International Conference of Alternative Perspectives in the Humanities and the Social Sciences: Development and Conflict

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- The Guild of Independent Scholars
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- JAPSS Press
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Topic for the Conference: Conflict and Development: Challenges and Opportunities for Change.

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Conference Program

October 1, 2010

2:15 P.M. Dr. Yin C. Chuan, Taiwan Normal University (Taipei, Taiwan) (Keynote Speaker)
“Political Consumerism: A New Approach to Democratization and Nation Building”

2:30 P.M. Dr. Ukerior Gabriel Moti, University of Abuja (Nigeria)
“An Examination of the Effect of Tiv-Jukun Conflict of Central Nigeria on Development”

2:45 P.M. Mostafa Taleshi and Shapoor Divsalar, Payam Noor University (Iran)
“The Role of Cultural Houses and Center in Institutionalization and Development of Electronic City”

3:00 P.M. Ms. Vannaponnd Suttichujit and Dr. Cassandra L. Keller, Lynn University (Boca Raton, Florida)
Keynote Virtual Presentation:
“Response to the National Policy: How Response to Intervention will lead the United States to become the Leading Knowledge-Based Society”
3:45 P.M. Dr. Al Fuertes, George Mason University
“Peacebuilders in Southeast Asia Describe the Dynamic Interplay between Best Practice and Consciousness Towards Social Transformation”

4:00 P.M. Ms. Nadia Ayub, College of Business Management, Karachi, Pakistan
“A Comparative Study of Private and Public Universities Teachers Job Satisfaction”

4:15 P.M. Dr. Erna Oliver, University of South Africa, South Africa
“Redefining Christianity as an identity frame for Afrikaners”

4:30 P.M. Prof. Bikramaditya Choudhary, Banaras Hindu University Varanasi
“Resource, Conflict and Development in India: A Political Ecology Perspective”

4:45 P.M. Prof. Denis Ushakov, Northern Caucasian Academy of Public Services, Russia
“The Innovative Capacity of Local Society in the Global Economy”

5:00 P.M. Dr. Manish Sinha, Post Graduate Department of History, Magadh University, Bodh Gaya, Bihar, India
“The Naxal Movement In India: Historical Perspectives and Current Dimensions”

5:15 P.M. Mostafa Taleshi and Shapoor Divsalar, Payam Noor University (Iran)
“The City and Governing of Integrated Management”

5:30 P.M. Saman Maksuk, The Pakpingjai Home Foundation (Phayao, Thailand)
“A Model of Holistic Potential-Development for the Abused Underprivileged Children”

5:45 P.M. Amity and Cooperation Agreement between the Pakpinjai Home Foundation and the International University of Humanities and Social Sciences (San Jose, Costa Rica) signed by Assistant Professor Sumonrat Suttichujit of IUHS and Mr. Saman Maksuk representing the Foundation.

6:00 P.M. Sadik Kirazli, University of Melbourne (Australia)
“An alternative voice in establishing social cohesion and building peace: scope, approach and method”

October 2, 2010

9:45 A.M. Dr. Patrick McAllister, University of Canterbury (New Zealand) (Keynote Speaker)
“Looking to the future, remembering the past: The Vietnamese lunar new year (Tet Nguyen Dan) in the context of rapid change and development”

10:00 A.M. Dr. Al Fuertes, George Mason University (USA)
“Rethinking How We Channel Relief Assistance and Humanitarian Services to Refugees and Internally Displaced Communities in Southeast Asia”
10:15 A.M. Dr. William Bostock, University of Tasmania (Australia)
“Psychological Consequences of System State Corruption: a Research Agenda”

10:30 A.M. Prof. Zenaida Varona and Prof. Helen Gumba, University of the Philippines Manila, School of Health Sciences
“Health Promotion and Advocacy for the Control of Schistosomiasis in Conflict and Poverty Stricken Areas of Northern Samar, Philippines”

10:45 A.M. Dr. Daniel Mishori, Tel Aviv University and the Ashkelon Academic College (Israel)
“Conceptualizing the Commons: The controversy over Highway Billboards in Israel”

11:00 A.M. Ms. Farheen Nasir, Institute of Clinical Psychology, University of Karachi (Pakistan)
“Impact of Emotional Competence Training upon Emotional Intelligence and Interpersonal Relationships of Adolescents”

11:15 A.M. Dr. Muhammad Rizwan, Institute of Clinical Psychology, University of Karachi (Pakistan)
“Self-esteem as a Predictor of Suicide Risk Among Psychiatric Patients”

2:00 P.M. Dr. Ukertor Gabriel Moti, University of Abuja (Nigeria)
Conferment of Fellowship (Guild of Independent Scholars and JAPSS)

October 3, 2010

4:45 P.M, Prasit Sangomek, International Shinawatra University (Thailand)
“Criteria Factors of High Performance Organization (HPO) in the Air Force”

5:00 P.M. Mr. Voranij Vasuratna, Bangkok University (Thailand)
“Defining the Concept of Communication Competence in Thai Context”

5:15 P.M. Prof. Maria Catalina Tolentino, University of the Philippines School of Labor and Industrial Relations
“The Child Workers of Navotas, Philippines: Fishing for a Living”

5:30 P.M. Dr. Bhaskar Majumder, G.B.Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad-211019, India.
“Land Acquisition for Industrialization in India: Displacement of People and Role of the State”

October 5, 2010

5:30 P.M. Mr. Tanakorn Limsarun, Shinawatra University
“The Customer Relationship Management Practice of Information and Communication Technology Public Listed Companies in Thailand”

5:45 P.M. Daniel Clausen, Florida International University
Virtual Presentation: “Interrogating Multiple Causes and Disciplinary Boundaries in the Study of Scarcity, Politics, and Conflict”
Video: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A_DNLLqVsvU
6:00 P.M. Fatemeh Khozaei, School of Housing Building and planning, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Penang, Malaysia
Dolapo Amole, Department of Architecture, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria
Ahmad Sanusi Hassan, School of Housing Building and planning, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Penang, Malaysia
Zahra khozaei, School of humanities, Universiti sains Malaysia, Penang, Malaysia
Virtual Presentation: “The hostel, the house, a qualitative study of female postgraduate students”

6:15 P.M. Prof. Dr. Seema Munaf, Institute of Clinical Psychology, University of Karachi: Pakistan
Virtual Presentation: “Teacher’s Quality Performance as a Function of Management Style in Higher Educational Institutions”

6:30 P.M. Dr. Alphonse Kasongo, Keller Graduate School of Management, Devry University (Virginia, USA)
Virtual Presentation: “Role of Humanitarian Organizations in African Conflicts”