BOOK LAUNCH

You are invited to celebrate the launch of ‘CRITICAL ISSUES IN ASSET BUILDING IN SINGAPORE’S DEVELOPMENT’

About the book

Singapore’s progress as an independent nation and the uplifting of its people’s livelihood have been made possible by stable social and political conditions. A more important factor in driving these positive changes lies with people-centric leadership. One can contrast the case of Singapore with societies led by self-serving leaders whose lack of honesty and integrity brings about immense social and economic hardships to various communities. When people suffer under undesirable circumstances, they often migrate to seek better future for themselves and their families.

This book reveals how Singapore’s governance grounded on the principle of asset building facilitates the country’s growth and development. Policies being discussed in this volume include multiculturalism, accessible housing, social mobility for low-income families, water resource management, and national conscription. Highly relevant for students, policy makers and the general public interested in socio-political and economic development issues, this unique piece of work not only gives readers a documentary account of what has been undertaken to empower and assist citizens in the last 50 years or so, but also prompts them to reflect on Singapore’s future trajectory.

Program

5 - 5:15pm: Registration (Guests to be seated by 5:15pm)
5:20pm: Arrival of Guest of Honour
5:30pm: Opening remarks by Dr S Vasoo
5:40pm: Remarks on contributors by Prof Bilveer Singh
5:45pm: Comments by Guest of Honour followed by launch
6pm: Tea Reception

24 August 2018 | 5pm
Auditorium, NUS Shaw Foundation Alumni House
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