



Dasho Karma Tshiteem

**Core Working Group Member for National Service and Gelephu Mindfulness City;
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Dasho Karma Tshiteem currently serves as the Chairman of the National Service Core Working Group that has been established to oversee the setting up of Bhutan's National Service as a platform, in line with the vision of His Majesty the King, to help the youth unlock their full potential as individuals and as citizens, to protect and promote the interest of the country. He also serves on the Governing Board and as faculty in the Royal Institute of Governance and Strategic Studies, the nation's premier leadership development institute as well as a member of the Governing Board of The Druk Gyalpo's Institute, an institution spearheading education reforms. He is also a member of the Gelephu Mindfulness City Core Working Group. He also serves as the Chairman of the Bhutan National Bank and Bhutan Hydropower Services Limited.

Prior to that, Dasho Karma Tshiteem served as the Chairman of the Royal Civil Service Commission, a constitutional body responsible for leading and shaping a unified, impartial, meritocratic and professional civil service until March 2019. From 2007 to 2014, he served as the Secretary of the Gross National Happiness Commission, the main planning agency responsible for ensuring that Bhutan's development leads to GNH. He also served in various capacities in the Ministry of Finance until 2007.

He was awarded the Red Scarf and the title of Dasho by His Majesty the King in December 2015.

He graduated with an MBA from the University of Canberra, Australia in 1994.