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Corruption Control Before and After Democratization: A Comparative Study of Taiwan and South Korea

Speaker: Mr. Christopher Carothers,
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Date: Wednesday, July 25, 2018

Time: 11:30 – 13:00

Venue: 5F, M532, College of Management, Shih Hsin University,
No.111, Sec. 1, Muzha Rd., Wenshan Dist., Taipei City

Moderator: Dr. Hsin-Chung Liao (廖興中博士), Associate Professor, Department of
Public Policy and Management, Shih Hsin University

Discussants: 1. Dr. Hans Hangpu Tung (童涵浦博士), Assistant Professor, Department of
Political Science, National Taiwan University
2. Dr. Chelsea Chia-chen Chou (周嘉辰博士), Assistant Professor, Graduate
Institute of National Development, National Taiwan University

Co-Host: Department of Public Policy and Management, Shih Hsin University



Agenda:

- 11:30 – 11:40 Opening remarks by Dr. Hsin-Chung Liao
- 11:40 – 12:10 Presentation by Mr. Christopher Carothers
- 12:10 – 12:25 Comments by Dr. Hans Hangpu Tung
- 12:25 – 12:40 Comments by Dr. Chelsea Chia-chen Chou
- 12:40 – 13:00 Open discussion

※ Please note that this event will be conducted in English.

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This study analyzes and compares anti-corruption efforts in Taiwan and South Korea before, during, and after democratization. It has three main findings: First, corruption control was much more successful in authoritarian Taiwan than in authoritarian South Korea. Second, the initial effects of democratization on corruption were ambiguous, leading to rising corruption in Taiwan and no clear trend in South Korea. And third, over time, democratic institutions have successfully reduced corruption in both Taiwan and South Korea, though trouble areas and challenges remain. These findings have various implications for our understanding of authoritarian politics, the effects of democracy on corruption, and the political and economic trajectories of these two East Asian nations.

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Please RSVP by Monday, July 23, 2018

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