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## *News Release*

### **KOREA TO BE FOCUS OF FAR EAST PROGRAM**

**DAYTON, Ohio, November 18, 1986--**"Korea: Economic Growth Amid Political Insecurity" will be held at the University of Dayton at 8 p.m. Wednesday, December 3, in the Kennedy Union Ball Theatre. The event is fourth in a series of Far East programs sponsored by the UD Center for International Studies and the Dayton Council on World Affairs.

The program on Korea will feature William H. Gleysteen, Jr., former ambassador to the Republic of Korea; John Bennett, president of the Korean Economics Institute; and Chong-Sik Lee, expert on Korean politics and professor of political science at the University of Pennsylvania.

Topics to be discussed include: the potential effects of political dissent in Korea; the United States' ability to influence a stable transition in Korea from an authoritarian to a democratic system; and the prospects for improved relations between North and South Korea, which would decrease the security threat to American interests in the region.

The public is invited to attend the program, which is free of charge through a gift from the Society of Mary. For more information, call the Dayton Council on World Affairs at 229-2319 or UD's Center for International Studies at 229-3514.

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