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**What is “Good” Government?**  
Capabilities Matter in an  
Uncertain Future

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# Session Summary

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The world has found itself increasingly beset by complex, concurrent, and interconnected polycrises over the years. Unfortunately, these challenges are not going away as countries across the globe find themselves navigating new concerns by the day, from climate shock and economic malaise to the powerful forces of technological change.

Why have some countries continued to progress amidst uncertainty, while others decline?

The Chandler Good Government Index (CGGI) is a diagnostic tool that measures and benchmarks the capabilities and effectiveness of 113 governments across the world, in countries that account for over 90% of the world's population. It is the most comprehensive index of its kind, and adopts a non-ideological approach to understanding "good" government, looking at the capabilities that matter regardless of political system.

## Session Objectives

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Designed for government practitioners, this engaging and interactive session will draw upon data from the CGGI, to provide insights on these important questions:

- What are the capabilities that governments must develop to manage the challenges of today, and to remain well-prepared for the future?
- How can governments better measure and benchmark their capabilities, as the first step to improve government effectiveness?
- What are some trends and insights on the quality of governments, especially in Asia?
- How is my government performing, relative to peer countries in Asia and beyond?
- What capabilities does my government need to strengthen?

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Tuesday

4:00pm to 5:30pm

The session will be conducted in English. Korean interpretation will be provided.



### *About the Chandler Institute of Governance*

The **Chandler Institute of Governance (CIG)** is an international non-profit organisation headquartered in Singapore. We support governments in developing its leaders, strengthening its institutions, and building its public service capabilities. We do this through training programmes, hands-on projects and partnerships, and knowledge creation and sharing. As part of CIG's work, we release the **Chandler Good Government Index (CGGI)**, which is an annual index that measures the capabilities and effectiveness of 113 governments around the world based on 35 unique indicators.



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