



NEGOTIATING ETHNIC DIVERSITY AND NATIONAL IDENTITY IN HISTORY EDUCATION: AN EAST-WEST COMPARISON

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Date: 12-13 February, 2020
Venue: Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Programme

Day 1: 12 February 2020 (Wednesday)

0900 – 0915	Welcoming Remarks Prof. Dr. Sufian Jusoh, Director Institute of Malaysian and International Studies (IKMAS)
0915 – 0930	Introduction Associate Prof. Dr Helen Ting Head of Centre for Occidental Studies (iKON) IKMAS
0930 – 1010	Keynote Speech 1: Efforts of Council of Europe & UNESCO to Foster Reconciliation in Post-conflict Countries – Lessons Learnt Emeritus Prof. Dr. Luigi Cajani Sapienza University of Rome
1010 – 1030	Q & A
1030 - 1045	Tea/Coffee Break
1045 - 1135	Panel 1: Historical Thinking and Difficult Histories Dr. Mark Sheehan Victoria University of Wellington

	<p>National Identity in History Curriculum: Educating for citizenship Dr. Heather Sharp University of New Castle, Australia</p> <p>Discussant: Associate Prof. Dr. Michael Barr</p>
1135 - 1155	Q & A
1155 - 1245	<p>Panel 2: Portrayals of Ethnic Minorities, Migration and Empire in English History Textbooks, 1920-2020 Prof. Dr. Stuart Foster Institute of Education, University College London</p> <p>History Education in Multicultural Contexts: A Canadian Perspective Naomi Ostwald Kawamura University of British Columbia Vancouver, Canada</p> <p>Discussant: Emeritus Prof. Dr. Luigi Cajani</p>
1245 - 1305	Q & A
1305 - 1400	Lunch Break
1400 - 1450	<p>Panel 3: Unity in Diversity or Political Separation Driven by Cultural Difference? Textbook Revision in Bosnia and Herzegovina Dr. Falk Pingel Georg Eckert Institute, Braunschweig</p> <p>The Teaching of Ethnic Minorities' History in Myanmar's Post-junta Context: Curricular Decentralization as an Antidote to "Burmanization"? Mr. Mael Raynaud Policy Institute for Urban and Regional Planning, Yangon</p> <p>Discussant: Prof. Dr. Stuart Foster</p>
1450 - 1510	Q & A
1510 - 1525	Tea/Coffee Break

1525 - 1615	<p>Panel 4: Tribes and Tribalism: Defining Multiculturalism in Taiwan Dr. Alisa Jones University of Tuebingen, Germany</p> <p>Re-constructing the Nation: Struggles in Portraying Ethnic Minorities in Chinese Mainstream History Textbooks Dr. Fei Yan South China Normal University, Guangzhou</p> <p>Discussant: Prof. Dr. Edward Vickers</p>
1615 - 1635	Q & A
Day 2: 13 February 2020 (Thursday)	
0900 - 0940	<p>Keynote Speech 2: Politics of Reconciliation through History Education in East Asian Countries Prof. Dr. Edward Vickers Kyushu University, Fukuoka</p>
0940 - 1000	Q & A
1000 - 1015	Tea/Coffee Break
1015 - 1105	<p>Panel 5: Negotiating Ethnic Diversity and National Identity in History Education: The Case of Thailand Prof. Dr. Thanet Aphornsuvan Thammasat University, Bangkok</p> <p>“Religion First, Ethnicity Second”: Representations of National Identity in History Education in Indonesia since 1998 Dr. Agus Suwignyo Universitas Gajah Mada, Yogyakarta</p> <p>Discussant: Dr. Falk Pingel</p>

1105 - 1125	Q & A
1125 - 1215	<p>Panel 6: Singapore Comes to Terms with Its Malay Past: The Politics of 'History' in a Chinese-multiracial City-state Associate Prof. Dr. Michael Barr Flinders University, Adelaide</p> <p>Evolution of Historical Narratives in Secondary History Textbooks Since Independence in Malaysia Associate Prof. Dr. Helen Ting Institute of Malaysian and International Studies, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia</p> <p>Discussant: Prof. Dr. Thanet Aphornsuvan</p>
1215 - 1245	Q & A
1245 - 1400	Lunch Break
1400 - 1600	<p>Plenary Roundtable: Emeritus Prof. Dr. Luigi Cajani Prof. Dr. Stuart Foster Prof. Dr. Edward Vickers Dr. Falk Pingel Prof. Dr. Thanet Aphornsuvan</p> <p>Moderator: Associate Prof. Dr. Helen Ting</p>
1600	End of Conference

Notes

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