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**THE EVOLUTION OF EAST ASIAN REGIONALISM:  
IDEAS, INTERESTS, AND DOMESTIC INSTITUTIONS**

Friday, December 19, 2008  
215 Moses Hall  
University of California, Berkeley

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**Thursday, December 18, 2008**

6:30 pm      *Dinner for Arriving Participants*  
Henry's (at the Hotel Durant), 2600 Durant Avenue, Berkeley, 510-845-8981

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9:30-10:00      *Breakfast*

10:00-10:10      *Welcome and Introductory Remarks*  
Vinod K. Aggarwal, UC Berkeley and Seungjoo Lee, Chung-Ang University

10:10-10:40      *East Asian International Economic Governance Strategies:  
The Role of Interests, Ideas, and Domestic Institutions*  
Vinod Aggarwal, UC Berkeley and Seungjoo Lee, Chung-Ang University

10:40-11:00      *Discussant and Open Discussion*  
Kenji Kushida, UC Berkeley

11:00-11:30      *The Domestic Politics of China's Asian Regionalism Policy*  
Ming Wan, George Mason University

11:30-11:50      *Discussant and Open Discussion*  
Sara Newland, UC Berkeley

11:50-12:10      *Coffee Break*

- 12:10-12:40     *South Korea's Dynamics of Regionalism: Hegemon, Ideas, and Domestic Institutions*  
Sang-young Rhyu, Yonsei University
- 12:40-1:00     *Discussant and Open Discussion*  
Seo-Hyun Park, Cornell University and Stanford University
- 1:00-2:00     *Catered Lunch*
- 2:00-2:30     *The United States and Asian Regionalism: The Politics of Reactive Leadership*  
Amy Searight, Stonebridge International and Center for Strategic and International  
Studies (CSIS)
- 2:30-2:50     *Discussant and Open Discussion*  
Kristi Govella, UC Berkeley
- 2:50-3:10     *Coffee Break*
- 3:10-3:40     *The Politics of Singapore's Bilateral Free Trade Agreements:  
Enlightened Self-interest to Promote East Asian Regionalism?*  
Lee Lai To, National University of Singapore
- 3:40-4:00     *Discussant and Open Discussion*  
Darren Zook, UC Berkeley
- 4:00-5:00     *Conclusion and Wrap-Up*  
Vinod K. Aggarwal, UC Berkeley and Seungjoo Lee, Chung-Ang University
- 6:00-8:30     *Concluding Dinner*  
Berkeley Thai House, 2511 Channing Way, 510-843-7352

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