## World Goetheanum Association Coord. Asia invites you to a zoom event **From Inner Transformation to Social Change** <u>with Dr. Ha Vinh Tho</u> Thursday, February 23, 2023



Based on the framework of Gross National Happiness from Bhutan, we will explore the inner and outer conditions of Happiness and Wellbeing as a path towards a more compassionate, sustainable and inclusive society, with practical examples in the field of education, business, and community.



Dr. Ha Vinh Tho is the founder of the Eurasia Foundation and of the Eurasia Learning Institute for Happiness and Wellbeing (ELI). He is the co-founder of the Peaceful Bamboo Family, the first Camphill Community in Vietnam.

Former Program Director of the Gross National Happiness Centre in Bhutan. Former Director of Learning and Development at the International Committee of the Red Cross. Former Director of the Camphill Seminar for Curative Education in Switzerland. He holds a Ph.D. in Psychology and Education from Geneva University. He has studied Eurythmy and curative Eurythmy in Dornach / Switzerland. He's also a Buddhist teacher (Dharmacharya) in the Vietnamese Zen tradition, ordained by Zen Master Thich Nhat Hanh.

He has designed and written the teacher's training curriculum "Happy Schools" that has been implemented in many schools in Vietnam and in Switzerland.

He has designed the Gross National Happiness program in Business that has been implemented in several companies in Thailand (B. Grimm), Vietnam (BITIS), and Switzerland (SIG).

He is currently developing a "Happy Village" project in Hoi An / Vietnam to apply the Gross National Happiness framework at local level.

Tho has published many articles, he is the author of several books published in Germany, France, Switzerland, Vietnam, and an international speaker.

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Zoom room opens **19:30** <u>Japan/Korea</u>, **18:30** <u>Philippines/China/Malaysia/Singapore</u>, **17:30** <u>Vietnam/Thailand/Indonesia</u>, **16:30** <u>Bangla Desh</u>, **16:15** <u>Nepal</u>, **16:00** <u>India</u>, **15:30** <u>Pakistan</u>, **12:30** <u>CET</u>. Definite start at 20:00 Japan/Korea, 19:00 Philippines/China/Malaysia/Singapore, 18:00 Vietnam/Thailand/Indonesia, 17:00 Bangla Desh, 16:45 Nepal, 16:30 India, 16:00 Pakistan, 13:00 CET. Our events usually take 90, sometimes up to 120 minutes. <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6312482941?</u> pwd=L1o2emp1bHUwcG94YmlDS1NJcGZTdz09 Meeting-ID: 631 248 2941 Passcode: 9CavFX

You might be interested in our study group on <u>Rudolf Steiner's</u> **"World Economy"**. <u>Next meeting on **March 9**</u>, zoom room opens 1t 18:30 Manila time, definite start at 19:00 <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85771905780?</u> <u>pwd=WTF0eVNyU0ZRRTNrdnhiaVI5enFvQT09</u> Meeting-ID: 857 7190 5780, Passcode: 353845

Also, the follow-up on today's session with Dr. Ha Vinh Tho will be on <u>March 16 and it</u> will feature Le Quyen (Cindy) Vuu, CEO of Bitis, a heritage shoe company of Vietnam with 10,000 co-workers. Ms Vuu has successfully implemented Gross National Happiness Principles in her organization since 2018. <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81606621180?</u> pwd=ejY3TWZ3dzFCVXU5MXdHU3BXV1U1dz09 Meeting-ID: 816 0662 1180 Kenncode: 151322

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