

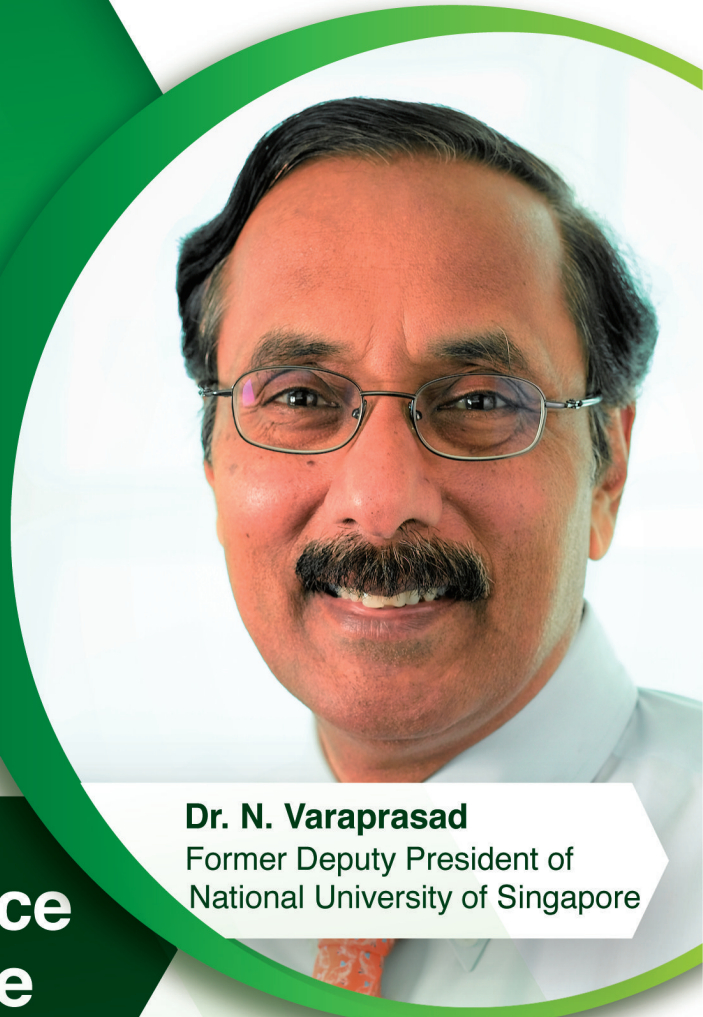
Leading Through Crisis

"Leading Through Crisis" is a webinar series on higher education leadership in Asia, envisioned as an initiative to support leaders in the United Board network during the COVID -19 pandemic. This series will feature one highly acclaimed master speaker each month, from our past leadership development programs, for the next five months. It aims to create an opportunity to reflect on how to better lead the self, and exemplify whole person leadership in a time of crisis.

From Individual Resilience to Institutional Resilience

**November 24, 2020 (Tuesday)
12:30 pm -2:00 pm (HKT)**

The COVID-19 pandemic has ravaged through the education systems of many countries, and higher education institutions have not been spared. Some have come through it in better shape than others, while many private colleges have even had to close. While the difference may be attributed to the financial resources of the institutions, as well as their preparedness for crisis, one must look deeper and look at the individual resilience of those guiding the institutions through the crisis. The presenter will posit that such individual resilience, having bounced back from personal difficulties, would be reflected in the way systemic institutional resilience is constructed.



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Profile of Speaker

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Dr. Prasad has 40 years' experience in higher education, equally split between polytechnic-level education and university education. His extensive experience covers technical and higher education and management.

He was the founding Principal/CEO of the highly innovative Temasek Polytechnic and later Deputy President at the National University of Singapore. He was also Chief Executive of the National Library Board in Singapore for 6 years.

He was also co-Director of Abu Dhabi Polytechnic and later Academic Advisor of the Institute of Applied Technology in the UAE. Currently he is a partner with the Singapore Education Consulting Group as well as a short-term consultant on skills development projects with the World Bank and Asian Development Bank.

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