

Schedule for First Annual Khmer Studies Forum – Athens, Ohio University.

9:30 – 9:55 Refreshment

9:55 – 10:00 Welcome speech by Dr. Gene Ammarell, Director of Center of SEA Studies

First Panel: Archeology

10:00 – 10:45 Wes Clarke: “Problems and Prospects for Cambodia's Endangered Cultural Heritage.”

10:45 – 11:10 Alison Carter: “Exploring Trade and Exchange Networks in Iron Age Cambodia: Preliminary Results from a Study of Stone and Glass Beads.”

10:10 – 10:30 Q&A Session

11:30 – 13:00: Lunch Break (self provided)

Second Panel: History

13:00 – 13:20 Sok Udom Deth: “A Survey of Resistance Movements in Cambodia’s Modern History: From Po Kombo to Chakrapong.”

13:20 – 13:40 Bruce Douglas: “Democratic Kampuchea’s Foreign Policy after 1979.”

13:40 – 14:00 Huong Nguyen: “Vietnamese Press on the Memoirs of the Khmer Rouge.”

14:00 – 14:30 Q & A Session

Third Panel: Politics and Media

14:45 – 15:05 Im Sothearith: “Cambodian Public Admin Reform.”

15:05 – 15:25 Chalisa Magpanthong: “Media Framing of Labor Migration in the Mekong Sub-Region: A Case Study of Thailand, Cambodia, Lao PDR, and Myanmar.”

15:25 – 15:45 Farina So: “Website Development: Building Bridges between the Cambodian Cham Muslims and the Rest of the World.”

15:45 – 16:15 Q&A Session

Fourth Panel: Anthropology and Religious Studies

16:20 – 16:40 Jared Cahners: “Hunter Monks and Kpa Klon: Built Space and National Stories in Cambodia’s Highland Provincial Capitals.”

16:40 – 17:00 Bruce Douglas: “Exploring the Revitalization of Buddhism in Cambodia after the Khmer Rouge.”

17:00 – 17:20 Q&A Session

17:20 – 17:30 Closing Remarks