



## ICHE Regional Conference

# “Justice through Higher Education”

11-12 July 2019 | Tunghai University | Taichung, Taiwan

### **Wednesday, July 10**

6:00 p.m. Dinner Available – (optional)  
Registration Open

### **Thursday, July 11 *Host of the Day - Annie Tsai***

8:00 a.m. Registration Open  
8:30 a.m. Devotions & Prayer  
8:45 a.m. Welcome and Greeting - President M.J. Wang  
9:00 a.m. Plenary Session I - Kevin Mannoia  
                  Introductions  
                  Orientation to the program  
9:30 a.m. BREAK  
10:00 a.m. Resourcing Tracks: (first rotation, select one of the two tracks)

**A. Higher Education and the Poor in Asia: Christian Responses to Issues on Poverty and Justice – Kumar Aryal, Michael Carino, Tom Roxas**

This resource track seeks to contribute to the on-going discourses among scholars, thinkers, educators, and clergy, regarding one of the biggest problems in Asia. We will explore different facets of poverty in Asia, faith-based paradigms toward integrated ministries to the poor, effective organizational models that champion poverty alleviation and community development, and challenges for institutions of higher education in developing curricula for leadership formation that address poverty in the Asian context.

**B. Global Higher Education in the Fourth Industrial Revolution: Increasing “Human” Skills to Advance Justice Work – Michael Truong**

The Fourth Industrial Revolution (Industry 4.0) will bring unprecedented technological breakthroughs, such as artificial intelligence (AI), robotics, the internet of things (IoT), autonomous vehicles, and nanotechnology. These innovations will radically

transform entire countries, economies, and communities, providing enormous growth potential as well as raising serious moral, ethical, and justice concerns. How should educators and leaders in Christian higher education respond to Industry 4.0? This resource track will explore how focusing on uniquely human skills can be an effective way to advance justice work in Industry 4.0. Our time together will include micro-lectures, group conversations, and implementation planning sessions.

12 noon	LUNCH
1:30 p.m.	Resourcing Tracks (first rotation continued)
3:00 p.m.	BREAK
3:30 p.m.	Plenary Session II – THU Presentation (15 minutes)
4:30 p.m.	ICHE – Asia Discussion
5:30 p.m.	BREAK
6:00 p.m.	Dinner & Local Cultural Event

### **Friday, July 12 *Host of the Day - Nicole Roberts***

8:30 a.m.	Devotions & Prayer
8:45 a.m.	Plenary Session III – Financial Accountability as Witness (to be confirmed)
9:30 a.m.	BREAK
9:45 a.m.	Resourcing Tracks (second rotation)
	<b>a) Higher Education and the Poor in Asia</b>
	<b>b) Global Higher Education in the Fourth Industrial Revolution: Increasing “Human” Skills to Advance Justice Work</b>
11:45 a.m.	BREAK
12 noon	LUNCH
1:30 p.m.	Resourcing Tracks (second rotation continued)
3:00 p.m.	BREAK
3:30 p.m.	Plenary Session IV – Open Forum (discussion with the resource leaders)
4:30 p.m.	Lessons Learned
5:30 p.m.	Closing Prayer
6:00 p.m.	Dinner

Follow up activities as planned for those who choose.

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