



## THEMATIC SERIES PUBLIC HEALTH LAW AND POLICY IN ASIA

Public health policy in Asia has become an issue of increasing public concern. From the SARS pandemic of 2003 to more recent concerns with avian flu and questions about food and pharmaceutical product safety, people are increasingly aware that national boundaries and geographic distances no longer offer protection against the global spread of disease and injury. As well, many people who have personal and professional links with Asia are increasingly interested in health policy matters. This lecture series will provide an opportunity for internationally recognized specialists to speak to issues of current concern on public health policy in Asia.

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### TERM 1

#### FOOD SECURITY IN INDIA: SUBSIDY REFORMS AND COMPETING NARRATIVES

**Bharat Ramaswami**, Planning Unit, India Statistical  
Institute and **Ashok Kotwal**, Economics, UBC  
5-6:30 pm, Wednesday, September 19, 2012

#### WHEN THINGS GO WRONG: MEDICAL ERROR, RIGHTS VIOLATIONS AND ACCESS TO JUSTICE IN HEALTH CARE ON THE ASIA PACIFIC RIM

**Les Jacobs**, Public Policy & Law, York University  
5-6:30 pm, Monday, October 15, 2012

#### MEDICAL TOURISM IN SOUTH ASIA: MOVING FROM BRAIN DRAIN TO BRAIN GAIN

**Nir Eyal**, Global Health and Social Medicine, Harvard  
Medical School  
5-6:30 pm, Monday, November 19, 2012

### TERM 2

#### POVERTY AND GLOBALIZATION IN INDONESIA

**Arianto Patunru** and **Zakir Machmud**, Economics,  
University of Indonesia  
5-6:30 pm Monday, January 21, 2013

#### HEALTH AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS: THE DYNAMICS OF COORDINATED COMPLIANCE IN THE PROVISION OF PHARMACEUTICALS TO THE CHINESE PEOPLE

**Ilan Vertinsky**, Sauder School of Business, UBC  
5-6:30 pm, Monday, February 25, 2013

#### CHALLENGES OF PUBLIC HEALTH POLICY IN CHINA

**Wan Yanhai**, Institute of Asian Research, UBC  
5-6:30 pm, Monday, March 18, 2013

#### WORK ENVIRONMENT OF PHYSICIANS AND QUALITY OF HEALTHCARE IN JAPAN

**Yoshitaka Wada**, Law, Waseda University  
5-6:30 pm, Monday, April 15, 2013

Complimentary tea and coffee are available in the Piano Lounge of Graham House at Green College from 4:30 pm onwards. Those attending talks at Green College are warmly invited to stay for dinner. For information on making dinner reservations, see [www.greencollege.ubc.ca/join\\_us\\_for\\_dinner](http://www.greencollege.ubc.ca/join_us_for_dinner)