



## **Local Museum Festival 2008**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> – Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2008**

**Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Anthropology Centre (Public Organization)**

The Local Museum Festival aims to create a forum for knowledge-sharing and capacity building among museum operators and to promote awareness of Thailand's diverse local museums among the general public. Representatives from 75 local museums nationwide present their stories and display precious objects and local artifacts from community-based and private collections.

During the three-day festival, local museum operators, museologists and museum curators will have the opportunity to share their experiences on museum practices and building cultural networks. The program discussion is organized into four themes as follows:

- 1) Learning from International Experiences of Local Museums,
- 2) Capacity building for Small to Medium-sized Museums
- 3) Local Museums and Networking, and
- 4) Local Knowledge in Museums: a Comparative Perspective

Within each theme, presentations will be given by a range of actors – curators, museum keepers, scholars, cultural workers-- in the Thai and international museum world.

## **Programme in Auditorium on the 4<sup>th</sup> Fl.**

### **November 3<sup>rd</sup> 2008**

10.00 am	Opening Ceremony presided over by H.R.H. Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn
10.00 – 10.30 am	“Research and Capacity Building for Local Museums” Keynote speech by Dr. Paritta C. Koanantakool, Director of the Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Anthropology Centre
10.30 – 12.00 am	Visit of H.R.H. Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn to exhibition
12.00 am – 01.00 pm	Lunch

01.00 – 02.00 PM

#### **Learning from International Experiences of Local Museums**

##### **George Town as an "Open Museum": Community Efforts in Cultural Interpretation**

Speaker Khoo Salma Nasution  
(Lestari Heritage Network, Penang Malaysia)

Translator Ms. Patsri Tippayapapai

02.00-03.20 PM

#### **Capacity building for Small to Medium-sized Museums**

##### **Role of the Buddhist monks as keepers and managers of monastery museums**

###### Speakers

Pra Khru Sangharukpaibool (Education Museum of Wat Ngang, Bangkok)  
Pra Khru Boonchayakorn (Local Museum of Wat Chaisri, Khonkaen)  
Pramaha Yothin Thanissaro (Payao Cultural Exhibition Hall of Wat Sri Khomkam, Payao)

###### Moderator

Mr. Vishnu Aimpraneetra (Thai Human Imagery Museum, Nakhon Pathom)

03.20 – 04.20 PM

#### **Local Museums and Networking**

##### **How can scholars collaborate with cultural workers in museum networking?**

###### Speakers

- Mr. Bhudhorn Bhumathon (Ancient Heritage and Environment Preservation Society of Lob Buri)
- Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rasmi Shoocongdej (Archaeology Department, Faculty of Archaeology, Silpakorn University)
- Assoc. Prof. Sayan Phraichanjitr (Archaeology Department, Faculty of Archaeology, Silpakorn University)

###### Moderator

Mr. Chewasit Boonyakiet (Researcher - SAC)

04.30 – 05.30 PM

Cultural Event: Performance of the ethnic group *Tai Dam*, Petchaburi

November 4<sup>th</sup> 2008

09.00 – 09.20 AM

**Special Talk: Review on Thai local museums in two past decades**

Assoc. Prof. Srisakra Vallibhodom (Consultant of Lek – Prapai Viriyapant Foundation)

09.20 – 10.40 AM

**DIY for Small Museums**

*Capacity building for Small to Medium-sized Museums*

Speakers

Ms. Sithana Wasuthan & Ms. Sathorn Wasuthan

(Private collection of H.R.H. Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn, Suan Pathum Royal Residence

Mr. Panus Choochoi & Mr. Vithit Tempholboon (Development for Children and Youth Foundation)

Moderator

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rasmi Shoocongdej

10.40 – 12.00 AM

*Learning from International Experiences of Local Museums*

**Local Museums in Japan: The Case of the Minamata Disease Museum**

Speaker Dr. Kyo HIRAI (National Museum of Ethnology, OSAKA - JAPAN)

Translator Ms. Muthita Panich

**12.00 AM – 01.00 PM Lunch**

01.00 – 02.00 PM

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**How can Museums be educational and fun for Children?**

Speakers

Mr. Kriengkrai Ruekgam (Bangkok Local Museum of Bang Khun Thien, Klong Pithayalongkorn School)

Mr. Somsuan Booranabongse (Pong Manow Local Museum, Lob Buri)

Speaker & Moderator

Asst. Prof. Suvanna Kriengkraipetch (Consultant of Academic and Research Division- SAC)

02.00 – 03.00 PM

*Learning from International Experiences of Local Museums*

**Repatriation and the Development of Indigenous Museum Models, Australia Local**

Speaker Moira G. Simpson

(Division of Education, Arts and Social Sciences - University of South, Australia)

Translator Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rasmi Shoocongdej

03.00 – 04.00 PM

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**Creating Our Own Exhibition, Educational Activities and Community Engagement**

Speakers

Mr. Songsak Kaewmool (Museum of Wat Lai Hin Luang, Lampang)

Mr. Wirat Noipracha (Local Museum of Wat Thaphut, Nakhon Pathom)

Speaker & Moderator

Mr. Chanvit Teerapasert (Exhibit Designer in Research and Development of Local Museum Project - SAC)

04.00 – 04.30 PM

**Talk on Shadow Puppets: *Nang Talung* and *Nang Yai***

*Local Knowledge in Museums : a Comparative Perspective*

Speakers

Pra Khru Pitak Silpakom (Museum of Shadow puppets, Wat Khanon, Ratcha Buri)

Mr. Nakarin Chathong (Folk Museum of Southern Culture, Songkhla)

Moderator

Mr. Nantawat Chatuthai (Researcher - SAC)

04.30 – 05.30 PM

Cultural Event: Shadow Puppet Performance of *Talung* from 2 National Artists

November 5<sup>th</sup> 2008

09.00 – 10.00 AM

Learning from International Experiences of Local Museums

**The Journey of Toilet: From International Collection to India**

Speaker Mr. Bageshwar Jha and or Ms. Jyotsana Tripathi  
(Sulabh International Museum of Toilets, New Delhi – INDIA)

Translator Ms. Prapatsorn Posrithong

10.00 – 11.00 AM

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**Museum Marketing and Branding - What's the key?**

Speakers

Ms. Pornsiri Booranaket (Sgt.Maj.Thawee Folk Museum, Phitsanulok)

Mrs. Rujita Punkabutra (Bangkok Children Museum, Jatujak Bangkok)

Speaker & Moderator

Ms. Prapatsorn Posrithong (Sirindhorn Museum, Kalasin)

11.00 – 12.00 AM

Local Knowledge in Museums : a Comparative Perspective

**Life Story of an Object: what's a Sickle telling?**

Speakers

Mrs. Chantana Saraburin (Art & Cultural Centre of Hua Samrong, Chachoengsao)

Mr. Ruengchai Jamniyom (Thai Farmer's Life Museum of Ban Lan Laem, Nakhon Pathom)

Moderator

Asst. Prof. Suvanna Kriengkraipetch (Consultant of Academic and Research Division- SAC)

**12.00 AM – 01.00 PM Lunch**

01.00 – 01.45 PM

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**Presentation for Digital System of Museum Object Registration**

Speaker Mr. Rajabadin Suwannakhanthi  
(National Electronics and Computer Technology Center - NECTEC)

01.45 – 02.30 PM

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**DIY – Easy Photo Exhibition**

Speakers

Ms. Naunphan Boontham

Ms. Jutamas Limratanaphun (Researchers in Project Research and Development of Local Museum - SAC)

02.30 – 04.30 PM

**Movie Screening - The Keeper: The Legend of Omar Khayyam (2005) - Iran**

Are you a Keeper? What's story you tell?

Talk & Moderator

Ms. Thida Phalitapolkarnpim (Film Critist – Bioscope Magazine)

Mr. Chewasit Boonyakiet (Researcher - SAC)

04.30 – 05.00 PM

Closing ceremony of Local Museum Festival 2008

**Note** The program is subject to change without notice.