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THE EAST-WEST CENTER was established by the United States Congress in 1960 to “promote better relations and understanding between the United States and the nations of Asia and the Pacific through cooperative study, education, and research.” To support this mission, the Center’s programs focus around a specific institutional goal—to assist in creating an Asia Pacific community. Research, dialogue, educational activities, and public outreach incorporate both the Center’s mission and the programmatic focus of building an Asia Pacific community.

The Center works to strengthen relations in the region and serves as a national and regional resource for information and analysis on Asia and the Pacific. It provides a meeting ground where people with a wide range of perspectives exchange views on topics of regional concern. Center staff members work with collaborating institutions and specialists from throughout the region. Since its founding more than 50,000 people have participated in Center programs. Many of these participants now occupy key positions in government, business, journalism, and education in the region.

Officially known as the Center for Cultural and Technical Interchange Between East and West, the East-West Center is a public, nonprofit national and regional research and education institution with an international board of governors. Funding comes from the U.S. government in addition to support provided by private agencies, individuals and corporations, and a number of Asian and Pacific governments.

Located in Honolulu, three miles from Waikiki and adjacent to the University of Hawai‘i, the Center’s 21-acre campus includes conference facilities, a research and administration office building, and three residential halls.

**Dedicated to the memory of John Williams,
East-West Center public information officer, faithful and good-
humored editor of the EWC annual report for many years.**



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2003: A Year of Significant Growth and Change

By

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The year 2003 was a year of significant growth and change for the East-West Center. An extremely active year, the Center held several high-profile events and maintained a heavy schedule of innovative programs. The East-West Center community has worked very hard on these endeavors and can be proud of the collective accomplishments in this period.

Since 1998, the Center has embarked on a series of initiatives designed to reorient our activities toward the overarching objective of supporting the growth of an Asia Pacific regional community. These various undertakings, in each of the Center's program areas (education, research, and seminars) as well as in public outreach and external support, have begun to bear substantial fruit.

The year 2003 saw a number of milestone events. These included organizing and hosting a unique summit between

Pacific Island leaders and President George W. Bush and the establishment in Washington of the United States Asia Pacific Council. Student scholarship numbers climbed, and the Center received more new students in the fall of 2003 than at any time in 30 years. There was a significant transition in the Center's governing structure as eight new Board members were appointed or elected during the year, and Roland Lagareta succeeded George R. Ariyoshi as chair. In an internal innovation, a new Asia Pacific Center for Journalists was established to provide a central point of contact and access for the Center's programs and services for the media. These developments are discussed in the highlights section that follows.

In addition to the many other new and ongoing activities described in this report, in 2003 the Center launched two broad initiatives in areas that are critical to both the present success and the future evolution



Roland Lagareta, chair, EWC Board of Governors (left), and Charles E. Morrison, EWC president.

of the Asia Pacific nations and community. These deal, respectively, with Islam in Asia and with education policy. The Center is seeking financial support to enable both initiatives to be sustained and expand their program activities over the next several years.

The purpose of the Islamic Initiative is to increase Muslim participation in East-West Center programs. Over the Center's 43 years, it has had many Muslim participants; in fact, the very first East-West Center degree student participant was a Muslim from Pakistan, the late Abdul Q. Zia. The new initiative builds on this experience to increase Asian Muslim participation in Center programs and also to address key issues for the Asian Muslim world through the Center's educational, research, and exchange activities. An additional objective is to increase American understanding of Asian Muslim societies. Initial activities in 2003 with limited funding included several

fellowships for Asian scholars working on Islamic issues, enabling additional Muslim participants to join regular Center seminar programs. Additionally, a new journalism seminar for U.S. and Asian journalists addressed differences in perception between Asian Islamic communities and the West. Future plans include more seminars as well as research activities focused on issues in contemporary Asian Islam.

The Education Initiative recognizes the growing importance of education policy in the region in an era of high technology, globalization, and increasing social interdependence. Despite substantial expansion in investment in education throughout the region, there is a growing recognition in the Asia Pacific region (as in the United States) that new educational systems and approaches are needed to respond to and shape the new environment and maximize both personal and community potential. In 2003 the Center organized a small

core group of specialists to identify key challenges to educational systems in the region and innovative approaches to learning and community building. Two preliminary workshops with international participation have begun this exploration, which will continue and, it is hoped, will lead to the development of new models and pilot programs. The initiative will also bring creative individuals from a range of fields, not only education, to the Center to think and write about the future of education for the region and contribute to other Center programs (such as the Asia Pacific Leadership Program) that focus on visioning the future.

Through such timely initiatives, as well as our many other established and evolving programs, the East-West Center will continue to contribute to the emergence of an Asia Pacific regional community and to the strengthening of the United States' relationships and roles within this community.

Pacific Leaders Convene at East-West Center, Meet with President Bush

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Among those attending the 7th Pacific Islands Conference of Leaders were:

(Front row, from left) Joseph Urusemal, president of the Federated States of Micronesia; Felix P. Camacho, governor of Guam; James R. "Duke" Aiona, Jr., lieutenant governor of the State of Hawai'i; Kessai H. Note, president of the Marshall Islands; Prince 'Ulukalala Lavaka Ata, prime minister of Tonga; Sir Allan Kemakeza, prime minister of the Solomon Islands; M. Young Vivian, president of Niue; Tommy E. Remengesau, Jr., president of Palau.

(Back row, from left) Sitiveni Halapua, director of the Pacific Islands Development Program, East-West Center; Sir Rabbie Namaliu, minister of Foreign Affairs and Immigration, Papua New Guinea; Aitofele Sunia, lieutenant governor of American Samoa; Leopold Joredie, minister of Education and Society Matters, New Caledonia; Tuala Sale Tagaloa, cabinet minister, Samoa; Kaliopate Tavola, minister for Foreign Affairs and External Trade, Fiji; Charles E. Morrison, president of the East-West Center.

(Not pictured) Juan N. Babauta, governor of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.



Charles E. Morrison greets President George W. Bush at the EWC conference of Pacific leaders.

An important contribution to forging stronger and closer relationships between the United States and Pacific Island nations was a private meeting in October between President George W. Bush and 13 Pacific Island leaders.

President Bush stopped in Hawai'i while returning to Washington from a trip to Asia. At the same time, the Island leaders were attending the 7th Pacific Islands Conference of Leaders, an organization for which the East-West Center's Pacific Islands Development Program serves as secretariat. Hawai'i Governor Linda Lingle arranged the meeting between the leaders and President Bush.

The theme of the Island leaders' conference was "Enhancing Unity and Dignity: Fighting for a Common Security." Security was the main topic discussed with the president, who told leaders the United States would share intelligence with the

Pacific nations to help them meet their own security needs. The conference chair, His Royal Highness Prince 'Ulukalala Lavaka Ata, prime minister of the Kingdom of Tonga, said the leaders also talked with the president about the environment, coral reefs, the rising sea level, economic security, and education for young Pacific Islanders.

The leaders emphasized the need to bring the region's infrastructure up to new international standards and the desire to expand education and training opportunities, including those provided through the East-West Center and the U.S. Department of State's South Pacific Scholarship Program. Leaders also expressed hope that the region would be able to make use of U.S.-supported programs for HIV/AIDS, foreign assistance through the Millennium Challenge Account, and continued scientific research to protect the environment and prevent sea-level rise.

The last meeting between a U.S. president and Pacific

Island leaders occurred in 1990, with then President George Bush, Sr. That meeting was also hosted by the East-West Center.

East-West Center president Charles E. Morrison noted, "This meeting was really a statement by a U.S. president about his interest in the region. He wanted to know what the United States can do better."

The President was accompanied by Andrew Card, White House chief of staff; Condoleeza Rice, national security adviser; and James Kelly, assistant secretary for East Asian and Pacific Affairs. Admiral Thomas Fargo, commander of the U.S. Pacific Command, also participated in the meeting.



Prince 'Ulukalala Lavaka Ata, prime minister of Tonga, is Conference chair.

East-West Center Washington Expands Activity as United States Asia Pacific Council Created

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Secretary of State
Colin Powell addresses
the United States
Asia Pacific Council
in Washington, D.C.

Former U.S. Ambassador to China and Indonesia Stapleton Roy (right) was confirmed as chair of the United States Asia Pacific Council.



A new American institution supporting U.S. relations with the Asia Pacific region, the United States Asia Pacific Council (USAPC), was launched at East-West Center Washington in April 2003. Speaking at the inaugural symposium in Washington, D.C., Secretary of State Colin Powell enthusiastically endorsed the Council, saying that the United States will use all the diplomatic, political, and economic tools it can to cement friendships in Asia.

“Strong partnerships between the United States and our allies and friends in the Asia Pacific region have been and remain the pillars of security and prosperity in the region,” Powell said. “And in this global age, they are also becoming critically important for the world beyond the Asia Pacific community, a world which depends on the stability and growth that together we can generate.”

The East-West Center established the USAPC with support from the U.S. Department of State. Comprising American corporations and citizens that have made outstanding contributions to the advancement of the United States’ relationship with Asia Pacific nations, the USAPC is a nonpartisan vehicle through which its members enhance the United States’ engagement with the region. It is broadly representative of U.S. business, policy, and academia and brings together under a single umbrella two existing networks: the U.S. committees of the Pacific Economic Cooperation Council and the Pacific Basin Economic Council.

Robert Zoellick, the U.S. trade representative, also gave a keynote address at the April symposium, which was attended by U.S. and Asian business and academic leaders, as well as diplomats.

George Shultz, former U.S. secretary of state, is the Council’s honorary chair, and Stapleton Roy, former U.S. ambassador to China and Indonesia, is chair. An executive committee provides guidance for the Council’s activities.

In his remarks, Secretary Powell noted “it is a testament to the importance of the Council’s mission that it has been able to assemble such a stellar group of leaders from industry, academia, the media, and government.”

EWC Student Numbers Double in Five Years to Meet Region’s Education Needs

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Almost 300 students participated in the inaugural East-West Center Model United Nations program.

The number of students with scholarships at the East-West Center (EWC) has reached nearly 360, more than double that of five years ago. New and innovative programs, increased private funding, and cost sharing by students have led to the growth.

One hundred thirty-two new students arrived at the EWC in late spring and summer to begin programs for the 2003–2004 school year, the largest number of new arrivals since 1972. The Center now supports 11 scholarship programs in addition to its own graduate degree fellowships. Students come from 31 Asian and Pacific Island nations plus the United States.

The newest program, the Ford Foundation International Fellowships Program, targets students from marginalized populations around the world. The Center worked with the

Ford Foundation to develop an experimental model that provided intensive English language instruction at the University of Hawai'i at Manoa. Along with special academic advising from East-West Center staff, this program enables students to meet requirements to enter degree study. Initially 22 students from Vietnam, Indonesia, and China were brought into this program, with an additional 30–35 projected to arrive in 2004.

In November 2003 most of the new Center students participated in the inaugural East-West Center Model United Nations program. The program was cosponsored with Austin College in Texas. One hundred fifty students from Texas and Kansas institutions joined 100 students from the East-West Center and 20 students from other institutions in Hawai'i. Through their research, as individuals and in paired teams, students learned about global

organizations, the countries they represented, and critical national, regional, and global issues such as war and peace, conflict resolution, human rights, economic development, the environment, and the threats of terrorism and infectious disease.

In addition to its own students, in the fall of 2003 the East-West Center welcomed students from the Hopkins-Nanjing Center for Chinese and American Studies who conducted a semester of their program at the EWC (see page 29).



Students from throughout the Asia Pacific region and the United States gather informally to exchange ideas.

New Members Add Range of Experience to Board of Governors; Lagareta Elected Chair

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(Front row, from left) Charles E. Morrison, EWC president; Patricia S. Harrison, assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. State Department; Roland Lagareta, chair, EWC Board of Governors.

(Middle row, from left) Lyn Flanigan Anzai; Miriam Hellreich; Eddie Flores, Jr.; Patricia F. Saiki; Puongpun Sananikone.

(Back row, from left) Tai-Young Lee; Richard Collins; Joan M. Bickson; Daniel Berman, EWC Association president; Albert C. Chang.

New members of the EWC Board of Governors, led by Chair Roland Lagareta, and EWC staff participated in a planning workshop.



The East-West Center Board of Governors welcomed eight new members appointed to fill completed terms.

Four of the new members were appointed by U.S. Secretary of State Colin Powell:

- **Albert C. Chang**, president of Eastern Sea, Inc., in San Francisco and co-founder of the San Francisco Chinatown Merchants Association.
- **Tai-Young Lee**, president of PTC International, Inc., a Baltimore marketing firm, and former director of international business at the Lotte Group management office in Seoul.
- The late **William V. Roth, Jr.**, former U.S. senator and chair of the Senate Finance and Governmental Affairs committees. (Senator Roth passed away shortly after starting his term on the Board.)
- **Patricia F. Saiki**, former Hawai'i congresswoman and Small Business Administration administrator.

Four new members were appointed by Hawai'i Governor Linda Lingle:

- **Eddie Flores, Jr.**, president of L & L Drive-Inn.
- **Miriam Hellreich**, speech pathologist, Hawai'i Republican National Committeewoman, and member of the Republican National Committee Executive Committee.
- **Roland Lagareta**, of Morgan Stanley, and vice president of the Pacific and Asian Affairs Council.
- **Puongpun Sananikone**, president of PacMar, Inc., was named as Governor Lingle's designee on the Board.

At its November meeting, the Board of Governors elected Lagareta as chair and Hellreich as vice chair. Saiki was elected chair of the Board's Executive Committee.

The EWC Board includes five members appointed by the U.S. secretary of state and five appointed by the governor of Hawai'i. Five additional members, from Asian and Pacific countries, are elected by the board itself. Ex-officio members are the governor of Hawai'i, the assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural Affairs in the U.S. Department of State, and the president of the University of Hawai'i.

Asia Pacific Center for Journalists



Asia Pacific journalists participating in the Jefferson Fellowship program visited several U.S. cities, including Omaha, Nebraska.

U.S. journalists had the opportunity to meet with then Prime Minister Mahathir Mohamad of Malaysia.



Recognizing the important role journalists play in conveying information about the region, the Asia Pacific Center for Journalists (APCJ) was established last year to unite the East-West Center's numerous media services and study-travel opportunities in a single location. The APCJ serves as a resource hub for journalists and strengthens the EWC's reputation as a timely and diverse source of news, background, commentary, and analysis.

In the past year, news organizations citing or using opinion pieces by EWC experts or participating in EWC journalism fellowships included: Associated

Press, Reuters, *New York Times*, CNN, Gannett News Service, Agence France Presse, United Press International, Xinhua News Agency, National Public Radio, *Wall Street Journal*, CNBC, *International Herald Tribune*, *South China Morning Post*, *Philippines Business World*, *Dow Jones Business News*, *Straits Times* (Singapore), *Korea Herald*, *Jakarta Post*, *New Zealand Herald*, *Asia Today*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *Miami Herald*, *Washington Times*, *The Hindu*, *Honolulu Advertiser*, and *Mainichi Daily News*.

The APCJ provides:

- Information about the East-West Center's seminars and study tours for journalists.
- Easy access to the East-West Center's extensive resources.
- Timely information, interviews, background, and analysis of regional issues for both deadline and non-breaking news stories.

East-West Center media services include:

■ **East-West Wire** (www.eastwestcenter.org/events-en.asp): An online news service based on timely and topical EWC research, commentary, analysis, publications, programs, and visiting speakers.

■ **Pacific Islands Report** (pireport.org): A website providing an extensive daily digest of news, information, commentary and analysis on the Pacific Islands. Considered the definitive source of news in the Pacific region.

■ **Specialists on the Asia Pacific Region: A Guide for Journalists 2004**: A reference book listing East-West Center experts, their backgrounds and expertise, and direct contact information.

The APCJ website provides links to all EWC media programs and services at www.eastwestcenter.org/journalists.



Journalists posing at the Great Wall in China.

Extreme climate events are the focus of region-wide research coordinated by the EWC.



Erik Kiaergaard

RESEARCH

- *Nancy Davis Lewis is director of the EWC Research Program.*

The East-West Center's Research Program brings Asian, Pacific Island, and American expertise to bear on significant issues of regional concern. Multinational and collaborative in nature, EWC research focuses on the public policy dimensions of four broad issue areas: politics, governance, and security; economics; environmental change, vulnerability, and governance; and population and health.

Highlights of 2003 activities and milestones in selected research projects follow:

GLOBAL CLIMATE ISSUES

Eileen Shea, EWC Climate Project coordinator, received a three-year \$535,487 grant from the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) to establish a Pacific Islands Regional Integrated Science and Assessment Program. This EWC-coordinated regional effort is designed to reduce the vulnerability of Pacific Island nations to extreme climate events such as droughts, floods, and cyclones. Shea also received a one-year \$414,000 grant from NOAA for a study that will help guide the emergence of an operational climate forecasting service for U.S.-affiliated Pacific Islands.

With colleagues from the University of the South Pacific and the National Institute for Water and Atmospheric Research in New Zealand, Shea developed a proposal for establishing a Pacific Islands Training Institute for Climate and Extreme Events. The project is funded by the Asia-Pacific Network for Global Climate Change Research and NOAA.

Research Program Fellow ZhongXiang Zhang coordinated an international conference on "Climate Policy after Marrakech: Towards Global Participation," bringing together senior government officials and policy analysts to share views on recent developments in climate policies and initiatives around the globe. Conference sponsors were the Dutch and Japanese Ministries of the Environment, the Industrial Technology Research Institute of Taiwan, and the Institute for Global Environmental Strategies of Japan.

Zhang joined 23 colleagues from the Circle of Climate Gurus to assess the adequacy of the world's efforts on climate change as part of the Global Governance Initiative launched by the World Economic Forum.



EWC research addresses family, youth, demographic, and health issues.

YOUNG ADULTS IN JAPAN

A three-year study on changing life patterns of young adults in Japan was initiated under a \$627,000 grant from the National Institutes of Health. The research team is headed by EWC Senior Fellow Minja Kim Choe and her colleagues Ronald R. Rindfuss of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Larry L. Bumpass of the University of Wisconsin, and Noriko O. Tsuya of Keio University.

The project is examining changes in marriage, fertility, relationships with parents, education, and work in Japan. The primary source of data is the 2000 National Survey on Family and Economic Conditions, designed by the research team, which contains the first multi-domain life history data ever collected on a national scale in Japan. The team produced a manuscript on “Social Networks and Family Change in Japan.”

YOUTH HEALTH ISSUES IN VIETNAM

A new national survey on youth health issues in Vietnam, conducted in 2003, was supported by UNICEF and the World Health Organization, and involved cooperation among the Ministry of Health of Vietnam, the Women’s Union, the Youth Union, and the East-West Center. The survey, drawn from a sample of 449 localities, explored knowledge and attitudes of young men and women regarding risky behaviors such as smoking, drinking, drug use, and unprotected sex and their own experience of such risk-taking.

The survey’s new evidence on HIV/AIDS awareness, correct and false understandings of the modes of transmission of HIV, and the social pattern of the most risky behaviors will be the basis for a new youth reproductive health policy for Vietnam that is being developed by the Ministry of Health. Six additional national surveys have been completed thus far, and analysis comparing Hong Kong, the Philippines, Taiwan, Thailand, Indonesia, and Nepal is continuing.

HIV/AIDS

Senior Fellow Tim Brown and his EWC Research Program colleagues continue to develop software to help policy makers in Asia address the HIV/AIDS crisis. Research on this second generation software is supported by a \$110,000 grant from the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS). Brown demonstrated the software to a global UNAIDS reference group and organized working groups to develop guidelines for responding to the epidemic. He also briefed World Bank and U.S. Department of State officials on the continuing spread of HIV/AIDS in Asia and on using the modeling software in policy analysis and advocacy work.

Brown and EWC Senior Fellow Jiajian Chen are designing a major project to document HIV/AIDS in China. More than one million people have been infected with HIV in China and the epidemic is still spreading—from intravenous drug users, where it was previously confined, to the general population. Chen is working with colleagues at the National Population and Family Planning Commission of China on HIV/AIDS knowledge, attitudes, and practice.



Chris McNally discusses the impact of SARS with fellow researcher Jiajian Chen.

POLITICAL IMPACT OF SARS

East-West Center Fellow Christopher McNally analyzed the impact of severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS) on the Chinese political system, contributing op-ed pieces in several major newspapers in the region. In a *Washington Times* article, he noted how the Chinese leadership made an about turn from a cover-up strategy to encouraging open reporting about the outbreak throughout the country. He predicted the Chinese leadership would have to walk a tightrope: “Too much openness could stir social unrest and delegitimize the party-state. Too little openness could lead to widespread cynicism that could come back to haunt the leadership during the next crisis.”

Others at the Center, including Fellow Vinod Mishra and Research Program director Nancy Davis Lewis, analyzed the impact and implications of SARS for Hawai‘i and the region in various local, national, and international venues.

INDOOR AIR POLLUTION

Indoor air pollution from burning coal and biomass material for cooking and dwelling heating is a major source of ill health in many parts of the developing world. It ranks fourth, behind under-nutrition, unsafe sex, and unsafe water, sanitation, and hygiene. East-West Center Fellow Vinod Mishra and Senior Fellows Robert Retherford and Kirk Smith are conducting research on this type of indoor air pollution under a two-year grant from the National Institutes of Health.

Mishra’s research on health impacts found that children in homes using biomass fuels are more than twice as likely to suffer from acute respiratory infections as those living in homes using electricity, liquefied petroleum gas, or natural gas. Another study linked biomass fuel use to asthma prevalence in the elderly.

IMPACT OF LAND-USE CHANGE

A \$900,000 project on land change in Southeast Asia has been funded by NASA. The three-year project was developed by Senior Fellow Jefferson Fox and John Vogler, spatial information technology specialist, in collaboration with scholars from the Universities of Hawai‘i and Arizona and institutions in Southeast Asia. A project workshop in Chiang Mai, Thailand, included participants from Nepal, China, Vietnam, Philippines, Indonesia, and Laos. In addition, Fox, EWC colleague Vinod Mishra, and Ronald R. Rindfuss and Steven J. Walsh of the University of North Carolina edited the book *People and the Environment: Approaches for Linking Household and Community Surveys to Remote Sensing and GIS*.

Researchers, from left to right, Jefferson Fox (environment), Tianshu Chu (economics), and Arun Swamy (politics and security).





Members of the Indonesian Ad Hoc Human Rights Tribunal met in Honolulu. The program was organized by Adjunct Fellow David Cohen (2nd row, 3rd from left).

HUMAN RIGHTS TRAINING

Legal, criminal investigation, and forensic experts and members of other international criminal tribunals conducted a training program at the EWC for 10 members of the Indonesian Ad Hoc Human Rights Tribunal. The program was organized by Adjunct Fellow David Cohen, director of the Berkeley War Crimes Studies Center at the University of California. It included a study visit to the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia in The Hague. Program participants recommended that a seminar on international humanitarian law be developed for judges of the High Court and Supreme Court of Indonesia who will be involved in appeals in human rights cases.

INSTITUTIONAL CHANGE AND JAPAN'S ECONOMY

The economic outlook in Japan is beginning to turn around due to slow, persistent institutional reforms and industry restructuring. Senior Fellow Sumner La Croix and a team of scholars from around the globe are analyzing the successes and challenges of institutional reform in Japan as the nation tries to meet the

challenges of its long-term economic malaise. Members of the team met at the Center to complete the manuscript for a book, *Institutional Change in Japan: Why It Happens, Why It Doesn't*. Cosponsors of the project include the European Institute of Japanese Studies and the Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission.

GLOBAL PRODUCTION NETWORKS

The movement of jobs overseas is an increasingly controversial public policy issue in the United States and elsewhere. Senior Fellow Dieter Ernst is examining the evolution of the high-tech information technology sector in China, South Korea, Taiwan, and Singapore. The focus of his research is on semiconductors and chip design, digital consumer devices, and wireless communication systems—three fields in which firms from these economies have emerged as potential new sources of innovations and global standards. Ernst's work is shedding light on why chip and systems design in the international telecommunication industry is moving to Asia.



Meheroo Jussawalla Honored

Senior Fellow Emerita **MEHEROO JUSSAWALLA** was honored for her lifelong work in telecommunications and economics by the Pacific Telecommunications Council Hawai'i Foundation at its inaugural meeting in December.

Jussawalla's work has spanned research in information technology parks in Asia as part of bridging the "digital divide" between poor and wealthy nations; telecommunications trade between the United States and Japan; satellite orbital competition over the Pacific Ocean, and privatization of telecommunications monopolies in the Asia Pacific region.

The citation recognized "her lifetime of outstanding work in Hawai'i, Asia, and North America in research, teaching, and public service."

EWC Fellow Sheila Smith (2nd from left) organized a meeting in Honolulu on “The Domestic Politics of the U.S. Military Presence in the Asia Pacific” region.



Other East-West Center Research

POLITICS

- **The Domestic Politics of the U.S. Military Presence in the Asia Pacific**—case studies from Okinawa, Korea, the Philippines, and New Zealand.
- **Maritime Regime and Confidence Building**—issues and obstacles to implementing maritime cooperation.
- **Welfare Policies and Democratic Consolidating in Asia**—emerging patterns of electoral competition in new and established Asian democracies.
- **Natural Resources and Ethnic Conflict**—management of conflict under democratic conditions.

ECONOMICS

- **Rural Development and Poverty in Asia**
- **Benefits of Free Trade Agreements within the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)**—impact on economic reform, transparency, and corporate governance.
- **Asia Pacific Energy Outlook**—current and future developments, and policy imperatives.
- **The Rise of Private Business in China**—the implications of China’s rising political and economic power.
- **Energy and Economic Development in China**—the effect of China’s rising energy requirements.
- **Impact of Anti-Dumping Protection**—analysis of new trade protection measures directed against China.
- **Economic Integration of Taiwan and China.**
- **Intellectual Property Rights in East Asia**—newly established property regimes of smaller countries.

ENVIRONMENT

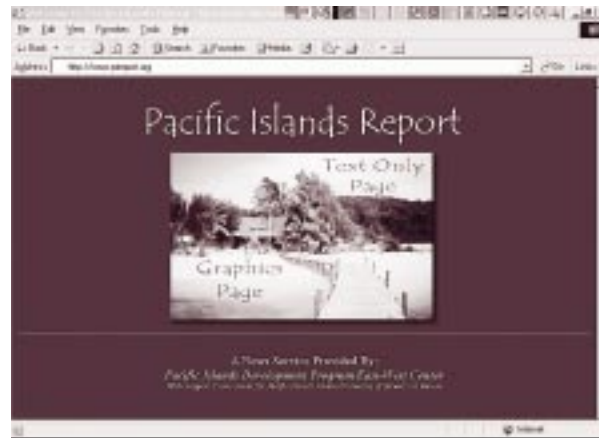
- **Meeting the Kyoto Targets: The Importance of Developing Country Participation**—the impact of China’s participation in combating global climate change.
- **Spatial Information Technology and Society**—the impact of new mapping technology on rural communities.

POPULATION/HEALTH

- **Macroeconomic Aspects of Intergenerational Transfers**—the effects of policy changes on pensions, health care, and education.
- **Population and Health Issues in China**—trends in disease, medical care, and social and behavioral risk factors.
- **Nuptial and Fertility Change in Japan**—understanding Japan’s low fertility rate.

For more information on EWC research, visit:

www.eastwestcenter.org/res-ov.asp



PACIFIC ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

- *Sitiveni Halapua is director of the EWC Pacific Islands Development Program.*

The mission of the Pacific Islands Development Program (PIDP) is to assist leaders of Pacific Island nations in advancing their collective efforts to achieve and sustain equitable social and economic development consistent with the goals of the region's people. PIDP began as a forum through which Island leaders could discuss critical issues of development with a wide spectrum of interested countries, donors, non-governmental organizations, and the private sector. PIDP's role has expanded to include a multi-faceted array of endeavors.

CONFLICT REDUCTION

PIDP is deeply engaged in an effort to apply the South Pacific conflict-resolution technique known as *talanoa* to bridge major political and social rifts that have plagued Fiji for nearly two decades. The *talanoa* dialogue process is addressing conflicting claims on issues of land, constitutional changes, and race relations in Fiji's multiracial society.

In an address to the joint sitting of Parliament in July, the President of the Republic of the Fiji Islands, the Honorable Ratu Josefa Iloivatu Uluivuda, acknowledged the progress in the *talanoa* dialogue between political leaders. He expressed appreciation to the East-West Center for facilitating the *talanoa* process,

adding that he trusts "this bipartisan consultation will develop solutions that are fair and equitable to all stakeholders, and which would best serve our collective interests as a nation."

In October, PIDP completed and submitted to Fiji Prime Minister Laisenia Qarase and Fiji Labour Party leader Mahendra Chaudhry reports on land issues, constitutional changes, and the elimination of all forms of racial discriminations, based on the work of the Talanoa Subcommittee in Fiji.

GLOBALIZATION AND GOVERNANCE

PIDP is working in partnership with Pacific nation leaders on policies and strategies to manage and cope with the impact of globalization. PIDP Deputy Director Gerard Finin initiated a collaborative research project, "Islands of Globalization," with funding from a Ford Foundation research grant. The project seeks to increase understanding of the origins, nature, and consequences of globalization in developing Island societies, comparing the Pacific and the Caribbean regions. In addition to academics, specialists in the arts, policy makers, and members of the general public will be involved in the project.

Research Fellow Tarcisius Tara Kabutaulaka is heading a collaborative research project on leadership and governance in Melanesia.



Director of the Pacific Islands Development Program Sitiveni Halapua and President Bush.

U.S./PACIFIC ISLANDS COMMERCE

The United States/Pacific Island Nations Joint Commercial Commission (JCC) maintains and expands the Pacific Islands Business Network's Internet database, and also provides individual business assistance and advice to companies, Pacific Island governments, and regional organizations.

In 2003, some 20 contacts sought assistance for a wide variety of activities. Among these were evaluation of a business plan for a taro growing and export operation; U.S. market data for coconut oil products; sourcing of products in the Pacific Islands; advice on crafting a mineral water marketing strategy; promotion of products on the Pacific Islands Business Network website; background investigations into potential investors from the United States; and U.S. imports, customs, tariff, duty, and quota information for a variety of Pacific Island products.

EXPANDING PACIFIC NATION STUDIES

To encourage new teaching strategies about the Pacific Islands region in American colleges and universities, PIDP hosted a five-week program for U.S. college faculty. "Re-Imagining Indigenous Cultures: The Pacific Islands" was supported by funding from the National Endowment for the Humanities and conducted in cooperation with the Center for Pacific Islands Studies at the University of Hawai'i. Headed by PIDP Senior Fellow Geoffrey White, the program brought together 25 faculty and staff from across the United States, Guam, Federated States of Micronesia, and American Samoa. It provided an introduction to the region for those new to the Pacific, as well as support for those already familiar with the region, with emphasis on recent developments in literature and film.

The South Pacific Islands Scholarship Program, funded by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, provided undergraduate and graduate scholarships to students from the Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Samoa, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu. (See page 27.)

PACIFIC ISLANDS REPORT

PIDP monitors developments affecting the governance, economies, and cultures of Micronesia, Polynesia, and Melanesia and provides a news roundup on the Internet Monday through Friday. The *Pacific Islands Report (PIR)* carries the top 20 daily stories about the region, editorials from regional news media, commentary by respected observers, analyses of current issues, feature stories, and background information. This news service fills a unique niche because of the fragmented nature of news sources in the region. PIR is updated daily and is widely regarded as the best single source of regional Pacific news. Individual stories are posted with the permission of more than two dozen cooperating news media in the region.

MEETING OF U.S. PRESIDENT AND PACIFIC LEADERS

A significant event of 2003 was the Pacific Island leaders' dialogue with the president of the United States. (See Highlights on page 4.)

For more information on PIDP, visit: www.eastwestcenter.org/pidp-ab.asp

The Pacific Islands Report is at: pireport.org

The Pacific Island Business Network website is at: www.eastwestcenter.org/pidp-bn.asp

The U.S./Pacific Islands Joint Commercial Commission website is at: www.eastwestcenter.org/pidp-jc.asp

East-West Center Washington Director Muthiah Alagappa (left) with Assistant Secretary of State for East Asia and Pacific Affairs James A. Kelly (center) and Hawai'i Lieutenant Governor James R. "Duke" Aiona in Washington.



EAST-WEST CENTER WASHINGTON

- *Muthiah Alagappa is director of East-West Center Washington.*

Conflict resolution in Asia and other critical regional issues in Asia Pacific U.S. relations are the focus of programs of East-West Center Washington (EWCW), which saw considerable growth in new initiatives in its second year. The office furthers the Center's mission through collaborative research projects, study groups, seminars, speaker's forums, and publications.

In 2003, East-West Center Washington launched the United States Asia Pacific Council, Asian Security Forum, Southeast Asia Fellowship Program, and the inaugural publication of the Policy Studies Series. New initiatives and existing EWCW research and outreach programs include the Management of Internal Conflicts in Asia project and Congressional Study Groups and relate to conflict management in Asia and promotion of American understanding of and engagement in Asia Pacific affairs.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

The second round of meetings in the Management of Internal Conflicts in Asia project was convened in 2003. Papers from the study groups are being published in the Policy Studies series.

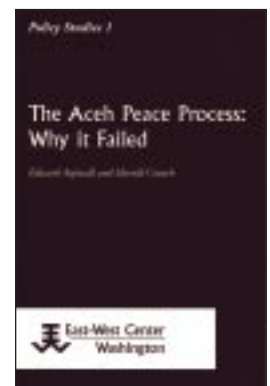
- The Aceh and Papua study groups met in Bali June 15–18, followed by a public forum cosponsored by the Centre for Strategic and International Studies Jakarta and discussions with Indonesian officials in Jakarta.

- The Southern Philippines study group met June 22–24 in Manila, where a public forum cosponsored by the Asian Institute of Management Policy Center and meetings with senior Philippine officials were also conducted.

- The Tibet and Xinjiang study groups met in Honolulu August 21–22.

PUBLICATIONS

Policy Studies Series. *The Aceh Peace Process: Why it Failed*, by Edward Aspinall and Harold Crouch, is the first publication in this series. Subsequent papers from the EWCW's Project on Internal Conflicts include *The Free Aceh Movement (GAM): Anatomy of a Separatist Organization* by Kirsten E. Schulze; *Security Operations in Aceh: Goals, Consequences, and Lessons* by Rizal Sukma; and *Beijing's Tibet Policy: Securing Sovereignty and Legitimacy* by Allen Carlson. These and other forward-thinking, article-length studies culled from other EWCW programs will appear with increasing frequency.



U.S. Trade Representative Robert Zoellick speaks at the inaugural meeting of the United States Asia Pacific Council.



Asian Security Monograph Series.

The editorial board of the Asian Security Monograph Series accepted six proposals and manuscripts in 2003, bringing the total to 14 manuscripts. The Stanford University Press (SUP) has accepted two titles for publication: *Rethinking Security in East Asia: Identity, Power, and Efficiency*, edited by Allen Carlson, Peter Katzenstein, and J.J. Suh, and *Unifying China, Integrating with the World: Securing Chinese Sovereignty in the Reform Era*, by Allen Carlson. SUP also is reviewing *Minimum Deterrence and India's Nuclear Strategy, Rising to the Challenge: China's Grand Strategy and International Security*, and *A World of Their Making: Nongovernmental Discourse and Statecraft on Asia Pacific Security*.

New Book from Civil Society and Political Change in Asia Project.

Civil Society & Political Change in Asia: Expanding and Contracting Democratic Space, edited by Muthiah Alagappa, director of EWCW, was accepted for publication by the Stanford University Press.

FORUMS & FELLOWSHIPS

Asian Security Forum. Launched on April 18, 2003, the Asian Security Forum brings together a select group of experts from policy, academia, diplomacy, and research for interaction and examination of key Asian security issues. The highly successful inaugural meeting featured Christopher La Fleur, the U.S. Department of State's special envoy for Northeast Asia security consultations, who led a discussion titled "America's Alliances in Asia: Preparing for a New Century." An October meeting featured Admiral Dennis Blair, USN (Ret.), former commander of the U.S. Pacific Command. Given the sustained interest of the participants, the Asia Security Forum is looking to increase the frequency of its meetings and has top-level speakers prepared to speak at future Forum events.

Southeast Asia Fellowship

Program. Also introduced in 2003 was the Southeast Asia Fellowship Program. Funded by a grant from the Henry Luce Foundation, the program will bring three young scholars from Southeast Asia to Washington annually to research and write on conflict management in the region. The first three fellows are expected to take up residence in Washington in the fall of 2004 after two to three months of field research.

PROMOTING AMERICAN ENGAGEMENT IN ASIA PACIFIC

United States Asia Pacific Council.

The Council was launched with an international symposium in April, anchored by addresses by Secretary of State Colin L. Powell and U.S. Trade Representative Robert B. Zoellick. The Council confirmed former



East-West Center Washington conducts regular Congressional Study Groups.



(Left to right) James A. Kelly, U.S. assistant secretary of state for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Hawai'i Lt. Governor James "Duke" Aiona; EWC Board member Miriam Hellreich; Patricia S. Harrison, U.S. assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural Affairs; and Lauren Moriarty, U.S. ambassador to APEC, at an EWC Washington briefing.

Secretary of State George Schultz as its honorary chairman and former U.S. ambassador to China and Indonesia Stapleton Roy as its chair. (For additional information on the Council, see page 6.)

- *Mark Borthwick is the executive director of the United States Asia Pacific Council.*

Congressional Study Groups.

East-West Center Washington's two Congressional Study Groups (CSGs) on Asian Security and the Pacific Islands continued to provide important venues for the dissemination of new research and discussion of U.S.-Asia Pacific relations on Capitol Hill. Meetings regularly draw between 25 and 30 staffers from both Senate and House personal and committee offices. Expanding upon the successes of its first year, the CSG on Asian Security convened sessions on "The National Security Strategy of the Bush Administration and its Implications for U.S.-Asia Relations," "The U.S.-R.O.K. Alliance: Challenges & Issues," "India-Pakistan Relations: The U.S. Role," "North Korea: Is Crisis Inevitable?" and "The State of the War on Terror in Southeast Asia." The CSG on Pacific Islands addressed regional topics including "Compacts of Free Association with the Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of the Marshall Islands."

Hosting East-West Center Programs.

- Asia Pacific Leadership Program participants visited Washington in January for a program that included the International Monetary Fund, United Nations Development Programme, the Heritage Foundation, and other institutions.
- The Spring 2003 Jefferson Fellowship journalists from Asia spent a week in Washington meeting with Congressional staffers, Islamic scholars at Georgetown University, State Department officials, and other experts in policy, media, and government.
- The Jhamandas Watumull Fellows presented their papers on Indian industry at the EWCW in June.
- A briefing and reception for Lieutenant Governor James R. Aiona of Hawai'i and new EWC Board of Governors member Miriam Hellreich were held in July. Joining the honorees were Patricia S. Harrison, U.S. assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural

Affairs and an ex-officio member of the EWC Board of Governors; James A. Kelly, U.S. assistant secretary of state for the Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Lauren Moriarty, U.S. ambassador to the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation; and others from the Washington area interested in East-West Center programs.

- The Fall Jefferson Fellows met in October with Hawai'i Congressman Ed Case; Singapore Ambassador to the UN Chan Heng Chee; George Perkovich, vice president for studies at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace; Victor Cha, associate professor of government at Georgetown University; and other distinguished scholars and officials.
- The Japan-U.S. Journalists' Exchange participants visited Washington in November. They met with Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for East Asian and Pacific Affairs Donald Keyser and visited the Pew Research Center for the People and the Press, the American Enterprise Institute, and the Washington Foreign Press Center.



PUBLICATIONS

- *Elisa W. Johnston is Publications manager.*

East-West Center analysis and research findings are disseminated through works published by the Center itself, in collaboration with other presses, and through other publishers. Works include books, reports for specialists, and policy analyses for broader audiences. Many works published by the East-West Center are available free on the Center's website, www.eastwestcenter.org/publications.

Highlights of 2003 publications are listed below. Additional titles are listed on page 48.

Beyond Bilateralism: The U.S.-Japan Relationship in the New Asia-Pacific, edited by Ellis Krauss and T. J. Pempel. Contemporary Issues in Asia and the Pacific. Stanford: Stanford University Press. 448 pp. Available at www.sup.org.

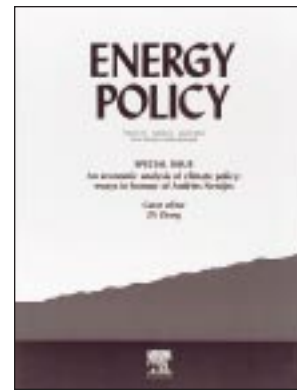
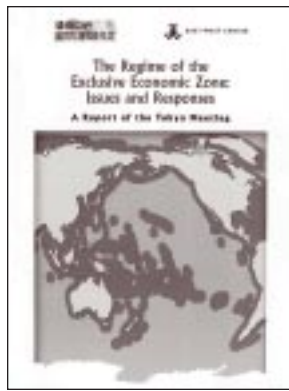
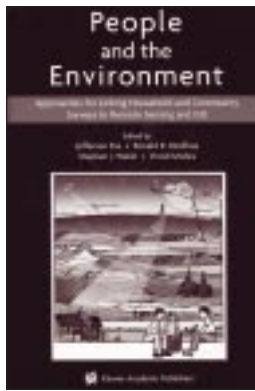
This is the sixth title in the East-West Center book series Contemporary Issues in Asia and the Pacific, published by Stanford University Press. The book analyzes how, and to what extent, crucial global and regional security, finance, and trade transformations have altered the U.S.-Japan relationship and how that bilateral relationship has in turn influenced those global and regional trends.

Asia Pacific Security Outlook 2003, edited by Charles E. Morrison. Tokyo: Japan Center for International Exchange, 2003. Paper. Available at bookstore.brookings.edu.

The seventh edition of an annual series, the book covers the changing security environment, defense issues, and contributions to regional and global security for most of the member-countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) Regional Forum. It is an inside view, written by a team drawn from 19 nations, either within the region or having significant security interests in it.

Asian Oil Market Outlook: Role of the Key Players, by Jeffrey Brown and Kang Wu. *AsiaPacific Issues*, No. 70. Honolulu: East-West Center, October 2003. 11 pp.

The Asia Pacific region's dynamic oil market is marked by strong growth in consumption, declining regional oil production, and over capacity in its highly competitive oil-refining sector. Its key players are China, India, Indonesia, Japan, and South Korea, a group that includes the region's five top consumers and three of its major producers. Developments in these countries will have commercial and strategic implications for the whole region.



People and the Environment: Approaches for Linking Household and Community Surveys to Remote Sensing and GIS, edited by Jefferson Fox, Ronald R. Rindfuss, Stephen J. Walsh, and Vinod Mishra. Boston: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2003. Cloth. 344 pp. Available at www.wkap.nl.

Changes in global land cover and land use are occurring at unprecedented rates and spatial extent, and these changes impact biodiversity, global warming, and human livelihoods. Studying the effects of human activities on land-use/cover change involves joining social science data with remotely sensed and other spatial data.

The Regime of the Exclusive Economic Zone: Issues and Responses, by Mark J. Valencia. Honolulu: East-West Center, August 2003. 93 pp.

A report on discussions held at the Tokyo Meeting, a gathering of senior officials and analysts from countries of the Asia Pacific region cosponsored by the Institute for Ocean Policy, Ship and Ocean Foundation and the East-West Center. The meeting facilitated unofficial, frank, and not-for-personal-attribution discussions of issues concerning military and intelligence gathering activities in exclusive economic zones.

Caring for the Elderly and Holding Down a Job: How Are Women Coping in Japan? by Naohiro Ogawa, Robert D. Retherford, and Yasuhiko Saito. *Asia-Pacific Population & Policy*, No. 65. Honolulu: East-West Center, April 2003. 4 pp.

More than half of Japanese women who live with an elderly parent or parent-in-law are employed outside the home. Even in households where the elderly family member is very old or seriously disabled, large proportions of women continue to hold down full- or part-time jobs. These findings should be reassuring to Japanese policymakers who would prefer that middle-aged women remain in the labor force while continuing to care for elderly family members at home.

An Economic Analysis of Climate Policy: Essays in Honour of Andries Nentjes, edited by ZhongXiang Zhang. A special issue of *Energy Policy* 32, No. 4 (March 2004): 443-581. 99 pp. Available at www.sciencedirect.com/science.

In this special issue of *Energy Policy*, analysts at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Stanford University, Brookings Institution, Resources for the Future, the President's Council of Economic Advisers, and others from Asia and the Pacific, Europe, and the United States tackle the economic, environmental, and social aspects of climate change.

Pacific Disaster Center staff at a workshop in Marikina City, Philippines.



PACIFIC DISASTER CENTER

- *Senior Fellow Allen Clark is interim director of the Pacific Disaster Center.*



The Pacific Disaster Center is located in Kihei, on the island of Maui.

The East-West Center is the managing partner of the Pacific Disaster Center (PDC), based on the island of Maui. The PDC develops partnerships and technologies supporting comprehensive disaster management and promoting sustainable development in the Asia Pacific region.

Working with national, inter-governmental, and nongovernmental organizations in the region, the PDC helps regional decision makers understand and address economic and societal vulnerabilities that are exacerbated by natural and human-induced disasters. Many of these vulnerabilities impact sustainable development.

Highlights of 2003 include:

- In cooperation with the government of American Samoa and the U.S. Federal Emergency Management Agency, the PDC completed a comprehensive risk and vulnerability assessment and a national mitigation plan.
- The PDC established the initial technical framework for an Integrated Decision Support System (IDSS) that will lead to a regional information network supporting humanitarian assistance decision makers in the Caribbean.
- In support of the U.S. Southern Command in Florida, the PDC established the initial framework for a regional IDSS supporting humanitarian assistance and disaster recovery. This effort provides the region with an enhanced capability to share information supporting natural disaster planning, response, and recovery activities.

- The PDC has supported the State of Hawai'i and various Asia Pacific nations as they address regional and national security issues and the impact of global terrorism. Support provided to Hawai'i also has addressed homeland and human security.

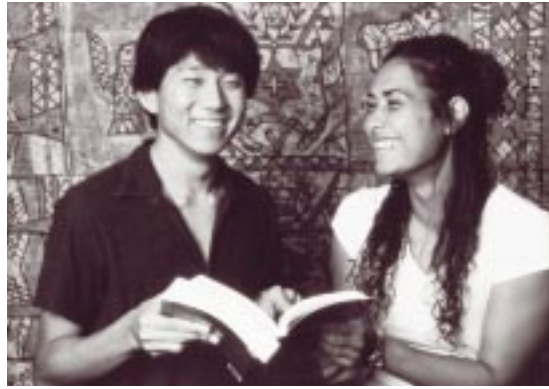
- Ongoing affiliations with the South Pacific Applied Geoscience Commission and the Asia Disaster Reduction Center were further developed to include activities with the UN International Strategy for Disaster Reduction.

- Collaborative activities with the Disaster Prevention Research Institute and Kyoto University were enhanced through participation in the Integrated Disaster Reduction Conference.

The PDC also coordinated and/or participated in several senior-level meetings and workshops. Among them were:

- "PacFest: Developing Technologies to Thwart Pacific Region Terrorism," a workshop conducted by PDC and its managing partner, the East-West Center, in association with the Sandia National Laboratories Advanced Concepts Group and the Maui High Performance Computing Center.
- The 2003 Asia Pacific Homeland Security Summit, sponsored by the State of Hawai'i.
- A U.S. Department of State-sponsored symposium on complex human emergencies, co-hosted by the Department of State's Humanitarian Information Unit and the PDC.
- The International Conference on Remote Sensing of the Environment, hosted by the EWC and the PDC.

For more information on the PDC, visit:
www.pdc.org/index.php



EDUCATION

- *Terance W. Bigalke is director and dean of the EWC Education Program.*

The East-West Center provides a range of educational opportunities focused on preparing the United States and the Asia Pacific region for a new era of increased interdependence. The Center's student programs, carried out in cooperation with the University of Hawai'i, are designed to develop the leadership skills and knowledge base required for the twenty-first century.

To meet the needs of the region, the East-West Center student program has expanded its range of scholarship opportunities, resulting in an increase in the number of students. The Center's student community is now larger than it has been since the early 1970s, and the prospects for continued growth are excellent. New and innovative programs, increased private funding, and cost sharing by students have contributed to the expansion.

SOUTH PACIFIC ISLANDS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Funded through a competitive process by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, the South Pacific Islands Scholarship Program began in 1994. It provides undergraduate and graduate scholarships to students from the independent countries in the region that have the least access to the U.S. system of higher education: the Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Samoa, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu.

In the program's first decade, 46 students received scholarships. Four new scholarships are awarded annually and each includes support for a one-year transition into the U.S. university system and an internship in Washington, D.C.

The two students graduating in 2003 were from Tuvalu and Tonga, and the four new students are from Samoa, Tonga, Fiji, and the Solomon Islands. Two continuing students have transferred to institutions in New York City.

- *Kim Small is the scholarship program coordinator for the South Pacific Islands, East Timor, and International Fellowships programs.*

UNITED STATES-EAST TIMOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

As East Timor made its difficult transition to an independent nation, the U.S. Congress appropriated funds to enable East Timorese to pursue higher education in the United States. The East-West Center was selected to administer this degree scholarship program, which is managed through the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs at the State Department. Since 1999 the program has provided scholarships to 16 individuals. New students begin with seven months of intensive English language preparation prior to taking regular academic courses at the University of Hawai'i.



Students from the U.S. Department of State-supported South Pacific Islands Scholarship Program and the United States–East Timor Scholarship Program meet with American Samoa Congressman Eni F. H. Faleomavaega (center) in Washington, D.C.



Students participating in the Summer Internship Program meet with Marianne Craven (3rd from right, front) at the State Department.

INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS PROGRAM

The East-West Center partnership with the International Fellowships Program (IFP), an innovative program funded by the Ford Foundation, is designed to provide a supportive international community for the program's fellows, to address their need for intensive English language preparation, and to facilitate their placement in graduate degree programs. The Center coordinates the various administrative requirements of the funding agency, the University of Hawai'i, and its own system. In 2003, a total of 23 IFP fellows arrived at the Center from Indonesia, Vietnam, and China. An additional 30 to 35 are expected in 2004.

Asia Pacific Leadership Program participants, led by Nick Barker (2nd row, 2nd from left), at a gathering in Washington, D.C.

ASIA PACIFIC LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Funded by a generous grant from the Freeman Foundation, the Asia Pacific Leadership Program (APLP) is built around two core courses that address key issues in the Asia Pacific region and teach concepts of leadership, conflict resolution, and skill development reflecting the region's societies and cultures.

The program draws on the expertise of the Center's research staff, particularly in addressing issues relating to the environment, politics and security, health and population,

and economic development. It includes a three-week field study segment in which the group travels together to a site in the United States and one in the Asia Pacific region. Following a successful pilot program with 25 students in early 2002, 47 students participated in the first full-length program from August 2002 to May 2003, and 44 in the August 2003 to May 2004 program.

EWC researchers who have been involved in teaching the Core Issues Seminar include Senior Fellow Jefferson Fox and Fellow Sumeet Saksena on the environment; Senior Fellows Robert Retherford and Peter Xenos and Fellow Vinod Mishra on population and health; Senior Fellow Sumner La Croix and Fellows Tianshu Chu and Rana Hasan on economics; and Fellows Chris McNally and Sheila Smith on politics and security.

- *Nicholas Barker is leadership education coordinator.*
- *Peter Hershock, education specialist, coordinated the Core Issues Seminar in fall 2003.*





HOPKINS-NANJING CENTER PROGRAM

In mid 2003, the Hopkins-Nanjing Center for Chinese and American Studies, jointly administered by Nanjing University and The Johns Hopkins University, developed an agreement with the East-West Center to conduct the fall semester at the EWC's Honolulu campus due to the possible continued threat of SARS and its impact on student recruitment. The Hopkins-Nanjing Center offers a one-year graduate-level program in Chinese and American studies, covering topics in international studies, economics, history, law, and related social science issues.

In September, 97 students (about half from China and the remainder mainly from the U.S.) and 13 faculty and staff began conducting their program at the EWC. Chinese students pursue their coursework in American studies using English as the medium of instruction, and U.S. and other students pursue Chinese studies in Chinese. The program returned to Nanjing for spring semester 2004.

INTERNATIONAL GRADUATE STUDENT CONFERENCE

The East-West Center continues to develop its International Graduate Student Conference into the premier international student conference in the Asia Pacific region. Nearly 60 papers and poster presentations on aspects of "A Sense of Place in the Pacific and Asia: Socioeconomic, Cultural, Political, and Environmental Identities" were given by graduate students from Hawai'i, the U.S. mainland, Europe, Australia, Indonesia, Japan, South Korea, China, the Philippines, Singapore, and the United Kingdom.

The 2003 event, which saw an increase in the number of participants, was a joint conference combining the EWC International Graduate Student Conference and the 14th Annual Graduate Student Conference of the University of Hawai'i. Keynote speaker Craig Calhoun, president of the Social Science Research Council and professor of sociology and history at New York University, spoke on "Cosmopolitanism Is Not Enough: Culture and Community Still Matter."

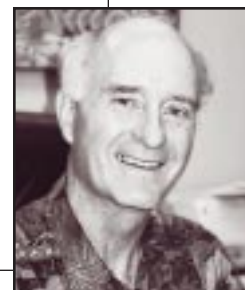
EAST-WEST FEST

"A Thousand Cultures, One Community—A Celebration of Diversity" was the theme of this year's East-West Fest, sponsored by the EWC Participants Association. The daylong event, organized for the enjoyment of the Hawai'i community, featured Kenny Endo Taiko drumming, Tahitian and Indian dancing, a Japanese tea ceremony demonstration, international fashion show, regional food, and games and activities for the entire family. EWC students from 30 countries worked together to stage the event.

ELIZABETH BUCK was named special assistant to the president for education. A Center staff member since 1971, she had served as director of the EWC Education Program and also served as co-director of the Asian Studies Development Program. Buck will be involved in the Center's new education initiative and activities of the Asian Studies Development Program.



TERANCE W. BIGALKE was appointed dean and Education Program director in December 2003. He had been serving as dean of EWC Academic Programs.



Teachers from the United States and the Asia Pacific region participated in workshops at the East-West Center.



Providing Opportunities for Educators

In an era of increasing interdependence and globalization, it is crucial that Americans understand the cultures and histories as well as contemporary social issues of Asia and the Pacific. With increasing opportunities for teachers and faculty to learn more about Asia and the Pacific, students throughout the United States are learning more about this dynamic region. Two East-West Center projects provide professional development programs for teachers and college faculty members.

ASIAPACIFICED PROGRAM FOR SCHOOLS

The 2003 AsiaPacificEd Program for Schools (formerly CTAPS, the Consortium for Teaching Asia and the Pacific in the Schools) focused on Southeast Asia and included 37 K-12 educators from throughout the United States (including Hawai'i), Indonesia, Cambodia, Japan, and Australia. Also participating were more than 30 content and curriculum specialists, including EWC researchers and Asia Pacific Leadership Program students, University of Hawai'i faculty, U.S. mainland scholars, and master teachers. A small group of teachers traveled on to Thailand and

Laos for first-hand experience in the region.

Through academic presentations, curriculum demonstrations, material review, online research, field trips, and teaching discussions, the institute participants explored essential themes and topics concerning Southeast Asia, shared new and innovative classroom approaches, considered ways to address barriers to change, and worked individually and in small groups on personalized curricular units that incorporate Southeast Asia content and standards requirements.

- *Namji Kim Steinemann is director of the AsiaPacificEd Program for Schools and associate director of the Education Program.*

ASIAN STUDIES DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The Asian Studies Development Program (ASDP) infuses Asian content and perspectives into the core curriculum at American two- and four-year colleges and universities through programs that help faculty expand and refine their knowledge and teaching of Asia. Initiated in 1990, ASDP is a joint program of the East-West Center and the University of Hawai'i.

The program co-hosted a series of workshops and a national conference on the U.S. mainland with affiliated colleges and universities.

- With funding support from the Freeman Foundation, ASDP partnered with the University of Central Arkansas (Conway, AK) and Trident Technical College (Charleston, SC) for three-day workshops.
- With funding from the National Endowment for the Humanities—and as part of a two-year series of faculty development outreach activities—ASDP joined with Johnson County Community College (Kansas City, KS) in hosting the last in a series of four workshops examining “Cultures of Authority in Asian Practice.” The culminating online conference for this project was a first for ASDP and a resounding success, with remarkably high levels of participation and exchange.

- More than 100 undergraduate educators attended the three-day 9th annual ASDP National Conference, held in conjunction with Paradise Valley Community College (Phoenix, AZ).

The summer period—usually the busiest quarter in the yearly cycle—was significantly affected by the SARS outbreak in Asia. Two field

For more information on AsiaPacificEd Program, visit:

www.AsiaPacificEd.org or www.eastwestcenter.org/edu-st.asp

EWC Obuchi Japan Foundation Fellows (from left to right) Kiyoshi Nakachi of Meio University and Yoshimi Ando and Hidemi Todoriki of the University of the Ryukyus.



seminars, both to have taken place in China, were deferred until summer 2004. Instead, ASDP host the 13th annual three-week institute on “Infusing Asian Studies into the Undergraduate Curriculum,” focusing for 2003 on China. Included in this program, supported by the Freeman Foundation, was an introduction to an innovative Chinese language learning web-based environment, developed at the University of Hawai‘i with funding from the National Science Foundation.

The ASDP network now includes more than 400 colleges in 48 states, with 18 schools designated as ASDP regional centers. ASDP offers summer residential institutes in Honolulu and workshops at U.S. mainland colleges designed to enhance teaching about Asia and support curriculum development, field studies in Asia, and program support for ASDP regional centers that serve as mentoring campuses in their area.

- *Elizabeth Buck, special assistant to the president for education, and Roger T. Ames of the University of Hawai‘i are ASDP codirectors.*
- *Peter Hershock is coordinator of summer institutes and mainland workshops.*

FOCUS ON OKINAWA

The Obuchi Okinawa Education and Research Program continued with five EWC Obuchi scholarship awardees and three EWC Obuchi Japan Foundation Fellows. The program is composed of business and Asia Pacific graduate studies scholarships, internships in business, faculty researcher exchanges, and EWC support for an Okinawa-based Asia Pacific Research Center.

The East-West Center supported the First Worldwide Uchinanchu Conference, sponsored by the Hawai‘i United Okinawa Association and WUB Hawai‘i (Worldwide Uchinanchu Business Association). Held in Honolulu August 29–September 2, the conference was the first time people of Okinawan heritage worldwide gathered outside of Okinawa. About 2,000 attended—from Brazil, Peru, Argentina, Bolivia, Canada, Taiwan, Philippines, New Zealand, 15 U.S. states, and from Tokyo, Osaka, and Okinawa in Japan. Some 500 participated in conference

meetings at the EWC’s Hawai‘i Imin International Conference Center. Conference sessions focused on business, culture, women’s issues, youth, identity, and Uchinanchu Diaspora.

Among the participating Hawai‘i dignitaries were U.S. Senators Daniel Inouye and Daniel Akaka, U.S. Representatives Neil Abercrombie and Ed Case, Hawai‘i Governor Linda Lingle, and Honolulu Mayor Jeremy Harris. Also attending were Okinawa Governor Keiichi Inamine; Koji Omi, former Minister of Okinawa Affairs; and mayors from Ishigaki, Kin, Ishikawa, and Gushikawa.

The 7th WUB International Conference was held concurrently. The University of the Ryukyus awarded an honorary doctorate to Robert Nakasone, EWC Okinawa special projects director.

- *Robert T. Nakasone is director of EWC Okinawa Special Projects.*

For more information on the Asian Studies Development Program, visit:
www.eastwestcenter.org/edu-ct.asp

For more information on the Obuchi Okinawa Education and Research Program, visit:
www.eastwestcenter.org/semedu-program.asp?program_ID=37&Topic=Student&Area=Education

The 5th Senior Policy Seminar focused on the war on terrorism.



EAST-WEST SEMINARS

- *Sheree Groves is coordinator of East-West Seminars.*

East-West Seminars programs provide short-term educational experiences for policymakers, professionals, and scholars from Asia, the Pacific, and the United States. Seminars focus on critical issues affecting the region. Program activities facilitate interaction among participants in an effort to build a stronger Asia Pacific community. Through this dialogue, the East-West Center strives to be a catalytic force for maximizing regional cooperation and minimizing conflict.

5TH SENIOR POLICY SEMINAR

The war on terrorism and its implications for Asia were among the topics of discussion when senior and influential policy makers, defense officials, and academic specialists convened at the Center for the 5th Annual Senior Policy Seminar. The 2003 seminar hosted delegates from Australia, Bangladesh, China, India, Japan, Indonesia, Pakistan, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, the Philippines, and the

United States. Additional session topics included the Korean peninsula, Iraq, nuclear security and strategy, the future of U.S. policy in the region, economic-security linkages, and alliance systems and multilateral institutions.

Participants included Frank Jannuzi, staff member of the U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee; Ambassador Stephen Bosworth, dean of The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, and former ambassador to Korea; Keizo Takemi, member of the House of Councilors of Japan; Admiral Thomas Fargo, commander of the U.S. Pacific Command; and Ambassadors Hiroshi Shigeta, senior fellow at the Japan Institute of International Affairs, Thomas Hubbard, U.S. Ambassador to Korea; and Stapleton Roy, managing director of Kissinger Associates and former Ambassador to Indonesia and China.

Members of the New Generation Seminar were introduced to the role of the monarchy and Buddhism in the political structure of Thailand.



ASIA PACIFIC EXECUTIVE FORUMS

Asia Pacific Executive Forums provide opportunities for senior executives, government policy makers, and EWC and other experts to discuss critical issues facing Asia Pacific nations and their impact on the region's economies. As current events have shown, the region's dynamics require ongoing insights into and analysis of the rapid changes taking place and their effects on long-term strategic planning for corporate and government leaders.

Programs on "An Asian Economic Overview" were conducted

in Miami and Atlanta, cosponsored by the Dante B. Fascell North-South Center at the University of Miami and the Southern Center for International Studies in Atlanta. EWC President Charles E. Morrison was moderator. Featured presentations by EWC researchers were:

- "Asian Energy Markets" by Senior Fellow Fereidun Fesharaki.
- "China's Economic Outlook" by Fellow Tianshu Chu.
- "An Economic Perspective of South Asia: India" by Fellow Rana Hasan.

13TH NEW GENERATION SEMINAR

"Challenges of Religious Diversity" was the focus of this annual program that brings together rising young leaders from the United States and the Asia Pacific region for intensive education and dialogue. During the two-week program, 17 participants—4 Americans and 13 Asians—came together to strengthen their understanding of regional developments and challenges and increase their contacts with counterparts in the region. The New Generation Seminar opened in Honolulu with sessions on regional issues and awareness, as well as an in-depth introduction to the religious diversity theme.

In travel to Bangkok and Kuala Lumpur during the second week, the participants examined successful examples of religious coexistence. Of particular interest was the role of the monarchy and Buddhism in the political structure of Thailand. The seminar participants also addressed religion-related challenges that many regions of the world, including the Asia Pacific, continue to face. These included providing frameworks at the government level for religious freedom and expression, managing religious conflict, and promoting greater understanding and acceptance among and between religious groups.



EWC President Charles E. Morrison (2nd from right), Senior Fellow Fereidun Fesharaki (right), and Fellow Tianshu Chu (left) meet with editorial staff of the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* during the Asia Pacific Executive Forum in Atlanta.



Participants in the EWC Changing Faces Women's Leadership Program met with Hawai'i Governor Linda Lingle (right) in her conference room.

CHANGING FACES WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

"Women's Economic Empowerment in Asia, the Pacific, and the United States" was the theme for the 2003 Changing Faces Women's Leadership Program, which brought together women in lower- and middle-level leadership positions for dialogue and professional development. The 13 participants—from Nepal, Taiwan, Pakistan, Malaysia, the Philippines, South Korea, the Marshall Islands, China, India and the United States—were professionals from the media, nonprofit organizations, academia, government ministries, nongovernmental agencies, and the corporate sector. They were selected on the basis of their professional achievements and their potential to move into positions of greater responsibility and influence.

Sessions in Honolulu focused on leadership skills training, community building, culture and leadership, problem solving, communication, conflict resolution, and organizational planning and goal setting. The participants then traveled as a group to Sydney, Australia, to attend the "Women in Leadership: Economic Empowerment in the Asia Pacific Region." This conference was cosponsored by

Westpac Bank and the EWC Alumni Association, with support from the East-West Center, the International Finance Corporation, and the Commonwealth Business Women's Network. Participants met with women leaders from Australia and around the region to discuss entrepreneurship, skills for international trade, networking, and corporate leadership.

BUILDING THE FOUNDATION: LEADERSHIP PROGRAM FOR FISHERIES MANAGERS

Asia Pacific fisheries managers from nine Pacific Island nations participated in the first in a series of training initiatives under the Center's new Building the Foundation Program. The nine-day professional development seminar featured workshops on issues facing Pacific Island fisheries, including marine protected areas, environmental changes, climate, trade and globalization, new technologies, problem solving and strategic planning, and cultural and legal considerations. Speakers represented EWC's Research, Education, and Pacific Islands Development Programs and such organizations as the National Marine Fisheries Service, Hawai'i Coastwatch Program, and the Ocean Atlas Program.

34TH SUMMER SEMINAR ON POPULATION

The annual Summer Seminar on Population provides professionals in population and health-related fields an opportunity to share and expand their knowledge of population and its relationship to social, cultural, and economic change. The event is sponsored by the EWC with funding from the William and Flora Hewlett Foundation; individual workshop funding comes from the MEASURE Evaluation Project and the Population Reference Bureau.

The 2003 seminar featured workshops on evaluating the impact of reproductive health programs; population aging in Asia and the Pacific and the challenge for healthcare systems; and communicating population and health research to policymakers.

- *Senior Fellow Peter Xenos is coordinator of the Summer Seminar on Population.*

U.S.-AUSTRALIA FREE TRADE TALKS

The second and third rounds of negotiations for a U.S.-Australian free trade agreement were held in May and July, respectively, at the East-West Center. The Center facilitated these intergovernmental talks.

The United States is Australia's second largest merchandise trade partner after Japan. It also is Australia's biggest source of investment and the top destination for Australian investment overseas. U.S exports to Australia include a wide range of manufactured products.

For more information on the Leadership Program for Fisheries Managers, visit: www.eastwestcenter.org/events-ce-detail.asp?conf_ID=563

For more information on U.S.-Australia Free Trade Talks, visit: www.eastwestcenter.org/sem-ov.asp



The Senior Journalists' Seminar focused on issues that have surfaced since September 11.



In Memoriam

EWC Jefferson Fellow ERSa SIREGAR was killed during fighting between government forces and Free Aceh Movement (GAM) rebels on December 29, 2003, in East Aceh, Indonesia. Siregar and a cameraman were taken captive by GAM rebels last June while reporting on the conflict for Indonesia's private television station.

Siregar participated in the Center's May 2002 Jefferson Fellowships program. A gift of \$1,000 was given to his widow and three children from his group of Jefferson Fellows and from friends he made at the East-West Center.

MEDIA PROGRAM

Senior Journalists' Seminar:

Fourteen journalists—10 from 6 Asian countries with substantial Muslim populations and 4 from the United States—participated in the Senior Journalists' Seminar, held at the East-West Center in September.

The seminar explored gaps in understanding U.S.-Asia issues that have surfaced particularly since the September 11 terrorist attacks. Participants discussed underlying misperceptions, misinterpretations, and misunderstandings regarding political, economic, and socio-cultural forces affecting relations between Asia and the United States. The goal of their dialogue was to develop suggestions as to how media leaders can bridge such gaps in understanding when they write about these issues.

The seminar was enhanced by the participation of visiting fellows from Malaysia and Pakistan. Consultant to the program was the Center for Muslim-Christian Understanding at Georgetown University.



Jefferson Fellows visit Washington, D.C.

Jefferson Fellowships: Twenty-eight journalists, representing both large national news organizations and smaller news organizations outside capital cities, participated in two Jefferson Fellowship programs in 2003. The four-week programs provide mid-level Asian, Pacific, and U.S. journalists opportunities to enhance their reporting by strengthening their understanding of Asian, Pacific, and U.S. cultures and issues through field study and dialogue. The Jefferson Fellowships are supported by a grant from the Freeman Foundation.



Senior Journalists' Seminar participants.



Richard Baker (left), special assistant to the EWC president, and Jefferson Fellows discuss Islam in America with Amira Sonbol and Zahid Bhukari from the Center for Christian-Muslim Understanding at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C.

In the spring 2003 session, nine Asia Pacific and four U.S. journalists focused on the theme “Local Conflict, Global Terrorism.” The Asia Pacific journalists traveled to Washington, D.C., New York City, and Omaha, Nebraska, while the Americans visited Tokyo, Seoul, and Kuala Lumpur. For the Asia Pacific journalists, the spring tour included a Memorial Day family picnic in a rural Nebraska community and, for the Americans, a 90-minute interview with Malaysian Prime Minister Mahathir Mohammed.

In the fall session, 10 Asia Pacific and five U.S. journalists traveled together to Washington, D.C., Seoul, and Hanoi to examine the theme “War, Peace, and Reconstruction.” Highlights included a visit to the Demilitarized Zone in Korea and meetings with students.

Japan–United States Journalists’

Exchange: The Japan–United States Journalists’ Exchange brought six high-level Japanese journalists to the United States for a study tour in November. The program was funded by the Nihon Shinbun Kyokai (NSK, the Japan Newspaper Publishers and Editors Association), the journalists’ news organizations, and the East-West Center.

The group visited Washington, D.C., New York City, Honolulu, and Austin, Texas. Themes were the

U.S. presidential elections, policies toward Iraq and Afghanistan, and U.S. responses to terrorism.

Highlights of the tour were attendance at a press conference by Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld and at a video conference by Secretary of Homeland Defense Tom Ridge; a roundtable discussion with Admiral Thomas Fargo, commander of the U.S. Pacific Command; and visits to the Department of State, United Nations, American Enterprise Institute, Pew Research Center for People and the Press, Heritage Foundation, and a class on terrorism at the University of Texas at Austin.

Hong Kong Journalism

Fellowships: In September, seven U.S. journalists participated in a two-day China seminar at the East-West Center and a study tour to Beijing, Shenzhen, Dongguan, Guangzhou, and Hong Kong. A Canadian journalist joined the group in Beijing and participated in the tour. The program provided opportunities for senior print and broadcast journalists to update themselves on the current political, economic, and socio-cultural situations in China and Hong Kong, particularly the Pearl River Delta region. The program was supported by the Better Hong Kong Foundation and the East-West Center.

Briefings: The EWC Media Program also hosted a number of journalists for briefings during the year. These included two groups sponsored by the Korea Press Foundation and the U.S. Embassy in Seoul and one State Department group of visitors from Japan. Overall, the Media Program reached nearly one hundred Asian, Pacific, and U.S. journalists with programming in 2003.

Honored: The Asia Pacific Media Network (APMN), based at the University of California at Los Angeles, honored the East-West Center media activities with its “Institution of the Year Award for Innovation.” APMN founder and columnist Thomas Plate presented the award to President Charles E. Morrison on July 31. The inscription states that the award “honors the U.S. institution that is using its news media programs so effectively to convey the important messages we need to see, read, and hear about in order to comprehend the common issues and opportunities of the Asia Pacific community.” The award was accompanied by a \$1,000 check from APMN to enhance the Center’s media programs. Jerry Burris, editorial page editor for the *Honolulu Advertiser*, also received an award and \$1,000, which he donated to the Jefferson Fellowship program.

■ *Dennis Donahue is the EWC Media Program coordinator.*



Senior print and broadcast journalists participated in the Hong Kong Journalism Fellowship program.

NORTHEAST ASIA ECONOMIC FORUM

Founded in 1990, the Northeast Asia Economic Forum is a regional nongovernmental organization that sponsors and facilitates research, networking, and dialogue relevant to the economic and social development of Northeast Asia. The Forum is committed to promoting understanding and relations among the peoples of Northeast Asia and North America. Membership is extended to other interested individuals and institutions, through participation in the Forum's annual international conferences. The Forum's secretariat is at the East-West Center.

The Forum organized three conferences in Honolulu in 2003:

■ “Institutional and Policy Reforms to Enhance Corporate Efficiency in Korea,” cosponsored by the Korea Development Institute. This conference addressed issues of product market competition, financial market pressure, shareholder control, and the role of mergers and acquisitions as factors relating to productivity performance of companies. It also focused on fundamental market questions of concern to the whole Asia Pacific region.

■ “Building an Integrated Transport Market for China, Japan, and Korea,” cosponsored by the Korea Transport Institute as part of a three-year collaborative project on “Building a Regional Coordinating Institution.” The conference focused on designing institutional arrangements to remove legal, regulatory, institutional, technical, and physical barriers to transport systems among China, Japan, and Korea. Participants considered successful cases such as the creation of the European Union (EU) and the liberalization of transport between the United States and Canada.

■ “Northeast Asian Economic Integration: Prospects for a Northeast Asian Free-Trade Agreement,” in cooperation with the Korea Institute for International Economic Policy. The conference compared the policies of China, Japan, and South Korea toward free-trade agreements (FTAs), the characteristics of their trade with each other, the proliferation and rationales of regional FTAs around the world, and the prospects for a Northeast Asian FTA.

The 12th Northeast Asia Economic Forum meeting, scheduled for June in Niigata, Japan, was postponed due to the SARS outbreak, which affected international travel.

In December, the European Parliament hosted a meeting of the Forum and a group of European parliamentarians. The objective was to review and support the framework for a Northeast Asian Community. Sessions focused on the EU and Northeast Asian experiences in regional cooperation and community building; plans for international gas pipelines; related geopolitics in Northeast Asia; and a proposed Northeast Asian Development Bank. The concluding discussion addressed creating an interregional network of parliamentarians.

■ *Lee-Jay Cho is Chairman of the Northeast Asia Economic Forum.*

North, South Korea Sea Border Fuels Dispute,

East-West forum explores alternatives to war against Saddam

U.S., Japan
endure through
ups and downs

Digital divide deepens as Asia's technology investments grow

Promoting peace education in the month of Ramadhan

Data help
preserve
Earth's balance

Real victory in Iraq may
be friendship with Iran

SARS moves China
toward transparency

East-West Center Analysts See Positive
U.S. Role in Korean Crisis, Philippines

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

- *Karen Knudsen is director of EWC External Affairs.*

The East-West Center Office of External Affairs is responsible for news media and public information services, development and the East-West Center Foundation, alumni relations, the arts program, EWC program representatives in the Asia Pacific region, briefings for visiting officials, and community relations and public programs.

NEWS AND INFORMATION

The News and Information section serves as the liaison between the EWC and journalists throughout the region by setting up interviews, organizing media briefings and news conferences, and providing information on EWC research, conferences, publications, and analysis of current issues through op-ed pieces, news releases, and the East-West Wire news service.

An increasing number of news organizations throughout the United States and the Asia Pacific region are calling upon the Center. In 2003, the EWC and staff were cited in more than 600 news stories and interviews in 2003, including 31 op-ed pieces written by EWC specialists. The

News and Information section also distributed 45 East-West Wire news reports and 50 news releases, and organized 10 news conferences and media briefings.

New and expanded media services included increasing annual briefings for Hawai'i media from one to four and distributing a list of EWC specialists to Hawai'i media specifically for use during the Iraq War. In addition, Susan Kreifels, media services coordinator, accompanied the EWC Asia-Pacific Executive Forum to Atlanta and Miami, arranging editorial roundtables at the *Miami Herald* and *Atlanta Journal-Constitution* and interviews at CNN Atlanta.

Center researchers were quoted in the media on such issues as the SARS epidemic, Japanese military, trade disputes, terrorism, North Korea security issues, oil and gas prices, maritime security, Pacific Islands development, environment, health impacts of cook stove smoke, economic recovery in the region, and China's economic impact. EWC comments, research, and op-ed pieces appeared throughout Hawai'i print and broadcast media as well as national and international

For Internet access to EWC news material:

Specialists on the Asia Pacific Region: A Guide for Journalists 2004:

www.eastwestcenter.org/apic-ex.asp

Coming Up Advisories: **www.eastwestcenter.org/news-cp.asp**

EWC news releases: **www.eastwestcenter.org/events-pr.asp**

East-West Wire reports: **www.eastwestcenter.org/events-en.asp**

(Left to right) Mrs. Sally Miyawaki, EWC President Charles E. Morrison, Hawai'i Governor Linda Lingle, Consul General of Japan Masatoshi Muto (standing), Dr. Genshitsu (Soshitsu XV) Sen, and Mrs. Jean Ariyoshi at the EWC annual dinner, "An International Affair."



news organizations, including The Associated Press, Reuters, *New York Times*, CNN, Gannett News Service, Agence France Presse, United Press International, Xinhua News Agency, National Public Radio, *Wall Street Journal*, CNBC, *International Herald Tribune*, *South China Morning Post*, *Philippines Business World*, *Dow Jones Business News*, *Straits Times* (Singapore) and *New Straits Times* (Kuala Lumpur), *Korea Herald*, *Jakarta Post*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *Miami Herald*, *Washington Times*, *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, *Times of India*, and *Mainichi Daily News*.

2003 Publications by the News and Information section:

East-West Center Annual Report 2002

Specialists on the Asia Pacific Region: A Guide for Journalists 2004

Coming Up: monthly advisories on conferences, seminars, and new EWC publications.

East-West Wire reports: nearly 50 published online during 2003.

- *Susan Kreifels is the EWC media services coordinator.*

EAST-WEST CENTER FOUNDATION

The East-West Center Foundation was established in 1982 as a private, nonprofit organization to increase private support from individuals, corporations, businesses, and foundations. Under the leadership of co-chairs Edison H. Miyawaki and Haigo T.H. Shen, the EWC Foundation Board of Directors is playing a significant role in the cultivation, solicitation, and stewardship of private gifts.

Contributions: The Foundation received \$235,063 in unrestricted support in FY2003. Revenues included general contributions, designated gifts, annual dinner proceeds, and sponsorships. Restricted revenue was \$215,660, including funding by the Hawai'i Pacific Rim Society for the George R. Ariyoshi Fund and EWC Arts Program, Jhamandas Watumull Fund for the Jhamandas Watumull U.S.-India Fellowship Program, and contributions received for the Alumni Endowment Fund.

Annual Dinner: "An International Affair," the East-West Center Foundation's annual dinner, was attended by more than 700 people and raised over \$80,000. Held on July 14 at the Hilton Hawaiian Village Coral Ballroom, the event celebrated the rich traditions and culture of Japan. The featured speaker was Dr. Genshitsu (Soshitsu XV) Sen, former grand master of the Urasenke chado tradition. The East-West Center presented the Asia Pacific Community Building Award to Dr. Sen in recognition of his global promotion of the culture embraced by the Way of Tea and of world peace. Proceeds from the silent auction raised more than \$12,000 to benefit East-West Center student scholarships.



George Ariyoshi (left), former chair of the EWC Board of Governors, presents the Asia Pacific Community Building Award to Dr. Genshitsu (Soshitsu XV) Sen, former grand master of the Urasenke chado tradition.

Alumni Endowment Fund: As part of the East-West Center Association's 1960s Reunion, a permanent endowment fund was created to enable future generations of students to participate in the East-West Center education program. After the initial goal of \$100,000 was raised in pledges and payments, a new \$250,000 goal was established to build the fund.

Grants: A challenge grant by the McNerny Foundation helped the East-West Center Foundation to strengthen its ability to increase financial support from alumni in Asia and the United States. The foundation matched all first-time gifts from EWC alumni—up to \$100 per donor. A total of \$17,255 was raised from 113 alumni who had never donated to the Center before. The matching portion was \$8,675. Also significant was support by the Atherton Family Foundation for the AsiaPacificEd Program for Schools.

Outreach:

- As part of the Neighbor Island Speaker Program, EWC President Charles E. Morrison spoke on "Prospects for Asia Pacific in 2003" for a program in Hilo sponsored by Bank of Hawai'i.

- AsiaPacific Breakfast Briefings is an EWC outreach program designed to help Hawai'i community leaders and EWC Foundation members understand the changing and dynamic region. Sponsored by Bank of Hawai'i since 1995, the series in 2003 included "Japan's Gamble with North Korea: What is at Stake?" by EWC Fellow Sheila Smith and "Pacific Islanders in Hawai'i: Potential Impacts of the New Micronesian Compact Agreements" by Fellow Gerard Finin.

Donor Programs and Recognition:

- The President's Roundtable provides major donors with opportunities to participate in discussions on the Center's programs and key issues related to the Asia Pacific region. Roundtable presentations during 2003 included "The Future of Population in Asia" by Senior Fellow Robert Retherford.

- Free seminars to assist donors in achieving their tax, estate planning, and charitable giving objectives were presented by Stephen H. Reese, estate planning attorney.

- Major donors are recognized on the Honor Roll of Donors wall in John Burns Hall.

- *Gary Yoshida is the East-West Center development officer.*

EAST-WEST CENTER ALUMNI

Several new programs organized by the East West Center Association (EWCA) and the Associates Office extend the outreach of the Center and provide networking opportunities for alumni.

Association for Asian Studies Pacific Region (ASPAC) Conference:

Attended by more than 175 participants from the United States and Asia, this June event featured 41 panels on a wide variety of issues. The conference chair was Bill Vanderbok, vice president of the EWCA Southern California Chapter. It was organized by EWCA with support from the Center and the University of Hawai'i.

Women in Leadership Workshop:

Held in Australia in August, this event focused on business issues, including entrepreneurial activities, for women. Nearly 100 women leaders from Australia, Hawai'i, and the region participated. The workshop chair was Amanda Ellis, vice president for programs on the EWCA Executive Board and national manager for women in business for Westpac Banking in Sydney, Australia.

EWC Alumni Officer Gordon Ring (2nd from right) sits on a panel with alumni during the 1960s reunion.



1960s Alumni Reunion: “Making a Difference: Pioneers in Interchange between East and West” was the theme of this November gathering, chaired by Ethel Ward, treasurer of the EWCA Hawai‘i Chapter. A total of 250 alumni and friends from throughout the region participated in panels, roundtables, and social events.

Fundraising: East-West Center alumni are instrumental in providing support to the broad range of EWCA activities.



EWCA Relations with East-West Center Students:

- The Mentoring Program for EWC students continued during the spring and fall semesters, with students assigned mentors from professionals in the Honolulu community. Since the program’s inception in 2002, 120 students have participated in the program.
- The second EWCA Scholarship was provided to Nepalese student Uddhav Kumar Bhandari.
- The EWCA and EWCA Hawai‘i Chapter offered four \$500 travel grants to current students who attended professional conferences or carried out field research during the summer.
- The EWCA Hawai‘i Chapter held two picnics for students and alumni.

Communication:

- During 2003, the number of alumni registered for the EWCA Online Community increased to 1,440.
- Members received spring and fall issues of the *EWCA Associates Update* newsletter.

Chapter Activities:

- *EWCA Media Program Chapter.* A professional interest chapter was established for media participants.
- *New Chapters.* Alumni formed new chapters in Chennai, India, and Karachi, Pakistan.

EWC Alumni Serving as U.S. Ambassadors:

- Pamela Slutz, a former EWC grantee, was appointed ambassador to Mongolia by President Bush and confirmed by the U.S. Senate. She had been serving as deputy director of the American Institute in Taiwan. Slutz earned her M.A. degree as an EWC participant from 1970 to 1972.
- Two other former EWC students have recently served as ambassadors: Sylvia Hays Stanfield in Brunei and David Kaeuper in the Congo.
- *Gordon Ring is the EWCA alumni officer.*



The Saigon Water Puppet Theatre drew large audiences to its performances.

ARTS PROGRAM

Public performances, lectures, demonstrations, and exhibitions during 2003 promoted appreciation and understanding of the rich cultural traditions of Asia, the Pacific, and the United States. Nearly 10,000 people, including numerous groups of school children, experienced EWC Arts Program visual and performing arts events. Highlights included:

Performances:

Byungki Hwang, professor and Korean *kayagum* master and one of Korea's finest performers and composers, spent two weeks at the Center. He presented an EWC concert at the University of Hawai'i, accompanied by drummer Woong-Sik Kim, and performed with the Honolulu Symphony Orchestra. Hwang was an EWC Artist-in-Residence in 1965.

Rup Tung Cack, a six-member ensemble of Vietnamese musicians presented an EWC concert that included folk, traditional, and popular styles.

The Saigon Water Puppet Theatre presented two performances at the Waikiki Shell amphitheatre, cosponsored by Tim Bostock Productions. This 1,000-year-old tradition featured historical and rural Vietnamese stories, acted out by dozens of puppets that seemed to dance on the surface of water.

"Rhythms and Arts of the Rainforest," a concert by four Orang Ulu and Iban dancers/musicians from Sarawak, Malaysia, was presented at the Center.

Ancient and modern hula and Hawaiian music were performed in the EWC's new Friendship Circle for the Center's summer workshop participants and attendees at the Association for Asian Studies Pacific Region Conference.

Kosong Ogwangdae, a Korean masked dance troupe, visited Honolulu at the start of its first U.S. national tour. The troupe's activities included a performance for 493 local students and a public performance for an audience exceeding 500. Visiting Artists Lee Yun-Seok and Chon Qwang-Yol conducted five-week workshops for university and high school students.



Professor Byungki Hwang, a Korean *kayagum* master, spent two weeks at the EWC in 2003.

The Art of Rice Traveling Theatre, an ensemble of 12 Asian and American dancers, musicians, puppeteers, and actors, performed under EWC cosponsorship at Leeward Community College Theatre, on Oahu. The performers also gave lecture-demonstrations on their training and techniques for 400 Honolulu elementary and high school students.

Exhibitions:

“Hidden Passion: Metalwork by Women Artists from Korea, Japan, Taiwan, Hawai‘i” featured work by 70 artists and was guest-curated by Komelia Hongja Okim.

“Vietnam Today” featured lacquer paintings and artistic photographs from Vietnam.

“Arts of the Rainforest: Sarawak, Malaysia” featured traditional and contemporary arts from Borneo. At the opening, nine Iban and Orang Ulu visiting artists from Sarawak performed and demonstrated their crafts in the Gallery and for Honolulu school groups.

“Crossings 2003: Korea/Hawai‘i” was EWC’s contribution to the statewide project commemorating the Centennial of Korean Immigration to the United States. It featured paintings by 10 well-known modern artists, seven of whom came to Hawai‘i for the Center’s opening reception and to present a workshop for University of Hawai‘i art students.

“Black Ships and Samurai: Commodore Perry and the Opening of Japan,” celebrating the 150th anniversary of Japan-U.S. relations, was cosponsored by the Japan-America Institute of Management Science, the Consulate General of Japan in Hawai‘i, and Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Artworks depicted both Japanese and American nineteenth century views of the events.

“Yunnan: Enchanting Region of Ethnic Diversity” was an exhibition focusing on the ethnicities and nationalities in Northwest Yunnan Province, China. Guest curators were EWC alumni Sam Mitchell and Lu Yuan.

The Arts Program also hosted several visiting scholars and presented arts forums for the Honolulu community.

- *William Feltz is the EWC arts coordinator.*



Sri Lankan Ambassador to the United States and Canada Devinda R. Subasinghe spoke at the East-West Center.

PUBLIC FORUMS

As part of its educational outreach effort, the East-West Center organizes community forums and special events designed to heighten the awareness of and increase knowledge about issues affecting the Asia Pacific region. Public forums about regional issues are held in collaboration with Hawai‘i-based organizations, such as the University of Hawai‘i, Pacific and Asian Affairs Council, Japan-America Society of Hawai‘i, the Society of Professional Journalists, Honolulu Community-Media Council, Hawai‘i State Department of Business Economic Development and Tourism, and various chambers of commerce.

Commander of the U.S.-Pacific Command Admiral Thomas Fargo (left) attended a briefing on Asia Pacific issues by EWC researchers.



In 2003 the East-West Center cosponsored 32 public programs, including:

- “East Timor: The Challenges of Rebuilding the World’s Newest Nation,” with Kirsty Sword Gusmao, first lady of East Timor.
- “Malaysia After Mahathir,” with Marie T. Huhtala, U.S. ambassador to Malaysia.
- “Trade and Commerce Update,” with Grant Aldonas, under secretary for the International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.
- “Update on the Peace Process in Sri Lanka,” with Devinda R. Subasinghe, Sri Lanka’s ambassador to the United States and Canada.
- “Changing Perceptions of America in Asia,” with Thomas C. Hubbard, U.S. ambassador to the Republic of South Korea; Suk Deo Muni of Jawaharlal Nehru University in New Delhi; and Yan Xuetong of Tsinghua University in Beijing.



Madam Lu Hsieu-lien, vice president of Taiwan, received a briefing by EWC staff during a visit to Hawai‘i.

BRIEFINGS

The East-West Center provides analysis of regional issues to government officials, diplomats, journalists, military officers, and the general public through briefings and individual meetings with Center researchers and professional staff.

In 2003, the East-West Center briefed state legislators, local and international journalists, and official visitors. These included Admiral Thomas Fargo, commander of the U.S. Pacific Command; Lu Hsieu-lien, vice president of Taiwan; Nguyen Tam Chien, Vietnam’s ambassador to the United States; a National People’s Congress delegation from China; Indonesian legislators; members of the Commission on Higher Education, Thailand Ministry of Education; a Chinese Central Party school delegation; and 10 U.S. ambassadors posted in the Asia Pacific region. In all, the Office of External Affairs arranged East-West Center briefings for almost 200 official visitors last year.

FRIENDS OF THE EAST-WEST CENTER

Complementing the Center’s Hawai‘i outreach effort is the community-based organization, the Friends of the East-West Center. The Friends is a non-profit volunteer organization established to provide strong community support for the Center. It coordinates a host-family program for EWC students, administers the Mary Morgan Hewitt Journalism Endowment, provides volunteer assistance for special EWC events, and sponsors a popular community lecture series. The organization also assists in coordinating the student-mentoring program by matching students with professionals in the community.

Patricia S. Harrison, U.S. assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural Affairs, attended the opening sessions of the Hawai'i International Education Week and appointed the students as "honorary ambassadors of the world."



PUBLICATIONS

The East-West Center quarterly newsletter, the *Observer*, reports on major talks given at the East-West Center and on current research, education programs, conferences, seminars, and publications.

Publications produced by the Office of External Affairs are distributed to key audiences in the Asia Pacific region and the United States. In 2003 such publications included transcripts of the following speeches:

- "Understanding the UN: Perspective from a Small State," by Chan Heng Chee, Singapore's ambassador to the United States, speaking at the first East-West Center Model United Nations.
- "The Importance of Alumni in Building International Relations," by Patricia Harrison, assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State, speaking at the EWC 1960s Alumni Reunion.
- "Making a Difference: Pioneers in Interchange Between East-West Center and West," by Charles E. Morrison, president of the East-West Center, speaking at the EWC 1960s Alumni Reunion.

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

More than 400 students from 15 public and private schools in Hawai'i took part in programs at the East-West Center to celebrate the 4th Hawai'i International Education Week.

The elementary program was coordinated by Wo International Center at Punahou School in Honolulu. Patricia Harrison, assistant secretary of state for Educational and Cultural Affairs at the U.S. Department of State, spoke to students and appointed them "honorary ambassadors of the world."

"Hawai'i is the number one state for International Education Week activities," said Harrison, who is a member of the EWC Board of Governors. Hawai'i has been at the forefront in organizing global learning activities since the U.S.

Departments of State and Education first proclaimed International Education Week across the nation in 2000.

The secondary school program was coordinated by the Pacific and Asian Affairs Council and the East-West Center's AsiaPacificEd Program for Schools. Group 70 helped fund the event and members of the community, including State Senator Norman Sakamoto, chair of the Senate's Education Committee, judged the student entries.

Kathleen Nullett, social studies teacher at Kailua Intermediate School, was named Hawai'i's Global Teacher for 2004. She and the winning secondary school teams were recognized at a special Hawai'i legislative session.

- *Susan Kreifels coordinates International Education Week activities.*

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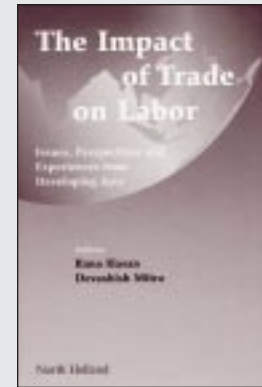
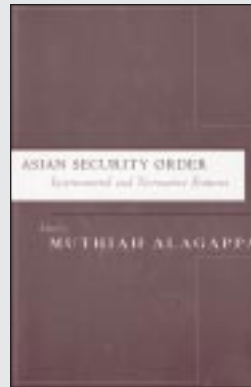
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More than a decade has passed since the end of the Cold War, but Asia still faces serious security challenges. Indeed, some experts see Asia as a dangerous and unstable place. Alagappa disagrees, maintaining that Asia is a far more stable, predictable, and prosperous region than it was in the post-independence period. This volume also takes account of the changed security environment in Asia since September 11, 2001. Unlike many area studies approaches, this work makes a strong case for taking regional politics and security dynamics seriously from both theoretical and empirical approaches.

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This study compares information technology (IT) parks in China, India, Malaysia, Singapore, Taiwan, and Hawai'i, in search of strategies that policy makers can employ to reduce the Global Digital Divide, advance distributional equity, and soften some of the negative effects of economic globalization. The book explores the objectives of the different national IT policies and the developmental status of the various IT parks, suggests "best practices" based on these cases, and considers the challenges to future IT park developments.



The Impact of Trade on Labor: Issues, Perspectives and Experiences from Developing Asia, edited by Rana Hasan and Devashish Mitra. Amsterdam: Elsevier Science (North Holland), 2003. Cloth. 308pp. Available at www.elsevier.com.

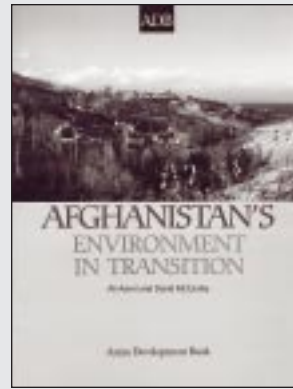
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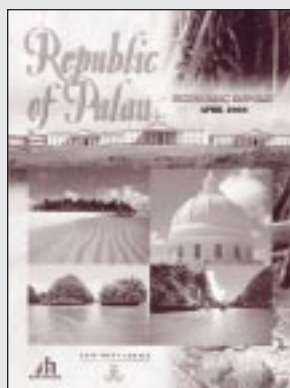
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Cambodia	1	5	4		1	2		1			2	16
East Timor						8	5					13
Indonesia	10	40	8	1	5	15					3	82
Lao P.D.R.					1	1						2
Malaysia	1	10	4		3	1						19
Philippines	2	16	5		1	4					3	31
Singapore	1	5	2		2							10
Thailand		9	2		6	4		5	2		6	34
Vietnam		3			1	16					1	21
Subtotal	15	89	26	1	20	52	5	6	2		19	235
East Asia												
China												
Mainland	5	18	5	2	8	7		4	7		67	123
Taiwan	2	7	2		1	2		3				17
Hong Kong		1	1						1		1	4
Japan	15	26	1	3	9	8		5	6		4	77
Korea, Dem Rep		1										1
Korea, Republic of	8	33	2	1	2	4		2	3		2	57
Mongolia		1			2	1					2	6
Russia		1	1									2
Subtotal	30	88	12	6	22	22		14	17		76	287
South Asia												
Bangladesh		6	1		2	2			1			12
Bhutan											1	1
India	2	17	2	2	1			1	1		2	28
Nepal		2			2	3		1			2	10
Pakistan		8	1								1	10
Sri Lanka		1			1							2
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American Samoa		1									1
Australia	2	13	6								21
Cook Islands		1				1					2
Fed St of Micronesia		2								1	3
Fiji						2	1				3
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Tonga		2		1		1	3		2	1	10
Tuvalu						1					1
Vanuatu		1				1	1				3
Subtotal	2	27	6	1	3	12	13		2	3	69
United States	43	347	26	15	13	31		4	13	73	565
Other	9	38	3	3	1	2		2		12	70
TOTAL	101	623	77	28	65	124	18	28	36	189	1,289

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