **'Korea Week 2015 – Retrospect and Prospect'**.

We are very pleased to co-host this year's Korea Week with the World Bank Group, as we celebrate together the 60th anniversary of the long and strong partnership between the Republic of Korea and the World Bank Group.

Korea's 60-year relationship with the World Bank Group began when it joined the IBRD in 1955. Korea and the World Bank Group maintained a close relationship through dynamic and challenging times. In the beginning, Korea had received aids and loans from the WB, whose total amounted to 15 billion dollars. Just within half a century, Korea transformed itself from a recipient country to a donor country – the only such country in the world. It now boasts per capita GDP of 20,000 dollars with a population over 50 million.

Now the world's 15th largest economy, Korea is a key development partner of the World Bank Group, an important contributor to the International Development Association (IDA), the fund established to support least developed countries. In the IDA16 Replenishment, Korea contributed 224.6 million SDR, which amounted to 1 percent of the replenishment. Its contribution grew 13.04 percent in the IDA17 and recorded 253.9 million SDR. Korea also continues to increase its contribution to trust funds. It contributed 58.1 million dollars in 2014. It plans to contribute a total of 62 million dollars this year, which is about a 10 percent increase in comparison to 2014. In April 2015, Korea also signed a co-financing MOU with the World Bank Group to provide 300 million dollars from its EDCF for strengthening support in developing countries.

As a former recipient that underwent a remarkable and rapid development transformation, Korea had accumulated development expertise on many sectors for its sustainable growth. Korea's success offers lessons that can be of practical benefit in many developing countries. In partnership with the World Bank Group, Korea is supporting various programs and projects in different sectors and themes to leverage Korean experience to help accelerate development in many parts of the world. The Korea Week 2015 will showcase these programs and projects and explore avenues to further strengthen and expand our partnership with the World Bank Group to successfully tackle development challenges around the world. Moving forward, the Ministry of Strategy and Finance will continue to nourish the rich and productive partnership with the World Bank Group. The Korea Week 2015 will be an important milestone to reinforce the valuable role of Korea in ending extreme poverty and boosting shared prosperity.

Suyeong Yu

Director of International Financial Institutions Division
Ministry of Strategy and Finance



Let me extend a warm welcome to all of you to **"Korea Week 2015 – Retrospect and Prospect"**, jointly hosted and organized by the World Bank Group and the Ministry of Strategy and Finance of the Republic of Korea.

Achieving the World Bank Group's twin goals of ending extreme poverty and promoting shared prosperity will require significant support by, and partnerships with, a wide range of key stakeholders. The Republic of Korea, including its government, public and private entities, and people, are critical elements of this equation.

The year 2015 marks the 60th anniversary of the strong and close cooperation between the Republic of Korea and the World Bank Group. We will commemorate this important milestone of partnership by planning a series of innovative events and activities. Korea Week 2015 launches the commemoration, in the Republic of Korea, with a Conference (June 1-2), Public Engagement Day (June 3), and four parallel Side Events (June 4-5).

The Conference will illustrate the Republic of Korea's incredible economic and social progress and its role as a unique donor, showcase the rich and productive 60 years of partnership between the WBG and Korea, and provide a collaborative and interactive arena to increase synergies and learning across a wide diversity of key development themes and issues.

The Public Engagement Day will discuss how the World Bank Group adapts to new and powerful global economic currents to provide innovative, multidisciplinary solutions to help solve global development challenges; as well as provide a sneak peek into what it is like to work at the World Bank Group.

Korea Week's diverse program also includes four parallel Side Events, including: (i) an International Tax Conference for Development and Growth; (ii) the World Bank Group 2nd Annual Korea Green Innovation Days – Leveraging Green Growth for Climate Change Action; (iii) a conference on Perspectives on Economic Transitions; and (iv) a conference on Governance of State-Owned Enterprises (SOE) – State Oversight and Performance Monitoring in East and South Asia.

I believe we have a truly exciting line-up of events, sessions, and speakers. We have worked very closely with development partners in the Republic of Korea and across the globe to design the Conference, Public Engagement Day, and Side Events.

I want to thank all of the Korea Week 2015 contributors and organizers who worked tirelessly to bring this 5-day event to you. And to all the participants, we want to thank you for attending Korea Week 2015 and contributing to such an important commemoration of the close partnership between the Republic of Korea and the World Bank Group.

Joyce Msuya

Special Representative
World Bank Group Korea Office

INTRODUCTION / OVERVIEW

Event Korea Week 2015

Theme Retrospect and Prospect

Period Monday, June 1 - Friday, June 5, 2015

Category

Conference / June 1-2

Sheraton Incheon Hotel, 153 Convensia-Road, Yeonsu-Gu, Songdo, Incheon, Republic of Korea

Plenary session

- Remembering 60 years of Successful Partnership
- Transformation of Korea and IDA as a Partner
- World Bank Group- Korea Programs and Projects
- Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

Thematic session

- Information & Communications Technology - Closing the Gaps
- Urban & Climate Change
- Leadership, Learning & Innovation - Accelerating of Development
- Fostering Competitiveness: The Role of Innovation to Increase Firm Level Productivity and Integrating SMEs into Global Value Chains
- Public - Private Partnerships (PPP) - Using the Korean Effective PPP Program Implementation to Improve Governance in Other Countries
- Financial Systems for Sustainable Growth

Public Engagement Day / June 3

Seoul Museum of History

- Global Development Challenges and the Role of WBG
- Working in the WBG

Side Events / June 4-5

The Westin Chosun Seoul, Millennium Seoul Hilton, Korea Export-Import Bank, Lotte Hotel Seoul

- International Tax Conference for Development and Growth, WB - Korea Development Forum
- World Bank Group 2nd Annual Korea Green Innovation Days - Leveraging Green Growth for Climate Change Action
- Perspectives on Economic Transitions
- Governance of State - Owned Enterprises (SOE): State Oversight and Performance Monitoring in East and South Asia

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

June 1~2 Conference *Sheraton Incheon Hotel*

June 3 Public Engagement Day *Seoul Museum of History*

Time	June 1 (MON)	June 2 (TUE)	June 3 (WED)			
09:00~09:30		Plenary Session III: International Finance Corporation & Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency -Private Sector	Registration			
09:30~10:00	Registration		Welcoming Remarks (09:30~09:40)			
10:00~10:30	Opening Plenary (10:00~10:40) Grand Ballroom	Grand Ballroom 1 (Invitation only)	Panel Discussion I: <i>Global Development Challenges and the Role of WBG</i> (09:40~11:00)			
10:30~11:00	Coffee Break (10:40~11:00)	Plenary Session III: International Finance Corporation & Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency -Private Sector		Coffee Break (11:00~11:20)		
11:00~11:30	Plenary session I: Korea as a Unique Donor Grand Ballroom		Grand Ballroom 2 (10:30~12:15)	Panel Discussion II: <i>Working in the WBG</i>		
11:30~12:00		Networking Lunch				
12:00~12:30		Grand Ballroom 2 (10:30~12:15)	Closing (12:30~12:45)			
12:30~13:00	Networking Lunch Grand Ballroom					
13:00~13:30						
13:30~14:00	Plenary session II: World Bank Group-Korea Programs and Projects Grand Ballroom	Thematic session II	Thematic session II			
14:00~14:30				Theme 4 <i>Fostering Competitiveness</i>	Theme 5 <i>Public & Private Partnership</i>	Theme 6 <i>Financial Systems for Sustainable Growth</i>
14:30~15:00						
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15:30~16:00	Coffee Break					
16:00~16:30		Lotus 5	Lotus 1&2	Lotus 3		
16:30~17:00	Thematic Session I	Thematic Session I	Thematic Session I			
17:00~17:30	Theme 1 <i>ICT</i>	Theme 2 <i>Urban & Climate Change</i>	Theme 3 <i>Leadership, Learning & Innovation</i>			
17:30~18:00	Lotus 3	Lotus 5	Lotus 1&2			
18:00~18:30						
19:30~19:00						
19:00~19:30	Break					
19:30~21:00	Dinner Session Grand Ballroom					

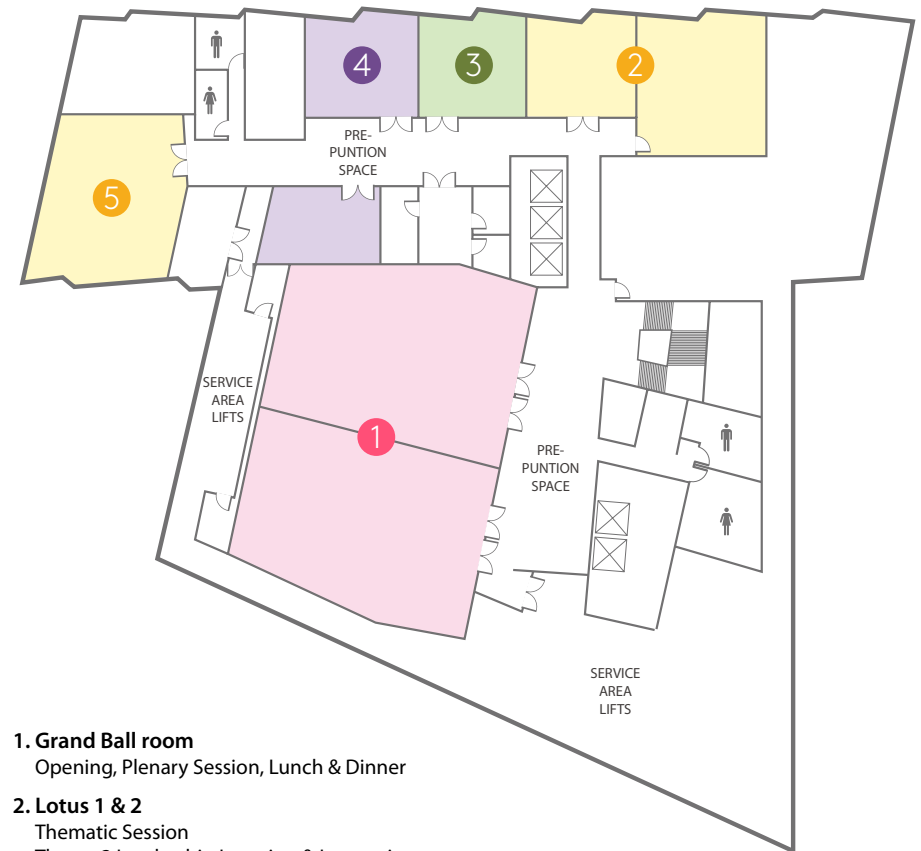
PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

- June 4-5** International Tax Conference for Development and Growth *The Westin Chosun, Seoul*
June 4-5 Korea Green Innovation Days *Millennium Seoul Hilton, Seoul*
June 4 Perspectives on Economic Transitions *Korea Export-Import Bank, Seoul*
June 4-5 Governance of State-Owned Enterprises (SOE) *Lotte Hotel Seoul*

Time	June 4 (Thu)			June 5 (FRI)		
08:00-09:00						
09:00-09:30	International Tax Conference for Development and Growth	Korea Green Innovation Days	Perspectives on Economic Transitions	International Tax Conference for Development and Growth	Korea Green Innovation Days	Governance of State-Owned Enterprises
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CONFERENCE FLOOR PLAN

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- 1. Grand Ball room**
Opening, Plenary Session, Lunch & Dinner
- 2. Lotus 1 & 2**
Thematic Session
Theme 3 Leadership Learning & Innovation
Theme 5 Public-Private Partnerships
- 3. Lotus 3**
Thematic Session
Theme 1 Information & Communication Technology
Theme 6 financial Systems for Sustainable Growth
- 4. Lotus 4**
VIP Lounge & Bilateral Meeting Room 1
- 5. Lotus 5**
Thematic Session
Theme 2 Urban & Climate Change
Theme 4 Fostering Competitiveness

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- 1. **Orchid 1**
Bilateral Meeting Room 2
- 2. **Orchid 2**
World Bank Group Secretariat
- 3. **Orchid 3**
Korea Week 2015 Secretariat & Document Center

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Section 1: Conference (June 1-2, 2015)

Sheraton Incheon Hotel, Incheon
 3rd Floor & 4th Floor
 153 Convensia-Road, Yeonsu-Gu, Incheon, 406-840, South Korea

June 1, 2015 (Monday)

Time	Program
9:30 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 10:40	<p>Opening Plenary: Remembering 60 Years of Successful Partnership</p> <p>The Republic of Korea became a member of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) in 1955 and of the International Development Association (IDA) in 1961. Korea graduated from IDA in 1973 and IBRD in 1995. Through the New Millennium, Korea increasingly became an important contributor to IDA, and a key donor and partner with WBG programs and projects.</p> <p>Celebrating the 60 years of partnership, the opening plenary will signal the commencement of weeklong strategic engagements between the World Bank Group (WBG), Korean institutions, and country partners. Representatives will share their experiences about the successful partnerships, programs, and meetings for initiation and expansion of their collaborative efforts.</p> <p><i>Welcoming Remarks</i> Axel van Trotsenburg, Vice President, East Asia and Pacific, WBG Hyung-hwan Joo, Vice Minister, Ministry of Strategy and Finance (MOSF)</p> <p><i>Congratulatory Remarks</i> Video message by Jim Yong Kim, President of WBG Lee Duk-Hoon, Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank of Korea (Korea Eximbank) Bae Kook Hwan, Deputy Mayor, Incheon Metropolitan City, Republic of Korea</p> <p>Group Photo</p>
10:40 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:30	<p>Plenary 1: Transformation of Korea and IDA as a Partner</p> <p>Korea has a unique history of rising from a recipient country to a donor country. The WBG began its operations in Korea in 1962 by providing an IDA credit to expand and improve the Korean National Railroad. Korea graduated from IDA in 1973. Now the world's 15th largest economy, Korea is a key development partner of the WBG and an important contributor to IDA.</p> <p><i>Speaker</i> Joachim von Amsberg, Vice President, Development Finance, WBG</p>

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11:00 – 12:30	<p><i>Panelists</i> Sung-Soo Eun, Executive Director, Republic of Korea, Board of Directors, WBG Hyung-Gon Jeong, Vice President, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP) Meeja Hamm, Honorary Distinguished Professor, Graduate School of Pan-Pacific International Studies, Kyung Hee University</p> <p><i>Moderator</i> Kyung-wook Hur, Professor, Public Finance / International Economy, KDI School of Public Policy and Management</p>
12:30 – 13:30	Networking Lunch
13:30 – 15:30	<p>Plenary 2: World Bank Group – Korea Programs and Projects</p> <p>This plenary is designed to give a general overview of on-going Korea-financed World Bank Group (WBG) programs and results, and discuss ways to strengthen WBG-Korea partnerships. The WBG and Korea have a wide diversity of innovative partnerships, across most WBG Global Practices (GP) and Cross-cutting Solution Areas (CCSA), designed to, inter alia, enhance financial sector management, promote investment in green infrastructure and renewable energy, share know-how in information communications technology, support and accelerate knowledge sharing, as well as assist fragile and conflict-affected states. These partnerships span the globe, covering all regions and benefiting a wealth of countries, from Mexico to Mali, and India to Indonesia. Korean agency partners are essential components to supporting country clients and delivering results, including, inter alia, Ministry of Strategy and Finance; Korea Development Institute; Korea Eximbank; Korea Development Finance Corporation; and Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements. The discussion will highlight overall achievements with beneficiaries and clients sharing their experiences of Korea-supported programs. Moreover, this plenary will give a general overview of the vision and achievements of the WBG Korea Office since its establishment in December 2013.</p> <p><i>Introductory Remarks</i> Bert Hofman, Country Director, Republic of Korea, World Bank, WBG Yoon-kyung Kim, Deputy Director General, MOSF Vivek Pathak, Director, East Asia and Pacific Department, International Finance Corporation</p> <p><i>WBG-Korea Program Example, Presentation</i> Betty Bigombe, Senior Director, Fragility, Conflict and Violence, WBG Luisito Montalbo, Undersecretary, Executive Director, Office of the Presidential Adviser on the Peace Process, Office of the President of the Philippines</p>

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13:30 – 15:30	<p>Panelists Nejib Arfaoui, Advisor of the Honorable Minister, Ministry of Equipment, Housing and Sustainable Development Taejong Kim, Professor, KDI School Public Policy and Management Anita Bhatia, Director, Development Partner Relations, WBG Timothy James Histed, Head, North Asia, Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)</p> <p>Moderator Bert Hofman, Country Director, Republic of Korea, World Bank, WBG</p>
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 19:00 (including coffee break)	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 1 Theme 1 Information & Communications Technology – Closing the Gaps This session will discuss how Information & Communications Technology (ICT) plays a key role in closing development gaps in various sectors by highlighting projects implemented using the Korea Trust Fund for ICTs. It will also discuss areas where Korea's experience is of high relevance to developing countries such as imparting digital skills, developing digital infrastructure, and focusing on innovation and jobs in the creative economy.</p> <p>Introductory Remarks Wonki Min, Assistant Minister, Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP) Deepak Bhatia, Lead e-Government Specialist, Transport & ICT, WBG</p> <p>Panelists Harry Anthony Patrinos, Practice Manager, Education, WBG Jeongwon Yoon, Director of IT Cooperation, National Information Society Agency Chun-man Cho, Research Fellow, Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements (KRIHS) Wansuck Yi, Senior Researcher, Korea Internet and Security Agency (KISA) Hayun Kang, Executive Director, International Cooperation Research, Korea Information Society Development Institute (KISDI) Hyoung Gun Wang, Senior Economist, Urban, Rural & Social Development, WBG</p> <p>Moderator Deepak Bhatia, Lead e-Government Specialist, Transport & ICT, WBG</p>

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16:00 – 19:00 (including coffee break)	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 1 Theme 2 Urban & Climate Change One billion people are expected to move to cities by 2030. The growth path of cities, human settlements, and rural areas have local and global implications for sustainability and climate change. The session will cover how urban and climate change issues are being addressed and the potential opportunities that lie ahead.</p> <p>Introductory Remarks and Presentation Jin-Cheol Jo, Vice Director, Global Development Partnership, Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements</p> <p>MetroLab Video "Think Outside Your Boundary – Fast Growing Cities Need a Metropolitan Approach"</p> <p>Presentations Neeraj Prasad, Manager, Knowledge & Partnerships, Climate Change, WBG Paul Procee, Program Leader and Lead Urban Specialist, Beijing Office, WBG</p> <p>Panelists Jin-Cheol Jo, Vice Director, Global Development Partnership, Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements (KRIHS) Neeraj Prasad, Manager, Knowledge & Partnerships, Climate Change, WBG Paul Procee, Program Leader and Lead Urban Specialist, Beijing Office, WBG Anne Marie Sloth Carlsen, Director, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Seoul Policy Center</p> <p>Moderator Songsu Choi, Professor, KDI School of Public Policy and Management</p>
16:00 – 19:00 (including coffee break)	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 1 Theme 3 Leadership, Learning & Innovation – Accelerators of Development Leadership, Learning and Innovation (LLI) are three critical dimensions of development in addition to finance and knowledge. These five dimensions help accelerate development results. This session will introduce how LLI incorporates different elements in delivering development solutions and improving outcomes. The session will showcase the transition from the World Bank Institute (WBI) to LLI and the ongoing programs funded by Korea. It will also explore how engagement with Korea could be best maximized going forward to reach development goals by focusing on three key initiatives: Knowledge Exchange Hubs to strengthen knowledge sharing capacity; Open Learning Campus (OLC) as a new learning platform; and Big Data as critical tool to support development operations</p> <p>Introductory Remarks and Presentation Abha Joshi-Ghani, Director, Knowledge Exchange & Learning, Leadership, Learning & Innovation (LLI), WBG.</p>

Time	Program
16:00 – 19:00 (including coffee break)	<p><u>Speaker</u> Taejong Kim, Professor, KDI School of Public Policy and Management</p> <p><u>Breakout Parallel Sessions</u> <i>Theme 1 - Knowledge Hubs: Strengthening Organizational Knowledge Sharing</i> Lead: Steffen Janus, Senior Operations Officer, LLI, WBG Discussants: Hyungkyoo Kim, Director, Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) Yoon Young Park, Deputy Director, Statistics Korea (KOSTAT) Haiyoung Yun, Assistant Dean, Capacity Building Center, KDI School of Public Policy and Management</p> <p><i>Theme 2 – Accelerating Solutions through Learning: Introducing the Open Learning Campus</i> Lead: Sheila Jagannathan, Lead Learning Specialist, LLI, WBG</p> <p><i>Theme 3 – Innovation in Big Data for Development</i> Lead: Adarsh Desai, Program Manager, Innovation, LLI, WBG Panelists: Kyu Sup Hahn, Vice Director, Big Data Institute, Seoul National University (SNU) Jeongwon Yoon, Executive Director, National Information Society Agency (NIA)</p> <p><u>Closing Remarks</u> Joyce Msuya, Special Representative, Korea Office, WBG</p>
	<p>Dinner Session <u>Welcoming Remarks by Hosts</u> Sung-Soo Eun, Executive Director, Board of Directors, Republic of Korea Axel van Trotsenburg, Vice President, East Asia and Pacific, WBG</p> <p><u>Keynote Speech</u> Ede Jorge Ijjasz-Vasquez, Senior Director, Urban, Rural & Social Development, WBG “Innovation and Quality through our Korean Partnership”</p>

June 2, 2015 (Tuesday)

Time	Program
	<p>Plenary 3: Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector WBG's partnership with Korea's private sector has been reinforced and facilitated through the presence of IFC and MIGA in Korea. Increased accessibility and interaction with Korean investors have led to better utilization of WBG support when expanding into emerging markets. IFC's co-investments with Korean firms are across various sectors including power and renewable energy, oil and gas, chemicals, manufacturing, and financial markets, whereas MIGA is underwriting investments in the energy, extractives, and services sectors.</p>

Time	Program
09:00-10:30 (invitation only)	This session will discuss how to further strengthen the partnership by hearing participant's views on challenges of entering emerging markets, and how the WBG can work more closely with the Republic of Korea and its Public Finance Agencies to enhance cross-border investment from Korea.
10:30 – 12:15	<p>By sharing IFC and MIGA's experiences and views on the challenges and opportunities in Asia that are of particular interest to Korean investors (e.g., Myanmar), this session will explore opportunities of further collaboration in target frontier markets.</p> <p><u>Speakers</u> Vikram Kumar, Resident Representative, Myanmar, IFC Hayoung Lee, Representative, Korea Office, IFC Junglim Hahm, Representative, Korea Office, MIGA Paul Antony Barbour, Senior Risk Management Officer, MIGA Michael Chae, Principal, Asset Management Company, IFC</p> <p><u>Moderator</u> Kwangchul Ji, Liaison Officer, Korea Office, WBG</p>
12:15 – 13:30	Networking Lunch
13:30 – 16:30 (including coffee break)	<p><u>Parallel Thematic Session 2</u> Theme 4 Fostering Competitiveness: The role of Innovation to increase firm level productivity and integrating SMEs into Global Value Chains This session will highlight the importance of fostering greater innovation and technology adoption to improve firm level productivity and allowing firms to integrate into global value chains. This discussion will explore the role of policy making to ensure firms have incentives to invest in technology upgrading and skills development with a view to be more globally competitive.</p> <p><u>Introductory Panel Presentation</u> William Maloney, Chief Economist, Trade & Competitiveness, WBG <i>Discussion 1: Innovation Policy to increase firm competitiveness</i></p> <p><u>Panelists</u> Shahid Yusuf, Chief Economist, The Growth Dialogue Rajah Rasiah, Professor of Economics and Technology Management, University of Malaya Harry Anthony Patrinos, Practice Manager, Education, WBG Sungchul Jung, Former President of STEPI Yeong Cheol Seok, Executive Director, Office of Strategic Research and Development Planning, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy (MOTIE)</p> <p><u>Moderator</u> William Maloney, Chief Economist, Trade & Competitiveness, WBG</p>

Time	Program
13:30 – 16:30 (including coffee break)	<p><i>Discussion 2: Technology Upgrading to integrate SMEs into Global Value Chains</i></p> <p>Panelists Vivek Pathak, Director, East Asia and Pacific Department, IFC Miao Zhang, Research Fellow at Institute of China Studies, University of Malaya Seunghee Lee, Director, Global Partnering Team, KOTRA Han-koo Yeo, Deputy Director General, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy (MOTIE) Yong Seok Roh, Director, Overseas Marketing Division, Small and Medium Enterprise Business Administration (SMBA)</p> <p>Moderator William Maloney, Chief Economist, Trade & Competitiveness, WBG</p>
13:30 – 16:30 (including coffee break)	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 2 Theme 5 Public-Private Partnerships (PPP) – Using the Korean Effective PPP Program Implementation to Improve Governance in Other Countries</p> <p>Korea has a wealth of experience in implementing PPPs, providing a successful demonstration of the results a country can achieve with political willingness, a solid pipeline of projects, and strong, capacitated institutions in place. This session will focus on “exporting” Korean lessons, particularly relating to institution-building, and how Korea organized itself for producing economic development through PPPs.</p> <p>Introductory Remarks Francois Olivier Bergere, Program Manager, Public-Private Partnerships, WBG</p> <p><i>Discussion 1 – 20 years of Korean PPP experience: achievements and lessons</i></p> <p>Chairs Francois Olivier Bergere, Program Manager, Public-Private Partnerships, WBG Hyeon Park, Associate Professor and Vice Dean of International School of Urban Sciences, University of Seoul</p> <p>Panelists Myeong Joo Kim, Director, PPP Policy Division, Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Republic of Korea Hyeon Park, Associate Professor and Vice Dean of International School of Urban Sciences, University of Seoul Chul Hum Paik, Representative Director, Macquarie Korea Asset Management Taehong Jun, General Manager, Project Finance Department 1, Korea Development Bank</p> <p>Moderator Ousmane Dione, Practice Manager, Water, WBG</p>

Time	Program
13:30 – 16:30 (including coffee break)	<p><i>Discussion 2 – How to use the Korean experience to improve governance in other countries</i></p> <p>Chairs Francois Olivier Bergere, Program Manager, Public-Private Partnerships, WBG Hojun Lee, Director, PPP Division, Public and Private Infrastructure Investment Management Center (PIMAC), Korea Development Institute (KDI)</p> <p>Panelists Jong Moo Jung, Chief Executive Officer, KG Finance Youngsob Yoo, Deputy Director, PPP Policy Division, Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Republic of Korea Jin Wook Lee, Deputy Director, Strategic Business Coordination Department, Export-Import Bank of Korea (Korea Eximbank) Soojin Park, Head, Policy Research Team, Public and Private Infrastructure Investment Management Center (PIMAC), Korea Development Institute</p> <p>Moderator Ousmane Dione, Practice Manager, Water, WBG</p>
13:30 – 16:30 (including coffee break)	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 2 Theme 6 Financial Systems for Sustainable Growth</p> <p>Stable, efficient, and inclusive financial markets are essential to promoting economic growth, reducing poverty and increasing shared prosperity. This session will bring together policy makers and experts to discuss their perspectives and experiences regarding importance of financial systems stability and capital markets for development and growth. In particular, the session will highlight Korea’s experience in building their financial system, role of international financial institutions such as the WBG in this effort, and challenges Korea and other Asian economies see go forward in the fast changing and integrating global financial landscape. The session will be divided into two discussions – one on financial stability and soundness and one on capital markets development.</p> <p>Introductory Remarks Hak Soo Kim, Director General, Financial Services Commission- Capital Markets Bureau Sebastian-A Molineux, Director, Finance & Markets, WBG</p> <p><i>Discussion 1 – Financial Sector Stability and Soundness – Getting the Foundation Right</i></p> <p>Panelists Kyuil Chung, Director General, Office of International Affairs, Bank of Korea Bumyoal Lee, Head, International Organization Team, Financial Supervisory Services (FSS) Hyoung-Seok Lim, Director, Bank and Insurance Industry Division, Korea Institute of Finance (KIF) James Seward, Practice Manager, Finance & Markets, WBG</p>

Time	Program
13:30 – 16:30 (including coffee break)	<p><i>Moderator</i> Sameer Goyal, Senior Financial Sector Specialist, Finance & Markets, WBG</p> <p><i>Discussion 2 - Leveraging Capital Markets and Non-bank Financial Institutions for Development</i></p> <p><i>Presentation</i> Chanitr Charnchainarong, Former Executive Vice President, The Stock Exchange of Thailand</p> <p><i>Panelists</i> Young Ho Park, Managing Director, Korea Securities Depository (KSD) Vikram Kumar, Resident Representative, Myanmar, IFC Hyungjoon Lim, Research Fellow, Korea Institute of Finance</p> <p><i>Moderator</i> Sebastian-A Molineus, Director, Finance & Markets, WBG</p>

Section 2: Public Engagement Day (June 3, 2015)

Seoul Museum of History, Seoul

Main Lecture Hall

55 Saemunan-ro (sinmunno 2-ga), Jonggno-gu, Seoul 110-062, South Korea

June 3, 2015 (Wednesday)

Time	Program
09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 – 11:00	<p>Panel Discussion 1 “Global Development Challenges and the Role of WBG” As the face of development is rapidly changing, meeting today’s development challenges calls for innovation and effective partnerships across sectors, with an emphasis on leveraging the role of the private sector. The session will discuss how WBG adapts to new and powerful global economic currents to provide innovative, multidisciplinary solutions to help solve global development challenges. Directors and managers of the WBG and external experts will discuss practical suggestions for effective, accountable, and legitimate WBG in a rapidly changing global economy.</p> <p><i>Speaker</i> Ki-hwan Kim, Chair, Seoul Financial Forum</p>

Time	Program
09:30 – 11:00	<p><i>Experts Panel</i> Shahid Yusuf, Chief Economist, The Growth Dialogue Jörg Alois Reding, Ambassador, Embassy of Switzerland, Republic of Korea Betty Bigombe, Senior Director, Fragility, Conflict and Violence, WBG James Brumby, Director, Governance, WBG Sebastian-A Molineus, Director, Finance & Markets, WBG Ousmane Dione, Practice Manager, Water, WBG</p> <p><i>Moderator</i> Abha Joshi-Ghani, Director, Knowledge Exchange & Learning, Leadership, Learning & Innovation (LLI), WBG</p>
11:00 – 11:20	Coffee Break
11:20 – 12:30	<p>Panel Discussion 2 “Working in the WBG” With increased interest among Korean students in global development issues and the role of international organizations thereof, this session will provide a sneak peek into what it’s like to work at the WBG. Current and former WBG employees will also share their experience on how IBRD, IFC, and MIGA work together as “One World Bank Group” to bring practical solutions to development challenges. Members of the WBG Korea Office will also share their experience and ideas about the WBG Korea Office, and the roles and vision of the office.</p> <p><i>Opening Remarks</i> Geremie Sawadogo, Manager, Talent Acquisition, WBG</p> <p><i>Panelists</i> Davide Bonzano, Senior Manager, Client Services, WBG Hyoung Gun Wang, Senior Economist, Urban, Rural & Social Development, WBG Darren Dorkin, Program Coordinator, LLI, Korea Office, WBG Kyung Soon Song, Representative Director, Korea Expert Consulting Group Ji-young Song, Operations Analyst, Finance & Markets, WBG</p> <p><i>Moderator</i> Joyce Msuya, Special Representative, Korea Office, WBG</p>
12:30 – 12:45	<p>Closing Joyce Msuya, Special Representative, Korea Office, WBG</p>

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Opening plenary

Axel van Trotsenburg

Vice President
East Asia and Pacific Region, World Bank Group

Axel van Trotsenburg assumed the role of World Bank East Asia and Pacific Regional Vice President on February 1, 2013. He oversees a portfolio of over US\$30 billion in loans, grants, credits and trust funds, coordinating and supervising the activities of more than 1,000 staff.

Mr. van Trotsenburg leads the World Bank's strategy in the region which supports countries by addressing four shared challenges: natural disasters; poverty and equality; infrastructure and urbanization; and making governments work for people. Despite the region's success in reducing poverty, about a half billion people are still living on less than US\$2 a day. The Bank's goal is to help countries improve the lives of the poor and vulnerable by delivering innovative development solutions and results on the ground. Before this, Mr. van Trotsenburg served as the World Bank's Vice-President for Concessional Finance and Global Partnerships since August 2009. Mr. van Trotsenburg led the policy negotiations and replenishment process for the International Development Association (IDA), the Bank's fund for the poorest countries, with a record 16th replenishment of US\$49.3 billion concluded in December 2010. He also co-chaired the replenishment process for the Global Environment Facility (GEF) and managed the largest replenishment increase ever, under GEF 5, with pledges of US\$4.25 billion. He had policy oversight of the World Bank's trust fund portfolio amounting to US\$29.4 billion, and oversaw a wide range of global initiatives and innovative financing including: the Global Fund to Fight Aids, Tuberculosis and Malaria (GFATM), the International Finance Facility for Immunisation (IFFIm), and the pilot Advance Market Commitment (AMC) for pneumococcal vaccines.

From July 2007-July 2009, he was Country Director for Colombia and Mexico, and from 2002 to July 2007, Country Director for Argentina, Chile, Paraguay, and Uruguay. From 1996 to 2001, Mr. van Trotsenburg was Senior Manager of the Heavily Indebted Poor Countries (HIPC) Initiative, the largest and most comprehensive debt relief program for poor countries, and in previous assignments, he also was Senior Country Economist for Côte d'Ivoire and Country Economist for Guatemala.

Mr. van Trotsenburg joined the Bank in 1988 and prior to that, he worked at the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) in Paris. He is both Dutch and Austrian. He holds Masters and Doctorate degrees in economics and a Master's degree in International Affairs.

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Hyung-hwan Joo

Vice Minister
Ministry of Strategy and Finance (MOSF)

Hyunghwan Joo serves as the First Vice Minister of Strategy and Finance (MOSF), a position he has held since July 2014. He has a long career in MOSF and was also Vice Minister from January 2012 – June 2013. Prior to his current position, he served as Secretary to the President for Economic and Financial Affairs (March 2013 – July 2014). He started his career as a government officer in 1982 and has served in a range of capacities, including as Director of the Finance Ministry's Banking Policy Division; Senior Finance Ministry Official in charge of foreign economic policy; Director General of the International Economic Affairs Bureau; and as Planning Director of Presidential Committee on Green Growth. Joo was Advisor to the Korean Executive Director of the World Bank during June 1997 – November 1999.

He holds a Ph. D in Business Administration and an MBA from the University of Illinois (May 1991 and December 1986, respectively) and a B.A. in Business Administration from the Seoul National University (February 1984).

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Jim Yong Kim

President
World Bank Group

Jim Yong Kim, M.D., Ph.D., became the 12th President of the World Bank Group on July 1, 2012.

A physician and anthropologist, Dr. Kim has dedicated himself to international development for more than two decades, helping to improve the lives of under-served populations worldwide. Dr. Kim comes to the Bank after serving as President of Dartmouth College, a pre-eminent center of higher education that consistently ranks among the top academic institutions in the United States. Dr. Kim is a co-founder of Partners In Health (PIH) and a former director of the HIV/AIDS Department at the World Health Organization (WHO).

As President of Dartmouth – an institution that comprises a liberal arts college and professional schools of medicine, engineering and business, as well as 19 graduate programs in the arts and sciences, a staff and faculty of 3,300, and a budget of \$700 million – Dr. Kim earned praise for reducing a financial deficit without cutting any academic programs. Dr. Kim also founded the Dartmouth Center for Health Care Delivery Science, a multidisciplinary institute dedicated to developing new models of health care delivery and achieving better health outcomes at lower costs.

Before assuming the Dartmouth presidency, Dr. Kim held professorships and chaired departments at Harvard Medical School, the Harvard School of Public Health and Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston. He also served as director of Harvard's François-Xavier Bagnoud Center for Health and Human Rights.

In 1987, Dr. Kim co-founded Partners In Health, a Boston-based non-profit organization now working in poor communities on 4 continents. Challenging previous conventional wisdom that drug-resistant tuberculosis and HIV/AIDS could not be treated in developing countries, PIH successfully tackled these diseases by integrating large-scale treatment programs into community-based primary care.

As Director of the World Health Organization's HIV/AIDS Department, Dr. Kim led the '3 by 5' initiative, the first-ever global goal for AIDS treatment, which sought to treat 3 million new HIV/AIDS patients in developing countries with antiretroviral drugs by 2005. Launched in September 2003, the ambitious program ultimately reached its goal by 2007.

Dr. Kim's work has earned him wide recognition. He was awarded a MacArthur "Genius" Fellowship (2003), was named one of America's "25 Best Leaders" by U.S. News & World Report (2005), and was selected as one of TIME magazine's "100 Most Influential People in the World" (2006).

Born in 1959 in Seoul, South Korea, Dr. Kim moved with his family to the United States at the age of five and grew up in Muscatine, Iowa. Dr. Kim graduated with an A.B. magna cum laude from Brown University in 1982. He earned an M.D. from Harvard Medical School in 1991 and a Ph.D. in anthropology from Harvard University in 1993.

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Lee Duk-Hoon

Chairman & President
The Export-Import Bank of Korea (Korea Eximbank)

Lee Duk-Hoon is the 18th Chairman & President of The Export-Import Bank of Korea and took office in March 2014.

Most recently, Chairman Lee has served as Visiting Professor at Sogang University's Graduate School of Economics since 2008. Prior to this, he has gained both theoretical and practical expertise in finance by holding such varied positions as President of Daehan Investment Trust, Vice Chairman of Woori Finance Holdings, CEO & Chairman of Woori Bank (formerly Hanvit Bank), and Member of the Monetary Policy Committee at Bank of Korea.

In 2001, upon his appointment as CEO & Chairman of Woori Bank, he is renowned to have taken strong initiatives to turn the bank – once chronically in deficit – back to massive surplus for three consecutive years. Also, as Advisor to the Minister of Finance and Member of the Financial Reform Committee, Chairman Lee is known to have laid a strong foundation for enhancing the global competitiveness of the Korean finance industry while putting great emphasis on active communication and trust building with the market. It is also notable that he oversaw the execution of a research project themed "Development strategy for The Export-Import Bank of Korea into the 2000s" in 1996, helping to shape Korea Eximbank's first-ever long-term development strategy as Senior Fellow at Korea Development Institute (KDI). He started his career in 1981 at KDI as Associate Fellow.

Born in 1949, Mr. Lee holds a bachelor's degree in both economics and mathematics from Sogang University and a master's degree in economics from Wayne State University, U.S.A. He completed a Ph.D. in economics at Purdue University, U.S.A in 1981.

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Bae Kook Hwan

Deputy Mayor
Incheon Metropolitan City, Republic of Korea

Bae Kook Hwan is currently Deputy Mayor, Incheon Metropolitan City. Before joining the City administration, he worked as Commissioner for the Board of Audit & Inspection, and Deputy Minister for the Ministry of Strategy and Finance, and Assistant Minister for Fiscal Strategy for the Ministry of Planning and Budget. He obtained an Honorary Ph.D in Public Administration from Jeju University, a Master's of Public Policy from the University of Wisconsin, a Master's of Public Administration from Seoul National University, and a B.A. in Business Administration from Sungkyunkwan University.

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Joachim von Amsberg

Vice President
Development Finance, World Bank Group

Joachim von Amsberg became Vice President of Development Finance (DFI) on February 1, 2013. As such, he oversees the strategic mobilization of resources, helping to align the needs of recipients, World Bank Group institutional priorities, and priorities of funding partners through a variety of funding instruments. Von Amsberg is responsible for the replenishment and stewardship of the International Development Association (IDA), the World Bank's fund for the poorest, as well as for trust fund and partnership operations, including the trusteeship of financial intermediary funds. He oversees the department responsible for monitoring IBRD's financial sustainability and ensuring the effective utilization and prudent management of financial resources. He also oversees the World Bank Group's Secretariat on Financing for Development (FFD), which is working, in partnership with the UN and other multilateral development banks, to identify ways to scale up the resources needed to finance the post-2015 Sustainable Development Goals. Von Amsberg, a German national, has held various positions in Washington and in the World Bank's country offices. From July 2010-January 2013, he served as Vice President for the World Bank's Operations Policy and Country Services vice presidential unit. In this capacity, von Amsberg led the introduction of the Bank's first new lending instrument in 30 years, as well as a major reform program focused on improving the flexibility of investment lending, strengthening the institution's support to fragile and conflict-affected states, and implementing a new policy on access to information.

Prior to that, he held the post of Country Director for Indonesia, overseeing one of the Bank's largest country programs and country offices. He supported the government of Indonesia's efforts to improve the investment climate and service delivery to the poor through stronger governance. He also led the Bank's relationships and engagement with Indonesia, its government, and other stakeholders, in close collaboration with IFC and MIGA.

As Country Director for the Philippines from 2004-2007, von Amsberg led a new World Bank strategy for enhanced support to the Philippines. This strategy supported "Islands of Good Governance," demonstrating how improved accountability and service delivery would lead to better economic and social outcomes. Under this strategy, World Bank programs were scaled up significantly, aligned more closely with the country's own priorities, and implemented, as far as possible, through the country's own systems and institutions.

Von Amsberg began his career at the Bank in 1993 as an economist and "Young Professional." He worked on environmental programs and policy studies from 1994-97 for Argentina, Chile, and Paraguay, as well as on policy studies in Egypt. Subsequently, he worked for many years on the Bank's Brazil program: as sector economist working on policy studies and projects in environmental management, rural and urban development; as country economist from 1997-2001 in the Brasilia country office, focusing primarily on poverty strategies and policies; and from 2001-2004 as lead economist in Washington, where he led the economic policy dialogue, analytical and advisory assistance and adjustment lending programs for the government of Brazil.

Von Amsberg was a member of the steering committee that oversaw the preparation of the World Bank's Governance and Anti-Corruption Strategy. He was also an integral part of several task forces to strengthen the World Bank's programs in support of middle income countries.

Von Amsberg holds a Ph.D. in Finance and Economic Policy from the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada; an M.Sc. in Electrical Engineering from the Technische Universität Berlin, Germany; and an M.B.A. in Finance from the University of British Columbia.

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Sung-Soo Eun

Executive Director
Republic of Korea, Board of World Bank Group

Executive Director from Republic of Korea representing Australia, Cambodia, Kiribati, Republic of Korea, Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Mongolia, New Zealand, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Vanuatu. Prior to that, Mr. Eun was Deputy Minister for International Affairs, Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Republic of Korea, actively involved in international and regional cooperation as a G20 and ASEAN+3 Finance Deputy Minister.

He has been with the Ministry since 1984. He was Director General and Deputy Director General of the International Finance Bureau, and Director of the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister. He also served as Assistant Secretary to the President for Economic Policy in the Blue House.

Mr. Eun previously worked at the World Bank, Washington and UNCTAD, Geneva.

He holds a doctorate degree in Economics

Plenary 1

Hyung-Gon JEONG

Vice President
Korea Institute for International Economic Policy

Hyung-Gon Jeong is currently the Vice President of the Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP). He graduated from the University of Bonn and holds a Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Cologne. He was a Fulbright Visiting scholar at Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS). He serves as a Consultant at the Fair Trade Commission, the Advisory Committee of Free Economic Zone of the Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy. He is also Member of the Standing Committee at the National Unification Advisory Council. He has participated in the Korea-China-Japan Joint Research Project as a Research Fellow from 2010 to 2011 and conducted joint research projects with IDE-JETRO (Japan) and DRC (China) from 2006 to 2010. He also served as a Consultant of Special Economic Zone for the governments of Vietnam, Uzbekistan, and Kazakhstan as part of the Korean knowledge-sharing projects. Before joining KIEP, Dr. Jeong was Director General of the Office of Strategic Planning at the National Security Council (NSC), the Blue House from June 2003 to December 2005. Dr. Jeong has published many refereed journal articles, books and working papers on international economics including trade and investment, transition economy and North Korean economy etc. He can be reached at hgjeong@kiep.go.kr.

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Meeja Hamm

Honorary Distinguished Professor
Graduate School of Pan-Pacific International Studies, Kyung Hee University

Ms. Meeja Hamm is currently a professor at the Graduate School of Pan-Pacific International Studies of Kyung Hee University. Before joining the faculty at Kyung Hee University, she worked for the Asian Development Bank as Principal Project Management Specialist and served as the Representative of the Special Office of ADB in Timor-Leste. She obtained a B.A from Sogang University and MBA from Asian Institute of Management.

Plenary 1

Kyung-wook Hur

Professor, Public Finance / International Economy
KDI School of Public Policy and Management

Mr. Kyung-Wook Hur is a visiting professor at both KDI School of Public Policy and Management, and Graduate School of International Studies of Seoul National University. From Nov. 2014 He also serves as an advisor to the AMRO. He served as Ambassador of the Permanent Delegation of Korea to the OECD from May 2010 to May 2013. During the three years, he served as the Chairman of the OECD Pension Budget and Reserve Fund Management Board (PBRF), co-chair for Working Group on OECD's Development Strategy, and Chairman of Informal Reflection Group on China. Prior to his appointment, he served as Vice Minister of Strategy and Finance from January 2009 to May 2010 and as Secretary to the President for National Agenda from March 2008 to January 2009. Mr. Hur joined the government in 1979. His key areas of involvement were macroeconomic policies and international financial policies and he also has expertise in economic policy coordination and budget planning as well. Outside of the Ministry, He worked for various international financial organizations, notably the World Bank (as a Young Professional), IFC and IMF. Mr. Hur was born on August 14, 1955. He earned his bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Seoul National University, and a MBA from Stanford University. He is also a CFA (Chartered Financial Analyst). He is married with two daughters.

Plenary 2

Bert Hofman

Country Director
China/Mongolia/Korea, World Bank Group

Mr. Bert Hofman, a Dutch National, is the World Bank's Country Director for China, Korea and Mongolia in the East Asia and Pacific Region, based in Beijing.

Prior to his present assignment, Mr. Hofman was the World Bank's Chief Economist for the East Asia and Pacific Region and Director, Singapore Office. As regional chief economist he led a team to analyze key trends and policy issues across East Asia and the Pacific and as Director Singapore he helped build a partnership that focuses on expanding investment in infrastructure in emerging economies.

Before moving to Singapore in 2011, Mr. Hofman was the Country Director for the Philippines, responsible for a growing portfolio of projects and advisory services to the Philippines government.

Mr. Hofman has accumulated more than 22 years of experience in the World Bank, 16 of which in the East Asia region. Among others, Mr. Hofman was Lead Economist for China and for Indonesia and country economist for Mongolia and Namibia. He had also worked on Brazil, South Africa, Mongolia, Zambia, and Namibia in his earlier years with the Bank.

Prior to joining the World Bank, Mr. Hofman worked at the Kiel Institute of World Economics in Germany, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) in Paris, and NMB Bank in the Netherlands (now ING).

Mr. Hofman holds a degree in economics of Erasmus University Rotterdam and studied at the Christian Albrechts University, Kiel.

Plenary 2

Yoon-Kyung Kim

Deputy Director General
Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Republic of Korea

Mr. Yoon Kyung Kim has been the deputy director general of the International Finance Bureau at the Ministry of Strategy and Finance since his appointment in February 2015. In this capacity, Mr. Kim oversees Korea's bilateral and multilateral cooperation, mainly through ASEAN+3 and international financial institutions.

With more than two decades of experience at the Korean government, Mr. Kim is an expert in international finance and foreign exchange policy. He was the spokesperson for Korea's Presidential Committee for the G20 Summit in 2010. As the director of the International financial Policy Division, Mr. Kim was responsible for the issuance of \$3 billion won-denominated bonds in 2009. Considered one of his key accomplishments, the issuance helped Korea overcome the global financial crisis and contributed to the sovereign rating upgrade.

Mr. Kim also has extensive experience with international organizations. Prior to his current position, Mr. Kim worked as a Senior Economist at the IMF's Fiscal Affairs Department. He also served as an advisor to the executive director of Korea's constituency at the World Bank from 2003 to 2006.

Mr. Kim was born in Daejeon, Korea. He received his bachelor's degree in economics from Seoul National University in 1988 and master's degree in development economics at Manchester University in 1997.

Plenary 2

Vivek Pathak

Director
East Asia and Pacific Department, International Finance Corporation

Vivek Pathak has extensive emerging markets experience in principal investments, restructuring and risk management across all industry sectors. Over the past 16 years at IFC, he has covered Asia Pacific, Middle East, North Africa and Central Asia in various leadership capacities.

In his current role, Vivek leads IFC's advisory and investment operations across Asia Pacific, which in fiscal year 2014 reached a record \$6.1 billion investment volume.

Before taking up his current role, Vivek served as IFC Director for Investment and Credit Risk based in Washington, DC and managing a team of seasoned professionals responsible for global coverage of credit risk, investment risk, integrity risk, pricing and credit/equity training.

Previously, Vivek oversaw IFC's portfolio in the Middle East and North Africa, and led IFC's business development efforts in frontier markets like Afghanistan, Iraq and Iran.

Prior to joining IFC, Vivek worked with Bank of America and ABN AMRO Bank N.V. in new business and risk management. In his capacity as a Head of Risk Management, ABN AMRO Bank, Thailand, he was responsible for managing a large and diverse portfolio during the Asian Financial Crisis.

Vivek holds a Master's Degree in Management from the University of Mumbai, India.

Plenary 2

Betty Bigombe

Senior Director
Fragility, Conflict and Violence, World Bank Group

Betty Bigombe, a Ugandan national, has played a key role in conflict resolution in Africa. She led the peace and humanitarian efforts in northern Uganda, first in the 1990s as Minister of State for Northern Uganda and again as chief mediator to the conflict in the mid-2000s.

In 2014, she received the Ordre National de la Legion d'honneur, one of a number of awards honoring her long-standing commitment to peace and humanitarian affairs throughout her career. Prior to her appointment to the World Bank Group, Ms. Bigombe served as State Minister for Water Resources in the Ugandan Cabinet and Member of Parliament.

She has been a visiting scholar at John Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies, the Woodrow Wilson Center and a Fellow at the United States Institute of Peace, consulting on the impact of war and violence. She has served as a Commissioner for the Women's Refugee Commission and led election observer missions in Zimbabwe and Rwanda.

Her career has included a development focus in previous positions at the African Development Bank and at the World Bank where she was a Senior Social Scientist focusing on gender and conflict, disarmament and child soldiers. Ms. Bigombe holds a Masters in Public Administration from Harvard University and a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology and Rural Economy from Makerere University in Uganda.

Plenary 2

Luisito Montalbo

Undersecretary, Executive Director
Office of the Presidential Adviser on the Peace Process, Office of the President of the Philippines

The Honorable Luisito G. Montalbo took office as Undersecretary for Operations and Executive Director in the Office of the Presidential Adviser on the Peace Process (OPAPP) of the Philippines in August of year 2010. As Undersecretary for Operations and Executive Director, Mr. Montalbo plays an integral role in overseeing the implementation of mechanisms and programs of the agency across all peace negotiation tables. In concurrent capacity as Executive Director, Mr. Montalbo also supervises the implementation of the Sajahatra Bangsamoro Program, the socio-economic peace initiative between the Philippine government and the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF), which intends to boost the state of health, education and livelihood of MILF communities.

As a member of the Technical Working Group on Normalization, Undersecretary Montalbo was part of the GPH team that crafted the Annex on Normalization of the Framework Agreement on the Bangsamoro (FAB). In addition to this, he was also at the forefront in the establishment of the PAMANA (PAyapa at MASaganang PamayaNAn or Peaceful and Resilient Communities) program, the Philippine government's peace and development framework for empowering conflict-affected areas in the country.

Prior to his engagement at OPAPP, USec Montalbo served as MBA Coordinator in the Ateneo School of Medicine and Public Health in the Philippines. He continues to serve as a faculty member of both the Ateneo School of Medicine and Public Health and Ateneo Graduate School of Business. He earned a Master's degree in Business Administration (MBA) from the Ateneo Business School in August of 2004.

Plenary 2

Taejong Kim

Professor
KDI School of Public Policy and Management

Dr. Taejong Kim is currently a professor at the KDI School of Public Policy and Management. Before joining the faculty at the KDI School, he taught at York University, Canada, and at GRIPS, Japan. His research and teaching interests include public finance, labor economics, econometrics, microeconomics, and applied microeconomics. He obtained a B.A. and M.A. in economics from Seoul National University and a Ph.D. in economics from MIT.

Plenary 2

Anita Bhatia

Director
Development Partner Relations, World Bank Group

Ms. Anita Bhatia is the World Bank Group Director for Development Partner Relations. In this position, Ms. Bhatia's top three priorities are to: (i) establish a new WBG-wide Development Partner Relations function that will support strategic engagement and relationships with our funding partners, in collaboration with IFC, Global Practices, Regional departments and ECR; (ii) provide leadership in Development Finance's (DFI) change process as it moves to a focus on Development Finance Solutions so as to match WBG finance instruments with client needs; (iii) provide managerial guidance and leadership to staff, ensuring collaboration across DFI and the World Bank Group.

This new position builds on Ms. Bhatia's previous role as IFC's Director for Partnerships and Advisory Services Operations where, since 2011, she was responsible for IFC's global development partner relations, as well as building the operational infrastructure and strengthening staff capacity for IFC Advisory Services.

Prior to that, Ms. Bhatia was IFC's first Global Head of Knowledge, where she oversaw the knowledge management efforts in the Corporation. In 2006, she was appointed the IFC Advisory Services representative on the Global-Local "Vision 2010" Task Force. Ms. Bhatia came to headquarters to set up IFC's first change management office, the Global Local office, and played a key role in supporting implementation of IFC's decentralization and Vision 2010. Subsequently she led IFC Business Process Improvement efforts.

Ms. Bhatia joined IFC in June 2003 as Senior Private Sector Development Specialist in the Small and Medium Enterprise Department based in Bolivia. In November 2003, she was appointed General Manager of the Latin America Technical Assistance Facility based in Peru, where she oversaw the creation of IFC Advisory Services in Latin America and grew a very successful program, expanding its footprint into new markets in the region.

Prior to joining IFC, Ms. Bhatia held a number of positions within and outside the World Bank Group, in consulting and in development. Ms. Bhatia, an Indian national, holds a BA in History from Calcutta University, an MA in Political Science from Yale University, and a Juris Doctor from Georgetown Law School.

Plenary 2

Timothy James Histed

Head of North Asia
Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency

Timothy Histed is Head of North Asia at the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA), part of the World Bank Group which he joined in 2013, with responsibility for business development and client coverage and is based in Hong Kong.

Prior to joining MIGA, Tim was a Director in Institutional & Corporate Solutions at Standard Bank in London for 3 years, where he structured and implemented the bank's political risk and credit insurance purchasing programme. He was a Director in Structured Credit/ART at Dresdner Kleinwort in London for 11 years, concentrating on alternative risk transfer structures in relation to infrastructure projects and utility companies as well as asset backed transactions involving public finance, corporate credit, equity and insurance assets.

Tim qualified as an attorney in 1998 at King & Associates in Durban, South Africa. He is admitted as a solicitor (non-practising) in England & Wales and is a Member of the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment. He holds a BSc (Hons) in molecular biology and an LLB from the University of Natal, Pietermaritzburg and an LLM from the University of South Africa.

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Information & Communications Technology -Closing the Gaps

Wonki Min

Assistant Minister

Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP)

Mr. Wonki MIN is currently the Chairman Nominee of the ITU Plenipotentiary Conference 2014 and a Director-General at the Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP) of the Republic of Korea. Mr. Wonki MIN has more than 25 years, career as a government official responsible for Korea's ICT policy-making and policy implementation at the Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning, the Korea Communications Commission (KCC), and the Ministry of Information and Communication. He was Director General of the Central Radio Management Office (2007-2008), Director of the Policy Coordination Division (2005 -2006), Director of the International Policy Division (2003- 2004), Director of the Software Industry Division (2003), Director of the Telecommunications Competition Policy Division (2002), and Chief Secretary to the Minister (2001- 2002). He also has extensive experience in international activities, including his work as Senior ICT Policy Specialist for the World Bank(2010-2012), Senior ICT Expert for the UNESCAP-APCICT(2006-2007), Chair of the OECD TISP working party (2003- 2004), Vice Chair of the OECD TISP working party (2002-2003), and Project Manager for the OECD(1998-2000). Mr. Min earned his MBA at the University of Washington (U.S.A), MA in Public Administration from Seoul National University and BA in History from Yonsei University of the Republic of Korea.

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Deepak Bhatia

Lead e-Government Specialist

Transport & ICT, World Bank Group

Mr. Deepak Bhatia is the Global Lead for E-government in the Transport and ICT Global Practice.

Deepak played a key role in the preparation of the Bank project in support of India's 9 Billion \$ National E-governance plan. Deepak has provided strategic support to several countries in their e-government and IT implementations including Albania, Caribbean, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Kosovo, Mexico, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Philippines, Kenya, Serbia, Saudi Arabia etc. Deepak has also provided consulting advice to sister organisations such as the Islamic Development Bank, African Development Bank, EBRD, and Asian Development Bank. Most recently Deepak has helped with the creation of a global high level expert group comprising of CIOs from UK, USA, Canada, Estonia, Korea, Singapore, Australia to provide strategic advice in the area of e-government and information society for the Bank's clients.

His experience in the World Bank includes: Manager for the E-government Practice Division, manager for the Operations and Resource Management systems for systems renewal; manager for the Information and Document Management team in Information Solutions Group; and project manager for the sector-theme reclassification project reporting directly to the Managing Director.

Deepak has two Masters degrees in Computer Applications (M. Eng) and Business Administration (M.B.A). Deepak is happily married and has three grown children .

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Information & Communications Technology -Closing the Gaps

Harry Anthony Patrinos

Practice Manager

Education, World Bank Group

Harry Anthony Patrinos specializes in the economics of education, particularly the returns to schooling, school-based management, demand-side financing and public-private partnerships. He has managed education lending operations and analytical work programs in Argentina, Colombia and Mexico. He has worked extensively on the socioeconomic status of Indigenous Peoples, and has co-authored two books on this issue, *Indigenous Peoples, Poverty and Human Development in Latin America* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2006) and *Indigenous Peoples, Poverty, and Development* (Cambridge, 2014). He has many publications in the academic and policy literature, with more than 50 journal articles. He is co-author of the books: *Making Schools Work: New Evidence on Accountability Reforms* (World Bank, 2011); *The Role and Impact of Public-Private Partnerships in Education* (World Bank, 2009); and *Decentralized Decision-Making in Schools: The Theory and Evidence on School-Based Management* (World Bank, 2009). He has also worked in Africa, Asia, Europe, the Middle East and North America. He previously worked as an economist at the Economic Council of Canada. In his new role as Education Global Practice Manager for the East Asia and Pacific countries, he leads a team of staff based in Washington D.C. and in 10 Asian countries to provide strategic vision and direction, encourage and support innovation in both knowledge work and lending and manages staff to deliver results on the ground. Harry Patrinos received his doctorate from the University of Sussex.

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Jeongwon Yoon

Executive Director of IT Cooperation

National Information Society Agency, Korea

Jeongwon Yoon has been working for more than 20 years as Executive Director of the National Information Society Agency, Korea, previously known as National Computerization Agency. He is responsible for ITPAP (Information Technology and Policy Assistance Program), assisting more than 50 countries in the area of e-Government, Public-Private Sector Promotion and Various ICT pilot projects for Mobile, Smart and Green Initiatives. He expanded the program by making partnerships with various international organizations such as the UN and World Bank. He successfully launched ICT cooperation centers in Mexico, Chile, Bulgaria, South Africa, Vietnam and Turkey, jointly with each of the countries' governments. Prior to this, he was responsible for reviewing the Korean National Finance System, planning the National Backup Center and Digital Certification Authority, and developing IT Risk Analysis methodology and Interoperability Standards Guidelines. He also served as the Telecommunication Sector Coordinator (1999-2000) of the International Y2K Cooperation Center, Auspice of UN. He was responsible for analyzing the Y2K status of the 200 member countries of the UN. As a guest researcher (2001) in National Institute of Standards and Technology in United States, he conducted cross certification testing of Public Key Infrastructures between Korea and U.S. He has BS and MS degrees in Computer Engineering from California State University, Sacramento in United States. He has a Ph.D. in Information Management from Seoul University of Information and Venture in Korea.

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Information & Communications Technology -Closing the Gaps

Chun-man Cho

Research Fellow

Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements (KRIHS)

Dr. Chun-Man Cho, Ph.D. is the chief of Global Network Team at GDPC-KRIHS since January 1st, 2014. An urban planner with the emphasis areas of GIS and Smart City, Dr. Cho Kim has dedicated himself to Global Market Strategies of Geospatial Information and Smart Urban Planning and Development Industries, helping GIS and Smart City-related industries get better access to information, knowledge and experiences to broaden the gates to the global market. As ways of doing so at GDPC-KRIHS, he has been managing global cooperation events and seminars with major global development banks (i.e., WB, IDB, ADB and etc.) and institutions. Also, he has been planning and hosting Capacity Building Programs for high-level public officials from major developing countries in the areas of SGUI(Smart & Green Urban Infrastructure) and urban development issues so that private and public sectors can have better communications to each other for information sharings and searching for new global consulting and development projects.

Born in 1968 in Paju-City, South Korea, Dr. Cho moved with his family to the United States for the Ph.D. Program at the TAMU(Texas A&M University) in College Station, then joined the KRIHS from 2014. During the stay in the States, he experienced his careers at the Geospatial Studio at the College of Architecture at TAMU and TTI(Texas Transportation Institute) as Urban Planning/GIS Consultant & Researcher.

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Information & Communications Technology -Closing the Gaps

Wansuck Yi

Senior Researcher

Korea Internet and Security Agency (KISA)

Wan S. Yi is the senior researcher, Future Strategy TF, Korea Internet & Security Agency (KISA). He is responsible for strengthening and exploring new international relationship with ICT and broadcasting partners in overseas and participating in international organizations.

Mr. Yi was born in Dec. 10th 1967 in TaeGu, Republic of Korea. He received BS degree in Computer Science from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, US in 1991. He also received MS degree in information security from Dongguk University, Korea in 2001. And he received Ph.D. in computer engineering from SungKyunkwan University in 2011. Since 2013, he is a adjunct professor at SungKyunkwan University.

He served in a variety of important career building assignments preparatory to his most recent duties. He joined KISA in 1996 when it was established. His major positions include Director of IT Security Planning Team and IT Security Evaluation Team in KISA. In the IT Security Planning Team, he was responsible of maintaining Korea IT Security Evaluation Program where he adopted Common Criteria as the Korean evaluation criteria and developed various protection profiles for government use. Also he participated in the government TF to join CCRA(Common Criteria Recognition Arrangement). While in the IT Security Evaluation Team, he was a quality manager for more than 20 products evaluation. In 2007, he was responsible for protection of critical information infrastructures in private sector. In 2012, he became the VP of Internet Incident Prevention Division. In late 2012, he became the VP of International Cooperation Group where he organized Korea representative groups to variety of international organizations and participated in development banks projects. Currently, he is in a sabbatical year and working as a consultant for Future Strategic Task Force Team. Before joining KISA, he worked for Hyundai Information Technology, LTD. as a programmer.

Currently he holds various title including member of ISC2 APAC(Asia-Pacific Advisory Council) and Director of International Marketing Center of Korea e-Government Export Promotion Associations. He was a vice-chairman of Korea Institute of information security & cryptology in 2013 and 2014. Also, He was a chair-person of TTA TC 1 and ISO/IEC JTC 1-Korea/WG 3 for 3 years. He received CISSP in March 2002 and was the Director of International Affairs of the CISSP Korea Chapter (part of the ISC2 Affiliated Local Interest Group (ALIG) Program) during 2005 ~ 2007. He is working as a supervisor for CISSP exam to oversee English spoken CISSPs since 2004.

During his military service, he was an Interpreter and Aide de Camp for Deputy Commander in Chief, ROK/US Combined Forces Command. He retired from service in 1994 as a Korean Air Force lieutenant.

His award includes two ROK/US CFC DCINC Awards(1993, 1994), US Army Achievement medal(1993), US Army commendation Medal(1993), two KISA President Awards(1997, 2009), National Intelligence Service(NIS) Award(2000), ISC2 ISLA(2008), ISC2 Presidential Award(2008), Minister of Public Affairs and Security(MoPAS) Award(2009), and Republic of Korea President Award(2012).

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Information & Communications Technology -Closing the Gaps

Hayun Kang

Executive Director, International Cooperation Research
Korea Information Society Development Institute (KISDI)

Dr. Hayun Kang, a long-time expert in matters of trade policy and law, is in charge of the division of international cooperation research at KISDI. She has advised the Korean government on ICT trade-related issues, and participated in Korea's free trade agreement negotiations as an expert on telecommunications services since 2005. In recent times, she has been actively participating in the international debate concerning the internet economy and policy issues concerning national development through ICT. She holds a Ph.D. in political science from Northwestern University.

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Information & Communications Technology -Closing the Gaps

Hyoung Gun Wang

Senior Economist
Urban, Rural & Social Development, World Bank Group

Hyoung Gun Wang is a Senior Economist of the South Asia Urban Unit at the World Bank. He is currently the task team leader of various knowledge products of smart cities, city e-government, urbanization review, affordable housing, and urban development. His work programs and research interests are Urbanization and urban development, Smart cities and e-government, Local/regional economic development, Housing, GIS and spatial analysis, and Economic impacts of infrastructure investment. His work programs have spanned a range of developing countries including Afghanistan, Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, China, Colombia, DR Congo, Egypt, Georgia, Ghana, India, Kenya, Nigeria, South Korea, Liberia, Malawi, Mexico, Mongolia, The Philippines, Russia, Rep. of Congo, Senegal, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Vietnam, and Yemen. He worked as an Economist at the Bank of Korea (the Central Bank of Korea). He holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Brown University.

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Urban & Climate change

Jin-Cheol Jo

Vice Director

Global Development Partnership, Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements

Jincheol Jo, Ph.D., became the 1st Vice Director of Global Development Partnership Center (GDPC) at Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements (KRIHS) on January 1, 2011.

An urban and regional planner, Dr. Jo has dedicated himself to international development for more than a decade, helping to improve the lives of people in developing countries. Dr. Jo comes to his current position after serving as a head of International Cooperation Team at KRIHS from 2009 to 2010. Before that, he focused on the research of Northeast Asia as a research fellow of KRIHS from 2003 to 2008. Before his entering into KRIHS, he worked as a deputy director of the Korean Ministry of Planning and Budget. As head of International Cooperation Team at KRIHS, his role for creating and establishing GDPC was important to make corner-stone of international development not only for KRIHS but also for Korean development partnership in urban and regional field. During his positions in development partnership, he contributed to make an institutional MoU between World Bank and KRIHS in 2010, world core partner of World Bank in urbanization practice, and KRIHS-WB Urbanization Knowledge Platform Academy in 2012.

Dr. Jo has serviced for government as various works such as an evaluation committee member of government enterprise from 2005 to 2007, a member of unification committee from 2006 to 2008. He was also awarded a Minister Prize from the Minister of Strategy and Finance because of successful creation of Song-do GCF(Green Climate Fund) Secretariat (2014),

Born in 1964 in Seoul, South Korea, Dr. Jo graduated with a BA from Korea University in 1991. He earned an Master of city and regional planning from the Ohio State University in 1995 and a Ph.D. in urban studies from Portland State University in 2000.

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Neeraj Prasad

Manager

Knowledge & Partnerships, Climate Change, World Bank Group

Neeraj Prasad is Manager for Knowledge and Partnerships in the World Bank's Climate Change Vice-Presidency. He began his career as a development administrator in India, and after selection to the Indian Administrative Service, he managed a range of responsibilities from grass-roots development schemes to coordination of the Indian IBRD and IDA portfolio the Federal Ministry of Finance, He later joined the World Bank and has worked on a series of global environmental agendas, including the Ozone Layer (Montreal Protocol), the development of carbon markets and then on Climate Change In his current assignment, he supports the climate knowledge, learning and capacity-development programs of the Bank, and manages the Forest Carbon Funds.

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Paul Procee

Program Leader and Lead Urban Specialist
Beijing Office, World Bank Group

Paul started at the World Bank in 1999 and has since been working in many different countries and regions. Most recently, as Program Leader in the Beijing Office, coordinating the portfolio of Water, Transport & ICT, and Social, Urban and Rural Resilience Global Practices in China and Mongolia. Over the years, Paul managed many projects covering various subsectors, including: basic infrastructure delivery, urban land use and transport planning, disaster risk management, climate change mitigation and adaptation, and environment safeguards and pollution control. Paul was also one of the lead authors of the joined World Bank and China Development Reform Commission (DRC) Urban China Report: Towards Efficient, Inclusive and Sustainable Urbanization, responsible for the pillar on urban planning and spatial development, focusing on developing compact and livable cities.

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Anne Marie Sloth Carlsen

Director
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Seoul Policy Centre

Anne Marie Sloth Carlsen took up her post as Director of the UNDP Seoul Policy Centre in January 2014. For the previous five years she served as Senior Policy Advisor in UNDP's Bureau for Development Policy in the Environment and Energy Group in New York, initially (2008-2012) on loan from the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs/DANIDA. Anne Marie's work centred on UNDP and UN inter-agency policy and coherence issues relating to environmental and social sustainability, inclusive green economies, sustainable consumption and production, mainstreaming of climate change and environmental sustainability in the UN Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF) as well as global sustainable development governance and Rio+20, including follow-up in the Sustainable Development Goals and Post-2015 contexts.

Prior to joining UNDP, Anne Marie served as a diplomat of her native country, Denmark, for more than 20 years, holding different positions dealing with a number of substantive issues: Deputy Head of the Department of Environment (2001-2008); Minister Counsellor and Deputy Permanent Representative of Denmark to the UN in Geneva (1997-2001); Head of the World Bank Section (1996-1997); Deputy Head of the Secretariat of the Minister for Nordic Affairs (1993-1996); First Secretary of the Embassy of Denmark in Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania (1990-1993); Desk Officer, Organization and Budgeting (1988-1990); and Desk Officer, East Africa (1986-1988).

Anne Marie holds a Candidata Administrationis Politicae (Political Science and Public Administration) degree from the University of Copenhagen and has also studied at the Institut d'Etudes Politiques in Paris, France, and at Washington State University in Pullman, USA.

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Songsu Choi

Professor

KDI School of Public Policy and Management

Mr. Songsu Choi is an urban economist with over 40 years of experience in urban development, housing, and environment policy and projects. He spent the major part of his career at the World Bank, leading urban and environment operations and policy advice mainly for China, India and Bangladesh. Since returning home in 2012 he has been teaching at KDI School of Public Policy, advising Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements, and serving as a member of the Prime Minister's Committee on International Development Cooperation. He started his career in early 1970s with the Korean government, participating in planning of new industrial and urban areas, and later also worked at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Louis Berger International.

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Leadership, Learning & Innovation-Accelerators of Development

Abha Joshi-Ghani

Director

Knowledge Exchange & Learning, Leadership, Learning & Innovation (LLI), World Bank Group

Ms. Joshi-Ghani is the Director for Knowledge Exchange and Learning (LLIKL) at the Leadership, Learning and Innovation Vice Presidency of the World Bank. She leads staff and client learning and the South - South Knowledge Exchange initiative for the World Bank. Before joining LLI she was the Manager for the Bank's Urban Development Anchor where she oversaw the Bank's work on Urban Policy and Strategy and knowledge and learning. She was also the Head of the Global Urbanization Knowledge Platform, a multi-partner initiative of the World Bank. She was the Chair of the World Economic Forum Global Agenda Council on Urbanization in 2013. She has worked primarily on infrastructure finance and urban development at the World Bank. Her regional experience includes South and East Asia, Africa and the Middle East.

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Taejong Kim

Professor

KDI School of Public Policy and Management

Dr. Taejong Kim is currently a professor at the KDI School of Public Policy and Management. Before joining the faculty at the KDI School, he taught at York University, Canada, and at GRIPS, Japan. His research and teaching interests include public finance, labor economics, econometrics, microeconomics, and applied microeconomics. He obtained a B.A. and M.A. in economics from Seoul National University and a Ph.D. in economics from MIT.

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Leadership, Learning & Innovation-Accelerators of Development

Steffen Janus

Senior Operations Officer

Learning for Development, LLI, World Bank Group

Steffen leads the Knowledge Hubs Work Program in the World Bank's Vice-Presidency for Leadership, Learning and Innovation (LLI). In this role he has spearheaded the development of the World Bank's framework for Organizational Knowledge Sharing. He is the author of a range of learning offerings, tools and guides that support the program, including "The Art of Knowledge Capturing and Packaging". Prior to his current position he led the World Bank Institute's team responsible for e-learning, learning design, and pedagogy. Steffen is member of the Board of the Global Development Learning Network (GDLN). Besides Knowledge and learning, Steffen's interest and experience is in livelihoods development, youth employment and community driven development. He has over 13 years of experience in the private sector, running design and media consulting companies. In the public sector, he has managed teams and projects in adult education and knowledge management. Prior to joining the World Bank, he was the founder and CEO of a digital media consulting agency in Germany. Steffen holds an MBA from Columbia University in New York City.

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Hyungkyoo Kim

Director

Korea International Cooperation Agency

Mr. Hyungkyoo Kim is currently the Director for Planning and Coordination Team at the Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA). In this capacity, Mr. Kim deals with strategic planning, coordination of strategic agendas, global networking, and government-related affairs.

With more than twenty years of experience in KOICA, Mr. Kim has experience in diverse work across different teams. Previous to his current position, he has worked for teams such as Capacity Development Coordination Team, Policy Planning Team, Development Planning and Institution Building Team, Volunteer Program Planning Team, Training division, Budget Division, etc.

He served as a member of the Permanent Delegation of Korea to the OECD (2010-2012) and Resident Representative of KOICA to the Kingdom of Nepal (2002-2004). He was also dispatched as a coordination officer to the Development Cooperation Division at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2006-2007). He received Master of Science at the Bradford Centre for International Development, University of Bradford in United Kingdom. His thesis was on the sustainability-oriented aid project appraisal and planning.

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Yoon Young Park

Deputy Director

Statistics Korea (KOSTAT)

Mr. Yoon Young Park has been the deputy director of the International Cooperation Division at the Statistics Korea since Jan 2014. In this capacity, Mr. Park is in charge of data provision to Korea's multilateral cooperation, mainly with OECD, IMF, UN and other international institutions.

With more than almost two decades of experience in Statistics Korea, Mr. Park has worked for several national statistics production, dissemination, and research fields. Previous to his current position, he has worked for economic statistics bureau, social statistics bureau, regional office, and statistical research institute as a statistician.

He received his bachelor's degree in sociology from Sung Kyun Kwan University in 1997, master's degree in international information management at University of Malaya in 2004 and other master's degree in Accounting at University of Adelaide, Australia in 2010.

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Leadership, Learning & Innovation-Accelerators of Development

Haiyoung Yun

Assistant Dean

KDI School of Public Policy and Management

Prof. Hai-young Yun currently serves as the Assistant Dean of the Capacity Building Center of the KDI School of Public Policy and Management in Seoul, Korea. The Capacity Building Center is responsible for designing and implementing non-degree short-term training programs in the field of development for government officials from all over the world. The Center aims to optimize its knowledge-sharing practices by disseminating Korea's globally recognized success in economic development. It also hosts the GDLN Global Secretariat. As one of the founding members of the KDI School, Prof. Yun has over 15 years of experience in international marketing and development training. She worked extensively with numerous government institutions, including the Blue House, Korea Development Institute and the Mayor's Office of Seoul. She oversaw marketing campaigns for Korea's hosting of the World Cup and the development of the Digital Media City in Seoul. Prof. Yun holds a graduate degree in public policy and public administration from the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) and her Bachelor's Degree from Wellesley College.

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Sheila Jagannathan

Lead Learning Specialist

Learning for Development, LLI, World Bank Group

Sheila Jagannathan is Lead Learning Specialist and Program Manager of the Open Learning Campus, at the World Bank Group in Washington DC and serves as the organization's focal point on elearning and issues at the intersection of technology use and education in emerging countries. She is an innovative and strategic educational leader with over 28 years' experience in designing and managing distance learning programs/knowledge products and transforming the use of online and classroom pedagogies and technology. Sheila also provides advice and support to World Bank country-level capacity building programs in, East Asia, China, the Middle East and North Africa, and more recently in Africa and South Asia.

Prior to joining the World Bank in 2002,, she worked in the private sector in the United States, providing advisory services on distance learning and knowledge management for key clients such as the Department of Defense, Boeing, and CitiBank. In India, she led the work on e-learning targeted toward public sector organizations at Computer Maintenance Corporation, which was later merged with the TATA group.

She has a Masters degree, and Certificates of Advanced Graduate study in Educational Media and Technology from Boston University. She has also completed all the requirements except for the dissertation toward a PhD on applying Artificial Intelligence techniques to design Intelligent Tutoring Systems. She is passionate about e-learning and its opportunities for development. Her current interests range from designing 21st century instructional environments based on her deep knowledge of instructional design theories, and multimodal and social learning tools including MOOCs, serious games, open source applications collaborative platforms, and future e-learning trends. She is a frequent keynote speaker internationally on use of digital learning for capacity building around the world, and serves on the advisory panels of major e-learning conferences and journals.

Her recent publications include:

MOOCs and Open Education around the World, edited by Curtis J. Bonk, Mimi Miyoung Lee, Thomas C. Reeves, and Thomas H. Reynolds, Routledge Publishing (forthcoming 2015)

Blended E-learning in the Context of International Development: Global Perspectives, Local Design of e-Courses

Moodle: A Low-Cost Solution for Successful e-Learning, e-Learning Guild

M-Powering the Poor through Mobile Learning: Pedagogical Perspectives, forthcoming publication in Handbook of Mobile Learning

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Adarsh Desai

Program Manager

Innovation, LLI, World Bank Group

Over 13 plus years, Adarsh has been passionate about leveraging technology and data driven innovations for international development. He has managed programs on Big Data and Analytics, ICT-enabled citizen engagement, Open Innovation, Geospatial data, E-learning, and other technology enabled platforms, having a global reach and impact. Adarsh currently leads the World Bank Innovations Labs, overseeing a variety of programs ranging from Big Data Analytics, Business Model Innovations for service delivery to poor, Open Aid Partnership, and Human centered design. Adarsh also leads the emergent innovations program, with a present focus on Big Data Analytics for development. The emergent innovations program other interests are in Additive Manufacturing (3D printing) and civilian Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (drones) and its applications and impact on development. In his prior work at the World Bank, Adarsh has also worked on the Global Development Learning Network (GDLN) and ICT for Education programs in Africa. He coordinated the Global Survey on Education Readiness, in collaboration with the Berkman Center for Internet and Society at Harvard. Adarsh has a Masters Degree in Software Engineering and Information Systems Management from the George Washington University and a Bachelors Degree in Electrical Engineering from M.S. University of Baroda, India.

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Kyu Sup Hahn

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Big Data Institute, Seoul National University

Over 13 plus years, Adarsh has been passionate about leveraging technology and data driven innovations for international development. He has managed programs on Big Data and Analytics, ICT-enabled citizen engagement, Open Innovation, Geospatial data, E-learning, and other technology enabled platforms, having a global reach and impact. Adarsh currently leads the World Bank Innovations Labs, overseeing a variety of programs ranging from Big Data Analytics, Business Model Innovations for service delivery to poor, Open Aid Partnership, and Human centered design. Adarsh also leads the emergent innovations program, with a present focus on Big Data Analytics for development. The emergent innovations program other interests are in Additive Manufacturing (3D printing) and civilian Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (drones) and its applications and impact on development. In his prior work at the World Bank, Adarsh has also worked on the Global Development Learning Network (GDLN) and ICT for Education programs in Africa. He coordinated the Global Survey on Education Readiness, in collaboration with the Berkman Center for Internet and Society at Harvard. Adarsh has a Masters Degree in Software Engineering and Information Systems Management from the George Washington University and a Bachelors Degree in Electrical Engineering from M.S. University of Baroda, India.

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Jeongwon Yoon

Executive Director

National Information Society Agency

Jeongwon Yoon has been working for more than 20 years as Executive Director of the National Information Society Agency, Korea, previously known as National Computerization Agency. He is responsible for ITPAP (Information Technology and Policy Assistance Program), assisting more than 50 countries in the area of e-Government, Public-Private Sector Promotion and Various ICT pilot projects for Mobile, Smart and Green Initiatives. He expanded the program by making partnerships with various international organizations such as the UN and World Bank. He successfully launched ICT cooperation centers in Mexico, Chile, Bulgaria, South Africa, Vietnam and Turkey, jointly with each of the countries' governments. Prior to this, he was responsible for reviewing the Korean National Finance System, planning the National Backup Center and Digital Certification Authority, and developing IT Risk Analysis methodology and Interoperability Standards Guidelines. He also served as the Telecommunication Sector Coordinator (1999-2000) of the International Y2K Cooperation Center, Auspice of UN. He was responsible for analyzing the Y2K status of the 200 member countries of the UN. As a guest researcher (2001) in National Institute of Standards and Technology in United States, he conducted cross certification testing of Public Key Infrastructures between Korea and U.S. He has BS and MS degrees in Computer Engineering from California State University, Sacramento in United States. He has a Ph.D. in Information Management from Seoul University of Information and Venture in Korea.

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Leadership, Learning & Innovation-Accelerators of Development

Joyce Msuya

Special Representative

Korea Office, World Bank Group

Joyce Msuya has been with the World Bank Group for 17 years. Her experience within the Bank Group spans over public and private sector assignments in strategy (corporate, regional, country, sectoral), lending/investment operations, analytical work, and partnerships in Africa, Latin America and Asia regions.

At the World Bank Group, Joyce started her career in Health sector lending operations, then moved on to Development Economics Vice Presidency, worked on Private Sector Development (at the International Finance Corporation) and the World Bank Institute (WBI) covering East Asia and the Pacific, whilst based in the World Bank office in Beijing, China. Prior to joining the World Bank Group, Joyce worked at the University of British Columbia in Canada and in Tanzania on various public and private sectors assignments.

Joyce has authored and published a number of articles in the health sector including in peer-reviewed journals as well as a background paper for the 2004 World Development Report (WDR), Making Services Work for Poor People. In addition, she has served as invited guest speaker at various institutions including the Carter Center (in Atlanta, USA), Tsinghua University and Peking University (in China).

Joyce has degrees from Strathclyde University, Scotland; University of Ottawa, Canada; Executive General Management Certificate from Harvard Business School (USA); and a Public Health Certificate from Johns Hopkins University (USA).

Dinner

Sung-Soo Eun

Executive Director
Republic of Korea, Board of World Bank Group

Executive Director from Republic of Korea representing Australia, Cambodia, Kiribati, Republic of Korea, Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Mongolia, New Zealand, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Vanuatu. Prior to that, Mr. Eun was Deputy Minister for International Affairs, Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Republic of Korea, actively involved in international and regional cooperation as a G20 and ASEAN+3 Finance Deputy Minister.

He has been with the Ministry since 1984. He was Director General and Deputy Director General of the International Finance Bureau, and Director of the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister. He also served as Assistant Secretary to the President for Economic Policy in the Blue House.

Mr. Eun previously worked at the World Bank, Washington and UNCTAD, Geneva.

He holds a doctorate degree in Economics

Dinner

Axel van Trotsenburg

Vice President
East Asia and Pacific, World Bank Group

Axel van Trotsenburg assumed the role of World Bank East Asia and Pacific Regional Vice President on February 1, 2013. He oversees a portfolio of over US\$30 billion in loans, grants, credits and trust funds, coordinating and supervising the activities of more than 1,000 staff.

Mr. van Trotsenburg leads the World Bank's strategy in the region which supports countries by addressing four shared challenges: natural disasters; poverty and equality; infrastructure and urbanization; and making governments work for people. Despite the region's success in reducing poverty, about a half billion people are still living on less than US\$2 a day. The Bank's goal is to help countries improve the lives of the poor and vulnerable by delivering innovative development solutions and results on the ground. Before this, Mr. van Trotsenburg served as the World Bank's Vice-President for Concessional Finance and Global Partnerships since August 2009. Mr. van Trotsenburg led the policy negotiations and replenishment process for the International Development Association (IDA), the Bank's fund for the poorest countries, with a record 16th replenishment of US\$49.3 billion concluded in December 2010. He also co-chaired the replenishment process for the Global Environment Facility (GEF) and managed the largest replenishment increase ever, under GEF 5, with pledges of US\$4.25 billion. He had policy oversight of the World Bank's trust fund portfolio amounting to US\$29.4 billion, and oversaw a wide range of global initiatives and innovative financing including: the Global Fund to Fight Aids, Tuberculosis and Malaria (GFATM), the International Finance Facility for Immunisation (IFFIm), and the pilot Advance Market Commitment (AMC) for pneumococcal vaccines.

From July 2007-July 2009, he was Country Director for Colombia and Mexico, and from 2002 to July 2007, Country Director for Argentina, Chile, Paraguay, and Uruguay. From 1996 to 2001, Mr. van Trotsenburg was Senior Manager of the Heavily Indebted Poor Countries (HIPC) Initiative, the largest and most comprehensive debt relief program for poor countries, and in previous assignments, he also was Senior Country Economist for Côte d'Ivoire and Country Economist for Guatemala.

Mr. van Trotsenburg joined the Bank in 1988 and prior to that, he worked at the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) in Paris. He is both Dutch and Austrian. He holds Masters and Doctorate degrees in economics and a Master's degree in International Affairs.

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Ede Jorge Ijjasz-Vasquez

Senior Director, Urban, Rural & Social Development
World Bank Group

Ede Ijjasz-Vasquez is the Senior Director for the new Social, Urban, Rural and Resilience Global Practice at the World Bank Group. He assumed this position on July 1, 2014, under a stronger institutional structure focused on ending extreme poverty by 2030 and boosting shared prosperity for the bottom 40 percent. As senior director, Mr. Ijjasz-Vasquez leads a team of over 600 technical experts deployed across the world, leveraging global knowledge and collaborating with partners to help tackle the world's most complex development challenges in: (i) social inclusion and sustainability; (ii) mainstreaming resilience in all dimensions development; (iii) territorial and rural development; and (iv) urban planning, services and institutions.

Before this, he was Director for Sustainable Development of the Latin America and Caribbean Region since November 2011, covering infrastructure, environment and climate change, social development, agriculture and rural development, disaster risk management, and urban development with an active portfolio of about \$17 billion.

From 2007 to 2011, he was based in Beijing, where he managed the Sustainable Development Unit for China and Mongolia. Earlier in his career, he managed the global trust-funded programs ESMAP and WSP in energy and water and sanitation, respectively.

Mr. Ijjasz has a Ph.D. and a M.Sc. from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) in civil and environmental engineering, with specialization in hydrology and water resources. He has been a lecturer at the Environmental Science and Policy Program at Johns Hopkins University, and at Tsinghua University. He is a Colombian and Hungarian national.

Plenary 3

Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

Vikram Kumar

Resident Representative, Myanmar
International Finance Corporation

Vikram Kumar is IFC's Resident Representative for Myanmar, based in Yangon, effective from December 15, 2013.

Prior to this assignment, he was Chief of Staff for the IFC Vice President, Asia Pacific in Washington DC for 2 years. Previously he spent 3 years in Nairobi, Kenya and over 2 years in New Delhi, India focusing primarily on infrastructure investments in Africa and South Asia regions respectively.

He has also worked in Corporate Investment Banking for ICICI Bank and YES Bank in India and in Credit Risk and Portfolio Management with Bank of America in the UK.

He holds a Bachelor's in Civil Engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology and a Master's in Management with specialization in Operations and Finance from the Indian Institute of Management.

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Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

Hayoung Lee

Representative

Korea Office, International Finance Corporation

Hayoung started his career at Samil PricewaterhouseCoopers, where for seven years he worked in the areas of corporate structuring and M&A. After finishing business school, he then joined IFC in 2007 through the Global Transaction Team program, based in Washington DC. He worked on agribusiness and chemicals projects in various countries including Pakistan, Mauritania, India and Mali. Hayoung has been the Resident Representative of IFC in Korea since September 2013.

Hayoung's current responsibility consists of strengthening IFC's engagement with Korean partners seeking to expand in emerging markets and finding innovative ways of working together. Hayoung has an MBA from Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University.

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Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

Kwangchul Ji

Liaison Officer

World Bank Group Korea Office

Kwangchul Ji is a Liaison Officer in the Korea WBG office. He is responsible for facilitating strengthened coordination of the activities between the WBG and development stakeholders of Korea. He proactively provides strategic guidance and support towards implementation of the WBG activities in Korea. He has a Bachelor's degree in International Relations at Seoul National University and a Master in Law (LLM) from Pennsylvania University Law School. He started his career as a government official in 1999 and has worked in the Fair Trade Commission, Independent Commission Against Corruption and the Constitutional Court of Korea. Before joining the WBG, he was Director for International Development Policy Division in the Ministry of Strategy and Finance (MOSF), covering Knowledge Sharing Program (KSP), Economic Development Cooperation Fund (EDCF), and international economic affairs. Kwangchul Ji is fluent in Korean and English. He is married to a dentist and is a father of two beautiful daughters and a cute son in between them. In his free time, he enjoys reading, walking, golf, skiing, and going out with his family.

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Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

Junglim Hahm

Representative

Korea Office, Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency

Junglim Hahm is a Representative to Korea and a Senior Operation Officer of the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA), the political risk insurance arm of the World Bank Group. She is based in Seoul, Republic of Korea.

Prior to joining, Ms. Hahm worked in various institutions. She most recently served as a Senior Manager at the Global Infrastructure Finance Team at the Korea Development Bank, where she worked on various global project financing and Public-Private Partnerships (PPP) transactions. From 2004 to 2011, Ms. Hahm worked as a Private Sector Development Specialist at the World Bank Institute of the World Bank Group in Washington DC and led several capacity building and technical assistance program on PPP and infrastructure. Her country experience includes Indonesia, Thailand, Bangladesh, Mongolia, Brazil, Honduras, Tanzania, South Africa and others. From 1999 and 2004, she worked at PIMAC, the Korean PPP unit at the Korea Development Institute in Seoul where she was a part of the specialized team promoting Korean PPP program which is now one of the world's largest PPP program. She holds a master's degree of International Studies from the Chung-Ang University, Seoul.

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Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

Paul Antony Barbour

Senior Risk Management Officer

Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency

Paul Barbour is a Senior Risk Management Officer, in the Economics and Policy Group of the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency, the political risk insurance arm of the World Bank Group.

Paul worked previously for the International Finance Corporation (the private sector investment arm of the World Bank Group), as an economist and strategist. Prior to this he was a senior economic advisor in the UK's Department for International Development, advising on a number of projects across Africa. In his early career, Paul served as an economic adviser for the Government of Fiji.

Paul has a Master's Degree in Economics from Oxford University, and an MBA from the Yale School of Management. Paul is also a Chartered Financial Analyst.

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Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector

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Michael joined AMC in November 2014. Prior to joining AMC, Michael was with PineBridge Investments for nearly 7 years in Singapore and Tokyo, where he was a Managing Director within the Alternative Investments Group. Michael's institutional investment experience started in 1999. During his time in Asia, he held senior positions at several global investment firms including Citigroup, Deutsche Bank, and Credit Suisse. Michael began his career in investment banking and leverage finance with the Chase Manhattan Bank.

He graduated with honors from the University of Rochester with a BA in Economics and Japanese and he is fluent in Japanese and Korean.

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William F. Maloney is Chief Trade and Competitiveness Economist in the World Bank Group and Visiting Professor at the University of the Andes in Bogota, Colombia. He was a Professor of Economics at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (1990-1997) and then joined the World Bank, working as Lead Economist in the Office of the Chief Economist for Latin America until 2009. Mr. Maloney received his PhD in economics from the University of California Berkeley (1990), his BA from Harvard University (1981), and he studied at the University of the Andes in Bogota, Colombia (1982-83). He has published on issues related to international trade and finance, developing country labor markets, and innovation and growth. In addition to publications in academic journals, he coauthored *Natural Resources: Neither Curse nor Destiny* and *Lessons from NAFTA, Does What you Export Matter: In Search of Empirical Guidance for Industrial Policy*, as well as several flagship publications of the Latin American division of the Bank, most recently *Informality: Exit and Exclusion*.

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Shahid Yusuf is Chief Economist of the Growth Dialogue, The George Washington University, School of Business. Prior to joining the Growth Dialogue, Dr. Yusuf had a 35-year tenure at the World Bank. He led the World Bank-Japan project on East Asia's Future Economy and was Director of the World Development Report 1999/2000, Entering the 21st Century. Previously, he was Economic Adviser to the Senior Vice President and Chief Economist, Lead Economist for the East Africa Department and Lead Economist for the China and Mongolia Department. Dr. Yusuf has written extensively on development issues, with a special focus on East Asia and has also published widely in various academic journals. He has authored or edited 27 books on industrial and urban development, innovation systems and tertiary education. Among his most recent books, co-authored with Kaoru Nabeshima, are: Development Economics through the Decades; Tiger Economies under Threat; Two Dragonheads: Contrasting development paths for Beijing and Shanghai; Changing the Industrial Geography in Asia: The Impact of China and India; and Some Small Countries Do It Better: Rapid Growth and its Causes in Singapore, Finland and Ireland. He holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Harvard University.

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Rajah Rasiah is Professor of Economics and Technology Management at the Faculty of Economics and Administration, University of Malaya. He was the first holder of the Khazanah National Chair of Regulatory Studies and a Professorial Fellow at UNU-MERIT and a member of the Globelics scientific board. He is also a member of the National science Research Council, Malaysia, and an advisory member of the Export Committee of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia. He has contributed extensively to projects commissioned by UNCTAD, World Bank, ILO, UNIDO, UNESCO, UNDP and WIPO in Africa, Asia and Latin America. He obtained his doctorate in Economics from Cambridge University in 1992, and was a Rajawali fellow at Harvard University in 2014. He is the 2014 recipient of the Celso Furtado prize from the World Academy of Sciences for his contributions to the field of social sciences.

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Harry Anthony Patrinos specializes in the economics of education, particularly the returns to schooling, school-based management, demand-side financing and public-private partnerships. He has managed education lending operations and analytical work programs in Argentina, Colombia and Mexico. He has worked extensively on the socioeconomic status of Indigenous Peoples, and has co-authored two books on this issue, *Indigenous Peoples, Poverty and Human Development in Latin America* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2006) and *Indigenous Peoples, Poverty, and Development* (Cambridge, 2014). He has many publications in the academic and policy literature, with more than 50 journal articles. He is co-author of the books: *Making Schools Work: New Evidence on Accountability Reforms* (World Bank, 2011); *The Role and Impact of Public-Private Partnerships in Education* (World Bank, 2009); and *Decentralized Decision-Making in Schools: The Theory and Evidence on School-Based Management* (World Bank, 2009). He has also worked in Africa, Asia, Europe, the Middle East and North America. He previously worked as an economist at the Economic Council of Canada.

In his new role as Education Global Practice Manager for the East Asia and Pacific countries, he leads a team of staff based in Washington D.C. and in 10 Asian countries to provide strategic vision and direction, encourage and support innovation in both knowledge work and lending and manages staff to deliver results on the ground.

Mr. Patrinos received his doctorate from the University of Sussex.

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Sungchul Chung is a professor at the University of Science and Technology (UST), and Research Fellow Emeritus of the Science and Technology Policy Institute (STEPI), Korea. He served as President of the Science and Technology Policy of Korea (STEPI), and has been involved in science, technology and innovation policy research as well as advisory activities for more than thirty years, and has been a major player in S&T policy formulation in Korea. He served on various high-level advisory bodies, including the Presidential Committee on Policy and Planning (2006-2008), the Presidential Advisory Council on Science and Technology (2006-2008), Science and Technology Committee of the Federation of Korean Industries (2006-2009), and others. He is an economist by training and received a Ph.D. degree from the University of Hawaii at Manoa, USA.

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Director

East Asia and Pacific Department, International Finance Corporation

Vivek Pathak has extensive emerging markets experience in principal investments, restructuring and risk management across all industry sectors. Over the past 16 years at IFC, he has covered Asia Pacific, Middle East, North Africa and Central Asia in various leadership capacities.

In his current role, Vivek leads IFC's advisory and investment operations across Asia Pacific, which in fiscal year 2014 reached a record \$6.1 billion investment volume.

Before taking up his current role, Vivek served as IFC Director for Investment and Credit Risk based in Washington, DC and managing a team of seasoned professionals responsible for global coverage of credit risk, investment risk, integrity risk, pricing and credit/equity training.

Previously, Vivek oversaw IFC's portfolio in the Middle East and North Africa, and led IFC's business development efforts in frontier markets like Afghanistan, Iraq and Iran.

Prior to joining IFC, Vivek worked with Bank of America and ABN AMRO Bank N.V. in new business and risk management. In his capacity as a Head of Risk Management, ABN AMRO Bank, Thailand, he was responsible for managing a large and diverse portfolio during the Asian Financial Crisis.

Vivek holds a Master's Degree in Management from the University of Mumbai, India.

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Miao Zhang is Visiting Research Fellow at Institute of China Studies, University of Malaya. She obtained her PhD. in Economics from University of Malaya in 2014. Her research focuses on institutional economics and state theory. Her research spectrum also extends to the fields of industrial policy and technology innovation. Her previous writings have appeared in international journals such as Journal of Contemporary Asia, Habitat International, Cities, Journal of Asia Pacific Economy and Asia Pacific Business Review. She has undertaken several consultancies for international agencies, including United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA), and research projects funded by different grants.

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Director

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Seung Hee Lee is the Director for Global Partnering (“GP”) Team of KOTRA which is Korean government’s trade and investment promotion agency established in 1962. The main role of GP Team is to support Korean SMEs to enter into the Global markets by discovering global companies’s demands and to matchmake and provide various gap-closing programs for Korean SMEs. Before he began his duty at GP Team on February 2014, he worked for KOTRA’s Dallas Overseas Trade Center in Texas, USA. During his 3-year term in Dallas, he developed various business opportunities for Korean SMEs in the field of wireless telecommunication, after sales auto parts market, and etc. He studied Economics at Sogang University and recently started his Master’s Program at Korea Tech University, majoring in Management of Technology, last year. His current work is focused on technology-oriented SMEs’ globalization.

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Han-koo Yeo, currently deputy director general in charge of Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) in Korea, has served in various positions at the Korean Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy(MOTIE), including industrial policy, FDI policy, climate change policy and FTA negotiations with the EU, India, ASEAN and others. Prior to the current position, Mr. Yeo worked for four years as senior investment policy officer at International Finance Corporation(IFC) of the World Bank Group, where he led Climate-Efficient Industry (CEI) and Low-Carbon Zone(LCZ) projects in Bangladesh, Guatemala, Jordan and others. Mr. Yeo holds an MBA/MPA from Harvard University and a BA in business from Seoul National University (South Korea).

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Yong Seok Roh is the director of overseas marketing division in the Small and Medium Business Administration (SMBA). He received his Bachelor of Business Administration at Sungkyunkwan University, Seoul and a Diplôme de Grande École, École Supérieure des Sciences Économiques et Commerciales (ESSEC), Paris.

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– Using the Korean Effective PPP Program Implementation to Improve Governance in Other Countries

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François BERGERE, has a diversified professional experience in the fields of public management, project and infrastructure finance. Originally a "Conseiller maitre" (Senior auditor) at the Cour des comptes (France's national audit office), he also worked as manager of multinational Equity Investment funds in infrastructures in Asia and Europe from 1997 to 2002. In April 2005, he was selected by the French ministry of Finance to set-up the newly-created "Mission d'Appui aux PPP" (PPP task force), which he managed until May 2014. Joined the World Bank in December 2014 as Program Manager for PPIAF (Public-Private Investment Advisory facility), a trust-funded Partnership established to act as a catalyst to increase private sector participation in developing countries. PPIAF provides technical assistance, knowledge products and guidance to governments to support the creation of a sound investment-enabling environment for the provision of basic infrastructure services by the private sector.

François BERGERE is a graduate of HEC (French top business school) and Ecole Nationale d'Administration (ENA) and holds a Master of economics from University of Paris I-Sorbonne. He also graduated from Columbia Business School's (NY) Executive program in Business Administration in 1991. Author of: « Guide opérationnel des PPP » in 2010 and « 10 ans de PPP dans la commande publique » in 2014 at Editions le Moniteur + numerous articles in professional reviews.

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University of Seoul

Hyeon PARK is Professor and Director of International Urban Development Program at the ISUS, University of Seoul. He teaches infrastructure related courses such as public investment management, and PPP policy to his Korean and international students. His fields of interest also include urban economics, transportation policy and feasibility studies on infrastructure projects. Before joining the ISUS in August 2013, he had worked as a fellow of Korea Development Institute (KDI) and also served as executive director of Public and Private Infrastructure Investment Management Center (PIMAC) of KDI from 2011 to 2013. In KDI for fourteen years, he has contributed to improving public inquiry process in infrastructure management including pre-feasibility studies and PPP project management in Korea. He worked as a senior evaluation specialist, seconded to Independent Evaluation Department of ADB from 2009 to 2011. He got his B.A. in Economics at Seoul National University, and Ph.D. in Planning at the University of Southern California. He serves as president of the Korea Society of Transport Policy and Economics and he also serves as vice president of the Korea Society of Public Private Partnerships, both from 2015 to 2016.

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As Director of PPP Policy Division at the Korean Ministry of Strategy and Finance, Mr. KIM is in charge of making PPP policies, coordinating PPP projects, training and capacity building of PPP stakeholders, and international cooperation on PPP. He is also responsible for revising PPP Act and Enforcement Decree on PPP Act. Mr. Kim is an Economist with specialty in Budget formulation, and holds a Master's degree in Business Administration from University of Missouri and a Master's degree in Public Policy Management from KDI(Korea Development Institute) School. He has 19 years of working experience in the public sector, mainly in the area of budget formulation, long-term national agenda setting. He also served at the Presidential Office for civil society affairs. He worked at AfDB Headquarter in Tunis for four years as Senior Advisor to the Board of Directors. After his service at the AfDB, he wrote a series of books on Africa's history and economy, which made him one of the most renowned Africa experts in Korea.

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Mr. Paik joined Macquarie in Jan 2001 as the Head of the Structured Finance Operations in Korea, and since Jan 2007 as the Representative Director of Macquarie Korea Asset Management, the manager of the biggest listed infrastructure fund in Asia, Macquarie Korea Infrastructure Fund.

He has over 20 years of experience in Cross Border M&A, Korean PPI project finance and infrastructure asset management.

He led the dual IPO of MKIF in March 2006 in the both Korea and London stock exchanges, creating the first listed infrastructure fund in Korea.

Recently he led the creation of new innovative private concession based fund series investing in infrastructure assets, raising over A\$1 bn from domestic investors.

Prior to joining Macquarie, he worked with Shinhan Financial Group and is a graduate of London School of Economics.

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JM Jung joined Shinhan Bank in 1988 and worked at the International Finance Department of the Bank later to be assigned to its London Branch in 1999. After returning to the country in 2003, he actively led a team of Infrastructure Finance at the Project Finance Department. He left the Bank in 2007 to initiate FA(Financial Advisory) business on his own, establishing KG Financial Advisory Co., Ltd.. He has completed dozens of PPP projects since then as FA. In 2013, He newly set up a Research & Advisory firm, KG Infra Research Co., Ltd. focusing on research and promotion of PPP projects. He has participated in an array of PPP projects on behalf of Public Sector and negotiated with Private Partners.

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Mr. Yoo is deputy director of PPP Policy Division of Ministry of Strategy and Finance, the government of Republic of Korea. The division is responsible for revising PPP Act and Enforcement Decree on PPP Act, making PPP policies, coordinating PPP projects, training and capacity building of PPP stakeholders, and international cooperation on PPP. Within the division Mr. Yoo is in charge of PPP Dispute Conciliation Committee, international cooperation on PPP, reviewing PPP projects and addressing various issues in the area of railroads and seaports. For the 14 years before he took the current position, he worked mostly in the Budget Office, preparing the government's budget proposal in the area of construction & transportation, welfare, regional development and ODA respectively. In 2012, while he was dispatched to the Development Cooperation Policy Bureaus of the Prime Minister's Office, he coordinated the first Peer Review of Korea's ODA policy by the OECD Development Assistance Committee (DAC) after Korea joined OECD DAC in 2010. Mr. Yoo has a master's degree in international political economy from the Ruhr-University of Bochum, Germany.

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Mr. Lee is in charge of business development, financial advisory and loan syndication arrangement services for outbound project/export finance and PPP transactions, mainly in the power, natural resources, infrastructure, renewable energy and ICT sectors, as Deputy Director of Strategic Business Coordination Department at the Export-Import Bank of Korea ("KEXIM"). He joined KEXIM at 2012 as a project finance specialist to develop and expand its financial advisory and loan arrangement service offering, a new strategic business of KEXIM. Before joining KEXIM, he worked at BNP Paribas as a project/export finance specialist and Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation for corporate banking business. He started his professional career at Doosan Heavy Industries and Construction in charge of project/export finance for Power Sector. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from University of Arizona.

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Soojin Park

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Mr. Park is currently working for the Public and Private Infrastructure Investment Management Center (PIMAC) in Korea Development Institute (KDI). He not only leads Public Policy Research Team but also takes broad range of PPP assignments such as feasibility studies, preferred bidder evaluation, concession agreement review, negotiation, refinancing, dispute resolution, MRG review, ex-post comprehensive evaluation, PPP annual plan development, government advice, and government officers' education. Mr. Park is also responsible for international cooperation jobs such as international co-research, training program, and Asia PPP Network Program (APN). He is a member of APEC PPP Expert Panel, and also supported Korea government's delegations to G-20 working group in 2014. Having more than 14 years of experience in project development and financing, his career has a strong combination of private and public sectors, which enables him to fit well with public-private partnership expert qualification. Mr. Park started his career in Deloitte FAS (Financial Advisory Services) and then he worked at PROTIVITI (formerly Andersen Risk Consulting) as a financial consultant. Prior to current position at PIMAC in KDI, Mr. Park also worked for POSCO E&C as a Project Financing Team Leader where he was in charge of assessment and funding for various kinds of development projects cross borders. Mr. Park has a MPSRE (Master of Professional Studies in Real Estate) from Cornell University and is expected to get Phd in Development Policy from KDI International Policy School. He is professionally qualified with CPA, CTA, CCIM, CIA, and CFE. He is a winner of a citation from the Minister of Finance and Strategy of Korea in 2014.

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Mr. Ousmane Dione is currently the Water Practice Manager for East Asia and the Pacific Region of the World Bank based in Manila, Philippines. Prior to this assignment, he served as Sector Manager for the Philippines Sustainable Development Unit. Mr Dione held several positions as Senior Water Resources Engineer in Africa, Lead Water Resource Specialist in South Asia, and Sector Leader for Infrastructure for the Andean countries (Bolivia, Chile, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela) in Latin America, based in Lima, Peru.

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Sebastian-A Molineus

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Sebastian-A Molineus, a German national, is currently the Regional Practice Director for the World Bank Group's (WBG) Finance & Markets Global Practice. In this role, he is responsible for delivering the Practice's financial, advisory and knowledge, and convening services across the WBG's six Regions.

Sebastian joined the WBG's International Finance Corporation (IFC) in 2002, where he was a Project Manager for the Russia Corporate Governance Project, based in Moscow. He later worked in the IFC's Middle East & North Africa Department, where he led a region-wide Corporate Governance Program, based in Cairo. In 2008, he joined the Financial and Private Sector Development Vice-Presidency (FPD) as a Sr. Operations Officer in the Capital Markets Department, and between 2010 and 2012 he co-led the change management initiative to implement Global Practices across FPD. From 2012-2014, Sebastian was the Practice Manager of the Capital Markets Practice, where he was responsible for strategic, knowledge, resource, portfolio, and talent management.

Prior to joining the WBG, Sebastian worked at the OECD in the Financial, Fiscal, and Enterprise Affairs Division, where he focused on corporate governance and financial reporting reforms.

Sebastian holds an MBA from the HEC School of Management in France, and a Masters in European and International Law from the University of Passau's School of Law in Germa

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Kyuil Chung

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Kyuil Chung is Director General of Office of International Affairs, the Bank of Korea. His research interests lie in the area of international capital flows, the nexus between monetary policy and financial stability, and reform of the international monetary system. He previously served as the head of the monetary studies team and international economic studies team and Deputy Director General of the Economic Research Institute, Bank of Korea. He has written and published numerous papers at Economic Modelling, National Institute Economic Review, Economic Policy, Tsinghua Financial Review, IMF, and BIS. He holds a Ph.D. from University of California, Davis.

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Dr. Lee is the Head of the International Organization Team at the Financial Supervisory Service (FSS), Korea's consolidated financial regulator with oversight and enforcement authority over financial institutions and other major participants in the financial markets.

Prior to his current position, he served as the Head of System Risk Analysis Team, during which he was intimately involved in developing and operating Early Warning System, conducting stress tests, and identifying D-SIBs in Korea. He is currently in charge of International affairs and relations.

Dr. Lee has expertise in various areas as going through positions at the FSS since 2001 including Macro-prudential Supervision Department, Complaints Examinations Office, and Research Department. He began his professional career at the Gettysburg College as an Assistant Professor after completing his Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Oregon in 1997. He worked at the European Central Bank as a visiting scholar from 2011 to 2013 as well.

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James Seward

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James is the Practice Manager for all Finance and Markets areas of work across the East Asia and Pacific Region for the World Bank Group. He manages 25 staff across 10 country offices, with a budget of over \$15 million and financing operations of over \$500 million. During the past 12 years, he has worked on a range of financial sector policy issues, including financial stability, banking reform, strengthening regulation and supervision, building financial markets and competitiveness, and expanding access to finance.

James has led numerous technical assistance, analytical, and financing operations in the East Asia region, which has given him a deep understanding of the issues confronting emerging market countries and he has worked on the aforementioned policy matters in many different contexts—from some of the largest economies in the world such as China and Indonesia, to some of the more under-developed economies including Cambodia and Vietnam. He has also covered other regions, including North Africa and Eastern Europe.

James joined the World Bank in 2002, first joining for a brief period as a consultant with the Financial Sector Development Department in the Europe and Central Asia Region. He then moved to one of the most active World Bank field offices in Hanoi, Vietnam in 2003 and returned to Washington, DC to take on a more regional portfolio in 2005.

James' prior professional experience was with the U.S. Treasury Department on economic and financial sanctions compliance, inspections, and enforcement, and with the U.S. State Department working on foreign policy towards Egypt and North Africa. He has also been a consultant to different organizations, including one of the world's largest microfinance banks (Bank Rakyat Indonesia) and a leading research institute in international development (the Harvard Center for International Development). James has a graduate degree from the Kennedy School of Harvard University and an undergraduate degree in business administration and political science from James Madison University.

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Sameer Goyal

Senior Financial Sector Specialist
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Mr. Goyal is currently the Vietnam Country Sector Coordinator for Financial and Markets Global Practice but will be moving to Korea in July to lead the partnership between WBG and Korean financial sector counterparts to support country programs in East Asia and the Pacific. Mr. Goyal resided in Vietnam for 5 years and led and participated in all World Bank Group engagements relating to financial sector development in Vietnam. Goyal joined the World Bank in 1997 and was a core member of the Thailand financial crises response team until 2001. Subsequently he led and participated in several operations and technical assistance programs in Philippines, Mongolia, Vietnam, Fiji and other Pacific Island Countries in the East Asia and Pacific region. His key areas of expertise include banking sector reform and related capacity development, financial inclusion as well as capital markets development. Goyal has led and participated in the joint WB-IMF Financial Sector Assessment Program (FSAP) in Philippines, Fiji and Mongolia. Goyal has also led several private sector development (PSD) projects, including on innovation. Before joining the World Bank full time, Goyal worked at McGill University (Canada), Institute for Studies in Industrial Development (India), as well as a consultant on a ILO-ARTEP project. Goyal holds MA and M. Phil degrees in Economics from Jawaharlal Nehru University, India; and an MBA in Finance and International Business from McGill University, Canada.

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Chanitr Charnchainarong

Former Executive Vice President
The Stock Exchange of Thailand

Academic & Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, Purdue University, USA
- Master of Science in Electrical Engineering, Purdue University, USA
- Advanced Management Program (AMP185), Harvard Business School, USA

Other Present Appointments(as of May 2015)

- Independent Director and Chairman of Audit Committee, United Overseas Bank (Thai) PCL
- Board Member, National Science and Technology Development Agency (NSTDA)
- Fund Sub-Committee, National Science and Technology Development Agency (NSTDA)
- Board Member, National Electronics and Computer Technology Center (NECTEC)
- Chairman, Thailand - Cambodia Business Council
- Director, The Thai Chamber of Commerce

Past Appointments

- Executive Vice President, The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET)
- Senior Vice President, The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET)
- President, Market for Alternative Investment (mai)
- Advisor, Market for Alternative Investment (mai)
- Vice Chairman, Capital Market Academy (CMA)
- Deputy Secretary General, The Thai Chamber of Commerce
- Board Member, Software Industry Promotion Agency (SIPA)
- Board Member, State Enterprise Policy Committee, Ministry of Finance
- Board Member, The Office of Small and Medium Enterprises Promotion (OSMEP)
- Advisor, The Office of Board of Investment (BOI)
- Fund Sub-Committee on Alternative Investment Study, Social Security Office
- Member, Telecommunications Development for Public Benefit Fund Committee, The National Telecommunications Commission (NTC)
- Member, SMEs Venture Capital Fund (SMEVC) Investment Policy Board, Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Industry
- Founder and President, CFA Society of Thailand

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Vikram Kumar is IFC's Resident Representative for Myanmar, based in Yangon, effective from December 15, 2013.

Prior to this assignment, he was Chief of Staff for the IFC Vice President, Asia Pacific in Washington DC for 2 years. Previously he spent 3 years in Nairobi, Kenya and over 2 years in New Delhi, India focusing primarily on infrastructure investments in Africa and South Asia regions respectively.

He has also worked in Corporate Investment Banking for ICICI Bank and YES Bank in India and in Credit Risk and Portfolio Management with Bank of America in the UK.

He holds a Bachelor's in Civil Engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology and a Master's in Management with specialization in Operations and Finance from the Indian Institute of Management.

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Dr. Hyungjoon Ray Lim is a Research Fellow at the Korean Institute of Finance in the Capital Market Division. Before joining KIF in 2008, he worked at Columbia University as a teaching assistant and interned at the International Monetary Fund. His current research focuses on asset management, debt markets, and bank risk management. He has completed a Doctoral and M. Phil work at Columbia University in New York with focus on financial economics. He also holds a B.A in Economics from Seoul National University.

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Ki-hwan Kim

Chair

Seoul Financial Forum

Dr. Kihwan Kim is Chair of the Seoul Financial Forum. He is also currently a Distinguished Visiting Research Professor at KDI School of Public Policy and Management.

From 2008 to 2010, Dr. Kim served as Vice Chair of the National Council for Economic Policy that is chaired by Korea's President. During the 1997-1998 Asian Financial Crisis, he was Korea's Ambassador-at-Large for Economic Affairs, playing a key role not only in the early resolution of the crisis for Korea but also for laying the ground for subsequent reforms.

Other positions he has held in the Korean government include Chief International Policy and Trade Policy Coordinator and Negotiator with the rank of an Ambassador (1984-86), Chief Delegate to South-North Inter-Korea Economic Talks (1984-86), Vice Minister of Trade and Industry (1983-84) and Senior Economic Counselor to the Deputy Prime Minister cum Minister of Economic Planning (1979-82). He also served as a member of Korea's Monetary Board (1982-83) and President of Korea Development Institute (KDI), the premier economic policy think-tank financed by the Korean government (1982-1983).

From 1999 to 2008, Dr. Kim was an International Advisor at Goldman Sachs and from 1993 to 1999, Senior Advisor at Kim and Chang, the largest and most prestigious law firm in Korea. From 1989 to 1993, he served as a Visiting Faculty at the University of California, San Diego, a Visiting Scholar at the University of Tokyo and a Visiting Faculty at the University of California, Berkeley. From 1986 to 1989, he was President of Sejong Institute. At various times he has also served as a consultant to the World Bank, the OECD and foreign governments, and in 2004-05 he was international chair for the Pacific Economic Cooperation Council.

Educated at Grinnell College (B.A., History, 1957), Yale University (M.A., History, 1958) and the University of California at Berkeley (Ph D., Economics, 1971), Dr. Kim taught economics for some thirteen years at a number of American universities, including the University of California, Berkeley and Davis, before returning to Korea in 1976.

An author of books and articles on the Korean economy, world trade and international finance, Dr. Kim is a frequent contributor to newspapers and professional journals in both Korea and abroad. In November 2013, he published his latest book in Korean titled Korea's Economic Miracle: Past 50 Years, Next 50 Years.

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Shahid Yusuf

Chief Economist
The Growth Dialogue

Shahid Yusuf is Chief Economist of the Growth Dialogue, The George Washington University, School of Business. Prior to joining the Growth Dialogue, Dr. Yusuf had a 35-year tenure at the World Bank. He led the World Bank-Japan project on East Asia's Future Economy and was Director of the World Development Report 1999/2000, *Entering the 21st Century*. Previously, he was Economic Adviser to the Senior Vice President and Chief Economist, Lead Economist for the East Africa Department and Lead Economist for the China and Mongolia Department. Dr. Yusuf has written extensively on development issues, with a special focus on East Asia and has also published widely in various academic journals. He has authored or edited 27 books on industrial and urban development, innovation systems and tertiary education. Among his most recent books, co-authored with Kaoru Nabeshima, are: *Development Economics through the Decades*; *Tiger Economies under Threat*; *Two Dragonheads: Contrasting development paths for Beijing and Shanghai*; *Changing the Industrial Geography in Asia: The Impact of China and India*; and *Some Small Countries Do It Better: Rapid Growth and its Causes in Singapore, Finland and Ireland*. He holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Harvard University.

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Betty Bigombe

Senior Director
Fragility, Conflict and Violence, World Bank Group

Betty Bigombe, a Ugandan national, has played a key role in conflict resolution in Africa. She led the peace and humanitarian efforts in northern Uganda, first in the 1990s as Minister of State for Northern Uganda and again as chief mediator to the conflict in the mid-2000s.

In 2014, she received the *Ordre National de la Legion d'honneur*, one of a number of awards honoring her long-standing commitment to peace and humanitarian affairs throughout her career. Prior to her appointment to the World Bank Group, Ms. Bigombe served as State Minister for Water Resources in the Ugandan Cabinet and Member of Parliament.

She has been a visiting scholar at John Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies, the Woodrow Wilson Center and a Fellow at the United States Institute of Peace, consulting on the impact of war and violence. She has served as a Commissioner for the Women's Refugee Commission and led election observer missions in Zimbabwe and Rwanda.

Her career has included a development focus in previous positions at the African Development Bank and at the World Bank where she was a Senior Social Scientist focusing on gender and conflict, disarmament and child soldiers. Ms. Bigombe holds a Masters in Public Administration from Harvard University and a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology and Rural Economy from Makerere University in Uganda.

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James Brumby

Director
Governance, World Bank Group

Jim Brumby is now a Director in the Governance Global Practice, having recently completed 21/2 years based in Jakarta. There, he was most recently a Governance manager for the region, having transitioned from the job of Sector Manager for the core economics program in Indonesia. He has been engaged on public management and economic reform at state, national and international levels for about thirty years, having worked for the Treasury of the state of Victoria in Australia, the Treasury of New Zealand, the OECD, the IMF and most recently since 2007, at the World Bank. He holds an MPA from Harvard University.

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Sebastian-A Molineus

Director
Finance & Markets, World Bank Group

Sebastian-A Molineus, a German national, is currently the Regional Practice Director for the World Bank Group's (WBG) Finance & Markets Global Practice. In this role, he is responsible for delivering the Practice's financial, advisory and knowledge, and convening services across the WBG's six Regions. Sebastian joined the WBG's International Finance Corporation (IFC) in 2002, where he was a Project Manager for the Russia Corporate Governance Project, based in Moscow. He later worked in the IFC's Middle East & North Africa Department, where he led a region-wide Corporate Governance Program, based in Cairo. In 2008, he joined the Financial and Private Sector Development Vice-Presidency (FPD) as a Sr. Operations Officer in the Capital Markets Department, and between 2010 and 2012 he co-led the change management initiative to implement Global Practices across FPD. From 2012-2014, Sebastian was the Practice Manager of the Capital Markets Practice, where he was responsible for strategic, knowledge, resource, portfolio, and talent management. Prior to joining the WBG, Sebastian worked at the OECD in the Financial, Fiscal, and Enterprise Affairs Division, where he focused on corporate governance and financial reporting reforms. Sebastian holds an MBA from the HEC School of Management in France, and a Masters in European and International Law from the University of Passau's School of Law in Germa

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Ousmane Dione

Practice Manager
Water, World Bank Group

Mr. Ousmane Dione is currently the Water Practice Manager for East Asia and the Pacific Region of the World Bank based in Manila, Philippines. Prior to this assignment, he served as Sector Manager for the Philippines Sustainable Development Unit. Mr Dione held several positions as Senior Water Resources Engineer in Africa, Lead Water Resource Specialist in South Asia, and Sector Leader for Infrastructure for the Andean countries (Bolivia, Chile, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela) in Latin America, based in Lima, Peru.

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Abha Joshi-Ghani

Director
Knowledge Exchange & Learning, Leadership, Learning & Innovation, World Bank Group

Ms. Joshi-Ghani is the Director for Knowledge Exchange and Learning (LLIKL) at the Leadership, Learning and Innovation Vice Presidency of the World Bank. She leads staff and client learning and the South - South Knowledge Exchange initiative for the World Bank. Before joining LLI she was the Manager for the Bank's Urban Development Anchor where she oversaw the Bank's work on Urban Policy and Strategy and knowledge and learning. She was also the Head of the Global Urbanization Knowledge Platform, a multi- partner initiative of the World Bank. She was the Chair of the World Economic Forum Global Agenda Council on Urbanization in 2013. She has worked primarily on infrastructure finance and urban development at the World Bank. Her regional experience includes South and East Asia, Africa and the Middle East.

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Panel Discussion2

Geremie Sawadogo

Manager

Talent Acquisition, World Bank Group

Geremie Sawadogo is Manager of Talent Acquisition with the World Bank Group in Washington DC. He has over 25 years of professional experience in the field of international education and development. His past professional experiences include being Program Manager of global mobility at the World Bank; teaching intercultural communication and directing international education programs at universities and community colleges; and being US Peace Corps Country Director in Benin. He is a published author in intercultural and international education. Geremie Sawadogo is originally from Burkina Faso and holds a Ph.D. in international and comparative education from the University of Iowa.

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Panel Discussion2

Davide Bonzano

Senior Manager

Client Services, World Bank Group

Davide Bonzano, an Italian national, is currently a World Bank Group HR Senior Manager based in Hong Kong SAR, China. He provides leadership to the HR Client Services teams in South Asia, East Asia and the Pacific and oversees the delivery of HR Client Services across all World Bank Group Regions.

Davide joined the International Finance Corporation (IFC), the private sector arm of the World Bank Group, in 2001 as Human Resources Account Manager and provided HR services to several IFC departments, both in HQ and in the field. In February 2005, Davide moved to Johannesburg where he was leading the HR department's operations in Africa and Western Europe. He designed and implemented the HR strategy for the Africa Region, which was instrumental in supporting the growth of IFC's business in the region. Returning to Headquarters, from January 2010 to June 2013 Davide was the HR Global Client Services Manager, responsible for the delivery of all HR services and products throughout the organization.

Before joining IFC, Davide worked as HR Generalist in Italy, Germany and the US, developing in-depth expertise in compensation and benefits, staffing and recruitment, learning and leadership development.

Effective July 1, 2015 Davide will be based in Washington, DC as the IFC HR Director and will be the focal point for IFC Management to ensure HR products, services and tools meet IFC strategy and business needs, and are aligned with World Bank Group HR Strategy.

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Hyoung Gun Wang

Senior Economist

Urban, Rural & Social Development, World Bank Group

Hyoung Gun Wang is a Senior Economist of the South Asia Urban Unit at the World Bank. He is currently the task team leader of various knowledge products of smart cities, city e-government, urbanization review, affordable housing, and urban development. His work programs and research interests are Urbanization and urban development, Smart cities and e-government, Local/regional economic development, Housing, GIS and spatial analysis, and Economic impacts of infrastructure investment. His work programs have spanned a range of developing countries including Afghanistan, Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, China, Colombia, DR Congo, Egypt, Georgia, Ghana, India, Kenya, Nigeria, South Korea, Liberia, Malawi, Mexico, Mongolia, The Philippines, Russia, Rep. of Congo, Senegal, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Vietnam, and Yemen. He worked as an Economist at the Bank of Korea (the Central Bank of Korea). He holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Brown University.

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Darren Dorkin

Program Coordinator, Leadership, Learning and Innovation

Korea Office, World Bank Group

Darren Dorkin is a Program Coordinator with the Leadership, Learning & Innovation Vice Presidency based in the WBG Korea Office. From 2011-2015, he was based in Jakarta, as the focal lead for the World Bank's Health, Nutrition and Population (HNP) program in Indonesia. From 2009-2011, Mr. Dorkin was Program Manager of the \$550 million Health Results Innovation Trust Fund, which supports results-based financing for health projects and learning. From 2004-2009, he was Coordinator of the Bank's Global Food Fortification Program, which implemented micronutrient malnutrition projects in five countries, and worked to create new public-private partnerships in nutrition. From 1990-1994, Mr. Dorkin worked on Bank supported health and education projects in Mexico and Central America, and from 1994-2004, he managed and provided operational support on health and education projects in Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Laos, and the Philippines. Mr. Dorkin holds a Masters in Business Administration from Indiana University and a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from the University of Michigan.

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Kyung Soon Song

Representative Director
Korea Expert Consulting Group

Dr. Song is an independent economic, financial and industry expert, affiliated with Korea Expert Consulting Group (KECG), Korea's leading expert consulting firm, as its Representative Expert. He founded KECG in early 2002 and had managed until August 2012.

Dr. Song's work experience extends over 20 some countries on a variety of operational, managerial and advisory assignments in both public and private sectors, undertaking a wide range of activities for: the formulation of economic and industry policies and programs; industrial rationalization and optimization; privatization and private sector development; corporate-level restructuring; corporate finance transactions; project development, investment and financing transactions; corporate mergers and acquisitions; corporate valuation; strategic alliance; global portfolio investment, etc.

Dr. Song's work as an independent professional service provider focuses on guiding or sharing knowledge with other professionals and professional firms in association with global development business, cross-border transaction, and international knowledge sharing. Structured positions he is currently holding include: Director at the Supervisory Board of KOSPI-listed Macquarie Infrastructure Fund; and Non-executive Board member of KOSPI-listed Doosan Heavy Industries Co. Until recently, he was also a member (currently an honorary member) of the Advisory Board for Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA), Korea's main donor agency; and a member of the Advisory Board for Economic Development Cooperation Fund (EDCF) at Korea's Export Import Bank.

Previously, Dr. Song had worked at several global and national institutions over four decades. Positions held include: senior staff and advisor positions at the World Bank after graduating from its Young Professionals Program; a Chief Operating Officer at a project finance advisory subsidiary of a globally leading Japanese investment bank in Hong Kong; the head of advisory board for a government program to expedite the globalization of Korea's leading SMEs; a senior advisor consultant for MIGA of World Bank Group; a non-Government member of the Korea's Development Cooperation Committee overseeing the country's strategy and policies for official development aid; a Steering Committee member at the Korea Investment Corporation (sovereign wealth fund) as a chairman of the Investment Subcommittee; a chairman for International Finance Subcommittee of Korean government's Finance Development Committee; a member of the Advisory Board for the preparation of G20 Meeting; a certified international arbitrator at the Korea Commercial Arbitration Board; an advisor for investment banking at Korea's Shinhan Bank; a senior advisor for global business at Korea's SPC Corporation. He joined the Korean government through the senior civil service examination in 1975 and had worked at the Economic Planning Board of the Korean government until the early 1980s.

While working full-time all along, Dr. Song got engaged in part-time teaching jobs at major educational institutions. During 2003-09 he taught two economics and finance courses at the Graduate School of International Studies of Seoul National University (SNU) as a Visiting Professor. He also taught three courses at King Sejoing University in the 1970s. Dr. Song holds BA in international economics from SNU, MBA from the Wharton School, and PhD in international finance and business from George Washington University.

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Panel Discussion2

Joyce Msuya

Special Representative
Korea Office, World Bank Group

Joyce Msuya has been with the World Bank Group for 17 years. Her experience within the Bank Group spans over public and private sector assignments in strategy (corporate, regional, country, sectoral), lending/investment operations, analytical work, and partnerships in Africa, Latin America and Asia regions.

At the World Bank Group, Joyce started her career in Health sector lending operations, then moved on to Development Economics Vice Presidency, worked on Private Sector Development (at the International Finance Corporation) and the World Bank Institute (WBI) covering East Asia and the Pacific, whilst based in the World Bank office in Beijing, China. Prior to joining the World Bank Group, Joyce worked at the University of British Columbia in Canada and in Tanzania on various public and private sectors assignments.

Joyce has authored and published a number of articles in the health sector including in peer-reviewed journals as well as a background paper for the 2004 World Development Report (WDR), Making Services Work for Poor People. In addition, she has served as invited guest speaker at various institutions including the Carter Center (in Atlanta, USA), Tsinghua University and Peking University (in China).

Joyce has degrees from Strathclyde University, Scotland; University of Ottawa, Canada; Executive General Management Certificate from Harvard Business School (USA); and a Public Health Certificate from Johns Hopkins University (USA).

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SIDE EVENT

Section 3: Side Events (Four events) (June 4-5, 2015)

1. International Tax Conference for Development and Growth, WB-Korea Development Forum

June 4-5

*The Westin Chosun, Seoul
106 Sogong-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul, 100-070, South Korea*

**Open to all Korea Week participants based on advanced registration.
For more information, please contact Boe Ine Lee (blee7@worldbank.org).*

The main objective of this side event is to inform policymakers of the latest thinking in terms of tax policy and administration, and provide participants with lessons through learning from each other countries' experiences. To that end, the forum will bring together world class experts and high-level senior policymakers to discuss the evolving nature of tax policy issues, and present some tax reform cases from participant countries as a way of knowledge sharing. This will help policymakers better understand diverse aspects of tax reform and provide insights to drive tax reform for sustainable development and growth.

2. World Bank Group 2nd Annual Korea Green Innovation Days – Leveraging Green Growth for Climate Change Action

June 4-5

*Millennium Seoul Hilton, Seoul
Grand Ballroom
50, Sowol-Ro, Jung-Gu, Seoul, 100-802, South Korea*

**Open to all Korea Week participants based on advanced registration. For more information, please contact kggp@worldbank.org. The dinner on June 4th is by invitation only.*

The objectives of this side event are to:

- i . Showcase progress, impact and results of Korea Green Growth Trust Fund (KGGTF) secretariat and operations at mid-point after two years with wider stakeholders.
- ii . Highlight key WBG and Korean technical & knowledge partners on Green Growth (GG) action.
- iii . Take this opportunity to introduce WBG Global Practices (GP) agenda and program to: (a) deepen collaboration with WBG and its clients; and (b) highlight the impact of mobilized resources and support from Korea for future KGGTF/WBG research, technical assistance, and lending projects.
- iv . Foster policy and technical networking among the GG partnership.

3. Perspectives on Economic Transitions

June 4 (half day morning)

*Korea Export-Import Bank, Seoul
Conference room, 5th Floor
38 Eunhaeng-ro, Yeongdeungpo-gu, Seoul, South Korea*

**Open to all Korea Week participants based on advanced registration, although seating is limited.
For more information, please contact ktf@worldbank.org.*

Transition trajectories have varied considerably in practice. Some nations have been experimenting with market reform for several decades, while others are relatively recent adopters. In some cases reforms have been accompanied with political upheaval, and in other cases economic reforms have been adopted by incumbent governments with little political change. Transition trajectories also differ in terms of the extent of central planning being relinquished as well as the scope of liberalization efforts being undertaken. The contrast between the more and less successful transitions raises many questions about the relative roles played by adverse initial conditions, external factors, and reform strategies.

The forum will discuss lessons learned from economic transitions, taking account of the widely different outcomes, the role of exogenous factors and the macroeconomic, and structural policies leading to growth recovery.

4. Governance of State-Owned Enterprises (SOE): State Oversight and Performance Monitoring in East and South Asia

June 4-5

*Lotte Hotel Seoul
30 Eulji-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul, 100-070, South Korea*

**Open to all Korea Week participants based on advanced registration, although seating is limited.
For more information, please contact smin@worldbank.org.*

The objective of the two day program is to exchange knowledge and experiences on the corporate governance of state-owned enterprises among practitioners from the Republic of Korea and South Asia region countries. It will also serve as an opportunity to lay the foundation for a stronger partnership among representatives of the government, research institutions, academia, and SOE practitioners.

Day 1 will consist of presentations and discussions on the SOE sector in different countries in East and South Asia with a particular focus on SOE state oversight arrangements and performance monitoring. Day 2 will consist of a site visit of the South Asia delegations to the ownership entity of the Republic of Korea (Ministry of Strategy and Finance) and other related agencies/research institutions (e.g., Korea Development Institute, Korea Institute of Public Finance).

INFORMATION

WORLD BANK DAY VENUE INFORMATION (Public Engagement Day)

Date Wednesday, June 3, 9:00 am - 1 pm

Place Seoul History Museum, 55 Saemunan-ro, Jonggno-gu, Seoul



Transportation from Songdo to Seoul History Museum

Approximately One hour by Taxi (One way ₩40,000)

Approximately Two hours by Metro or Bus (One way ₩2,700)

Please contact information desk at the hotel for any transportation matters.

FREE SHUTTLE TO SEOUL (TUESDAY, JUNE 2)

World Bank Group Korea Office provides free shuttle from Sheraton Incheon Hotel to Seoul on Tuesday, June 2. The bus departs at 5:30 pm in front of the Sheraton Incheon hotel.

Please come to information desk on the 3rd floor for any question.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Information Desk

For the convenience of all participants, Information desk will be open from 09:00- 19:00 at Sheraton Incheon Hotel (3F) during Korea Week 2015.

Please contact Information Desk, if you need any information regarding Korea Week 2015.

2. Secretariat Office

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Free Wi-Fi

During the first and second day of 'Korea Week 2015', free Wi-Fi will be provided to all participants.

Please come to information desk in front of Grand ballroom for access code.

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The core team from the WBG Korea Office comprised Jung Hoon Choi (Communications Officer, External Communications); Wanjoon Choi (Consultant); Sameer Goyal (Senior Financial Sector Specialist, Finance & Markets); Kwang Chul Ji (Liaison Officer); Soyoun Jun (Consultant); Min Jae Kang (Executive Assistant); Jisun Kim (Operations Officer, LLI); Jieun Kim (Consultant, Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency [MIGA]); Daham Lee (Consultant); and Joon Hooh Sung (Team Assistant). The core team from the MOSF International Financial Institutions Division comprised Suyeong Yu (Director), Chang-gi Kang (Deputy Director), Hyunggoo Kim (Deputy Director), and Esther Hong (Consultant/Coordinator).

Design and organization of Conference sessions on June 1-2 were led by: Andrei Markov (Senior Partnership Specialist, Development Partner Relations, Development Finance), Angelique dePlaa (Lead Operations Officer, IDA Resource Mobilization, Development Finance), and Frode Davanger (Senior Operations Officer, IDA Resource Mobilization, Development Finance) (**Plenary 1 – Transformation of Korea and IDA as a Partner**); Joyce Msuya and Darren Dorkin (**Plenary 2 – World Bank Group – Korea Programs and Projects**); Hayoung Lee (Representative, Korea, International Finance Corporation [IFC]) and Junglim Hahm (Representative, Korea, MIGA) (**Plenary 3 – Investing in Emerging Markets: Tri-party Cooperation among Investors, Financiers and the Public Sector**); Deepak Bhatia (Lead e-Government Specialist, Transport & ICT) (**Thematic Session 1 - Information & Communications Technology – Closing the Gaps**); Marisela Montoliu Muñoz (Director, Urban, Rural & Social Development [GSURR]), Abhas Kumar Jha (Practice Manager, GSURR), Neeraj Prasad (Manager, Knowledge & Partnerships, Climate Change), Ellen Hamilton (Senior Urban Specialist, GSURR), Steve Hammer (Senior Urban Specialist, GSURR), Hyoung Gun Wang (Senior Economist, GSURR), and Eun Joo Allison Yi (Senior Operations Officer, Climate Change) (**Thematic Session 2 - Urban & Climate Change**); Steffen Janus (Senior Operations Officer, LLI), Sheila Jagannathan (Lead Learning Specialist, LLI), and Adarsh Desai (Program Manager, Innovation, LLI) (**Theme 3 – Leadership, Learning & Innovation – Accelerators of Development**); Smita Kuriakose (Senior Economist, Trade & Competitiveness) (**Theme 4 – Fostering Competitiveness: The role of Innovation to increase firm level productivity and integrating SMEs into Global Value Chains**); Francois Olivier Bergere (Program Manager, Public-Private Partnerships [PPP]), Youngsob Yoo (Deputy Director, PPP Policy Division, MOSF), and Rui Monteiro (Senior Public Private Partnerships Specialist, PPP) (**Theme 5 – Public-Private Partnerships (PPP) – Using the Korean Effective PPP Program Implementation to Improve Governance in Other Countries**); and Sameer Goyal (Senior Financial Sector Specialist, Finance & Markets), Jung-In Youn (Consultant, Finance & Markets), and Jiyoung Song (Operations Analyst, Finance & Markets) (**Theme 6 – Financial Systems for Sustainable Growth**).

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