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ON SOUTH-EAST ASIAN STUDIES
June 19 - 20, 2009

University of Vienna
Kleiner Festsaal / Main Building / 1st Floor
Dr.Karl Lueger-Ring 1 / 1010 Vienna / Austria

JUNE 19, 2009

9:00
Conference
Welcome

SABINE PUTZGRUBER SEAS
VERENA STERN Graduate Center of Social Sciences, University of Vienna, Austria

PANEL 1 REGIONAL CRISES AND CONFLICTS

Moderation

PROF. HELMUT KRAMER University of Vienna, Austria

Keynote
Address

PROF. CHUNG-YOUNG CHANG Fo-Guang University, Taiwan
The Developments and Impacts of Non-Traditional Security Threats in South-East Asia

DR. ALFRED GERSTL Macquarie University, Australia
ASEAN in the "War on Terror": The Securitization, Criminalization, ASEANization and Depoliticization of Terrorism

11:00 - 11:30
Coffee Break

ASSOC. PROF. RAMSES AMER Stockholm University, Sweden
The Association of Southeast Asian Nations' (ASEAN) Conflict Management Approach Revisited: Will the Charter Reinforce ASEAN's Role?

PROF. ANIS H. BAJREKTAREVIC IMC University of Applied Sciences, Krems, Austria
Structural Differences in Security Structures of Europe and Asia as a Possible Conflicting Cause in the South-East Asian Theatre

12:30 - 13:30
Lunch Break

PANEL 2 NATIONAL CRISES AND CONFLICTS

Moderation

MICHAEL LIDAUER Austrian Study Center for Peace and Conflict Resolution, Stadtschlaing

ANDREW HUMPHREYS University of Wollongong, Australia
The Malaysian Security Model: Toward a Security-Oriented Perspective on National Development

ISKHAK FATONIE University of Vienna, Austria
Decentralization in Post Conflict Society: Insights from Aceh, Indonesia

CHRISTIAN WARTA University of Vienna, Austria
Is Indonesian Papua Indonesia's Future? A Socio-Anthropological Conflict Analysis

15:30 - 16:00
Coffee Break

PROF. HUNG-GUK CHO Pusan National University, South-Korea
Chinese Influence and Ethnic Chinese in Myanmar

BIRTE BRECHT Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany
Women in Conflict – A Case Study from Mindanao, the Philippines

17:00 - 17:30
Coffee Break

RASHMI RAMAN New York University School of Law | National University of Singapore
Chiaroscuro in Conflict and Constitutionalism – Timor Leste as an 'Emergocracy'

SUNG YONG LEE University of St. Andrews University, UK
Orchestrating Security Cooperation Among Regional Actors: Comparative Studies of the Peace Processes in Cambodia and El Salvador

18:30
Endnote
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DR. PETER JANKOWITSCH Austrian Foreign Minister a.d.,
President of the Austrian-Vietnamese Society

*Adjacent Evening Programme, Evening Walk Through Vienna,
Dinner at Spittelberg > Please Register at publics@seas.at.*

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10:00

Moderation

PANEL 3 ECONOMIC & ENVIRONMENTAL CRISES AND CONFLICTS

DR. BELINDA HELMKE SEAS

Keynote
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PROF. HAROLD KERBO California Polytechnic State University, USA
Sustainable Economic Development and Poverty Reduction in the Buddhist Countries of South-East Asia: The Crisis in Cambodia

DR. MARION PIRCHER Austrian National Bank
The East Asian Crisis 1997/98 and its Resolution: A Challenge for South-East Asia Illustrated for Indonesia and Malaysia

12:00 - 12:30
Coffee Break

JÜRGEN BRAUNSTEIN University of Vienna, Austria
Sovereign Wealth Funds: Stabilizers or Trouble Makers in a Transnational Environment

DR. OLIVER PYE University of Bonn, Germany
Palm Oil as a Transnational Crisis in South-East Asia

HENRIETTE LITTA Free University of Berlin, Germany
Transboundary Haze Pollution in South-East Asia

13:30 - 14:30
Lunch Break

PANEL 4 CULTURE & RELIGION IN CRISES AND CONFLICTS

Moderation

DR. MARTIN SLAMA Austrian Academy of Sciences

CARSTEN KLÖPPER University of Cologne, Germany
Aids and Buddhism - The Psychological Benefit of Buddhism for the HIV/Aids Prevention in Thailand

CHRISTOPH TRINN University of Heidelberg, Germany
Democracy and the Management of Cultural Conflicts

15:30 - 16:00
Coffee Break

VERONICA FUTTERKNECHT University of Vienna, Austria
Weikza-Cults in Contemporary Burma: Characteristics and Potential of „Messianic“ Buddhism

ASS.PROF. MARJA-LEENA HEIKKILA-HORN Mahidol University
International College, Thailand
Santi Asoke Buddhism and the Occupation of Bangkok International Airport

17:00
Ending