



PROGRAMME

The Inaugural AIS/SEARC and Murdoch/ARC Workshop

The Politics of Southeast Asia under Multipolarity

Thursday, November 20 and Friday, November 21, 2014

Venue: Meeting Room 5216 (Level 5), Academic 3 Building

City University of Hong Kong



Day 1: Thursday, November 20

10:00am: Meet at University Circle, City University of Hong Kong (see attached map)

10:00-10:20am: Coffee and snacks

10:20am-12:00pm: Panel 1: Theorising the Political Economy of Southeast Asia's ongoing Transformation

Richard Higgott: International Political Economy and Southeast Asia: Theory in Search of a Region or a Region in Search of Theory?

Richard Robison: From Authoritarianism to Populism: How Political Economy has explained the Evolution of Politics in Southeast Asia

Paul Cammack: Southeast Asia and the New World Market

12:00-1:30pm: Lunch at City Top (9/F, Amenities Building)

1:30pm-3:10pm: Panel 2: Theorising the Political Economy of Southeast and Northeast Asia's ongoing Transformation (i)

Jonathan London: China, Vietnam, and the Developmental State

Shahar Hameiri and Lee Jones: Murdoch International: The 'Murdoch School' in International Relations

Nicholas Thomas: The Economics of Power Transitions: Australia between China and the United States

3:10-3:30pm: Coffee and snacks

Theorising the Political Economy of Southeast and Northeast Asia's ongoing Transformation (ii)

3:30pm-5:10pm: Panel 3:

Jeffrey Wilson: Regionalising resource security in the Asia-Pacific: The challenge of economic nationalism

Ruben Gonzalez: A political economy of Chinese mining investment in Latin America

Vedi Hadiz: Political Economy and Islamic Politics: Southeast Asia and Beyond

Day 2: Friday, November 21, 2014

10:00am: Meet at Meeting Room 5216, Academic Building 3 (see attached map)

10:00am-10:20am: Coffee and snacks

10:20am-12:00pm: Panel 4: Politics and Representation in Contemporary Southeast Asia (i)

Jane Hutchison: Remaking the Poor: Poor People's Responses to Donors' Market Citizenship Programs in Southeast Asia

Mark Thompson: Can 'Good Governance' Break Bad? Reformism in Southeast Asia

William Case: Democracy's Mixed Fortunes in Southeast Asia Today: Elite Relations, Social Coalitions, and Populist Mobilization

12:00pm-1:30pm: Lunch at City Chinese Restaurant (8/F Amenities Building)

1:30pm-3:30pm: Panel 5: Politics and Representation in Contemporary Southeast Asia (ii)

Kevin Hewison: Thailand's Return to Authoritarianism: Royalism, Protest, Class

Garry Rodan: Limits to Consensus Representation in Singapore

Ewelina Karas: Societal mobilization against Elected Leaders in Thailand and Ukraine

Stephan Ortmann: Singapore: Authoritarian Rule and the Consequences of Increasingly Competitive Politics

3:30pm-4:00pm: Closing discussion – What comes next? (publications, future workshops, networks)

7:30pm: Dinner: Woosung Street Temporary Cooked Food Bazaar, Woosung Street, Jordan

Information on getting to dinner will be provided at the workshop

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Getting to CityU

By Taxi

Ask the taxi driver to take you to City University of Hong Kong, Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon and drop you off at the University Circle (城大廣場).

Please print this address label to show Taxi driver.



By MTR

Take the MTR to Kowloon Tong Station and exit at exit A2

- a. Find Shop LG1-10, take the escalator next to it, which brings you to a pedestrian subway leading to CityU.
- b. Pass through the pedestrian subway and turn right to reach the Chinese Garden.
- c. Walk through the Chinese Garden and you will see University Circle and the Academic 3 building in front of you.

City University Map

When you are dropped off at the University Circle (arrow 1), go along the covered walkway and follow the directional signs which will lead you to the Academic 3 (arrow 2) building.

