

# CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

## Khmer Studies Forum

Center for Southeast Asian Studies  
Ohio University  
Saturday, May 30, 2009

The Khmer Studies Forum will be holding its inaugural meeting at Ohio University, Athens, Ohio on Saturday, May 30, 2009. This forum is being organized by the Center for Southeast Asian Studies and the Southeast Asian Studies Program at Ohio University.

All are invited to present their research findings at the Khmer Studies Forum. The Khmer Studies Forum is an informal organization of scholars interested in all aspects of Khmer studies. The Forum intends to facilitate a scholarly discussion regarding research, archival access, and fieldwork challenges and opportunities. Graduate students are especially encouraged to submit abstracts. Membership in the Khmer Studies Forum is free and there is no registration fee for the meeting. Interested individuals should contact: Sok Udom DETH at [oukhmerstudies@gmail.com](mailto:oukhmerstudies@gmail.com).

### **Abstracts are due by May 1, 2009.**

The Khmer Studies Forum welcomes individual and group submissions. A maximum of twenty minutes will be allocated per presenter. Individuals wanting to distribute written copies of their papers and/or powerpoint presentations should ensure that a soft copy is sent to Sok Udom DETH at [oukhmerstudies@gmail.com](mailto:oukhmerstudies@gmail.com) by May 22, 2009.

Acceptance of abstracts and information regarding scheduling of panels will be sent to those who submit proposals by May 8, 2009. If you are unable to attend the forum, but would like a copy of the program please send an email to: Sok Udom DETH at [oukhmerstudies@gmail.com](mailto:oukhmerstudies@gmail.com).

For more information regarding the Khmer Studies Forum, please contact the student organizer: Sok Udom DETH at [oukhmerstudies@gmail.com](mailto:oukhmerstudies@gmail.com). You may also contact Anthony Medrano at the Center for Southeast Asian Studies at [medrano@ohio.edu](mailto:medrano@ohio.edu) or 740-593-1841.

### **ABSTRACT INFORMATION**

Please email your abstract (300 words) and a current CV to Sok Udom DETH at [oukhmerstudies@gmail.com](mailto:oukhmerstudies@gmail.com). The abstract must be in **PDF FORMAT** and should include the following information:

Name:

Institutional Affiliation:

Working Title:

Keywords:

Individual or group submission (if group, please indicate other participants and their working titles)

Body of abstract should describe major ideas, primary disciplinary framework, and research base of paper (can be submitted separately as attachment to e-mail):

## **FORUM INFORMATION**

The Khmer studies forum's program and schedule will be distributed by **EMAIL ONLY** in early May 2009. Participants will be responsible for making their own room reservations. Affordable guest housing is available at Bromley Hall (Tel: 740-566-9001; Fax: 740-566-9005; Email: [meier@ohio.edu](mailto:meier@ohio.edu)). Alternatively, several members of the Southeast Asian Studies community at Ohio University are willing to provide weekend accommodation to forum participants. For more information about this free opportunity, please contact Anthony Medrano at [medrano@ohio.edu](mailto:medrano@ohio.edu) or 740-593-1841. Free transportation from Columbus Port International Airport (CMH) to Ohio University is available for forum participants. Flight information (airline, city of departure, arrival date, and arrival time) must be received by Friday, May 22, 2009. Please send this information to Sok Udom DETH at [oukhmerstudies@gmail.com](mailto:oukhmerstudies@gmail.com).