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# "UTS Opened Doors for Myself, Others"

Richard A. Panzer April 7, 2014

In his moving testimony, UTS graduate Dr. Robert Kittel ('93) describes how his time at UTS "opened doors," both for himself, and others.

Robert, who now serves as Education Director for



UPF-Asia and resides in Nepal, explains: UTS gave me confidence to know that Father's teachings can solve the fundamental theological problems which the greatest minds in history have struggled with for centuries. It also gave me the key, the strategy, to know how to teach the Principle effectively. We have applied this here in Asia. Rather than teach Divine Principle as a theory or a philosophy, we apply the Principle to solve major social problems.



*If the Principle is taught as an ideology then it is immediately* and unconditionally challenging. Everyone has some philosophy that leads them (however well-defined or illdefined it may be). So, instead of teaching from the our-truth-is-

better-than-yours mentality, we simply show how Father's teaching can effectively address the big problems, such as: corruption, gender prejudice, resource depletion, environmental pollution, sustainable development, trafficking women, rape, family breakdown, suicide, communism and democracy, and how to build political consensus between these competing global isms-including religions. (read rest of Robert Kittel's testimony)

Want to explore how the Principle can effectively be applied to real-world problems? Thinking about finishing your college or graduate education? Why not do so at an institution where you don't have to hide your faith? For those seeking a quality education and an accredited Bachelor of Arts degree, Open Houses at Barrytown College for prospective students take place on several Saturdays this Spring. For more information or to register, visit B.C. Open Houses.

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I invite you to JOIN WITH US in building a future at Barrytown that we can all be proud of to leave for succeeding generations.

### Sincerely,

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