The DCHA Bureau’s Center for Democracy, Human Rights and Governance and the CPC Learning Network present:

Illuminating Change: Ten Years of Measuring the Care and Protection of Children

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1:00 PM – 3:30 PM
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About the speakers:

Alastair Ager is a Professor of Population and Family Health at Columbia University and, from July 2015, Professor of Global Health and Development at Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh.

Neil Boothby is a Professor of Population and Family Health and Director of the Program on Forced Migration and Health at Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health, and the founder of the CPC Learning Network.

Mark Canavera is the Associate Director of the CPC Learning Network and Co-Lead of the Systems Strengthening and Disaster Risk Reduction Task Force of the Child Protection Working Group.

Josh Chaffin is the Coordinator of the Task Force on Livelihoods, Economic Strengthening, and Child Protection and is a Senior Program Officer at the Women’s Refugee Commission.

Robert Horvath is the Interim US Government Special Adviser for Children in Adversity and the Chief of the USAID/DRG Empowerment and Inclusion Division.

Santi Kusumaningrum is the Co-Director of the Center for Child Protection at the University of Indonesia, a CPC Learning Network affiliate institution.

Craig Spencer is an Associate Professor of Medicine at Columbia University Medical Center and an Attending Physician in Emergency Medicine at New York-Presbyterian Hospital in New York.

Lindsay Stark is the Director of the CPC Learning Network and an Associate Professor of Population and Family Health in Columbia University’s Program on Forced Migration and Health.

Agenda

1:00 – 1:10 pm  Introductions  
Mark Canavera

1:10 – 1:15 pm  Opening Remarks  
Robert Horvath

1:15 – 1:45 pm  CPC Learning Network Past to Present  
Dr. Lindsay Stark

1:45 – 3:00 pm  Panel Discussion: Child Protection Learning, Recommendations, and Aspirations  
Panelists: Dr. Alastair Ager, Josh Chaffin, Santi Kusumaningrum, Dr. Craig Spencer  
Moderator: Mark Canavera

3:00 – 3:30 pm  Future Directions of Research for Children and Families  
Dr. Neil Boothby

About the CPC Learning Network:

The CPC Learning Network undertakes innovative research and builds evidence to affect change in child protection policy and practice. The Network was established in 2005 as a mechanism to strengthen and systematize child care and protection through the collaborative action of humanitarian agencies, local institutions, and academic partners. The CPC Network includes agencies working on child protection learning, research, policy advocacy and training initiatives in more than a dozen countries. Local learning networks are active in Indonesia, Liberia, Sri Lanka, Uganda, Burkina Faso, and Colombia.

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