December 22, 2017

Dear Professors,

It is an honor and privilege to invite you to attend the Southeast Asia Directors of Music Association (SEADOM) Congress 2018 which will take place from March 15 to March 17, 2018 at Southeast Asia Music Museum at the College of Music, Mahidol University in Nakhon Pathom, Thailand.

This year is the 10th SEADOM Congress with its theme of “Connecting Across Borders.” Congress sessions of interest will include - Keynote Addresses by Dr. Kit Young, Founder of Gitameit Music Center in Myanmar, Mr. Phloen Prim, Executive Director, Cambodian Living Arts, and Professor Dr. Mohd Anis Md Nor, Managing Director of Nusantara Performing Arts Research Centre in Malaysia as well as theme sessions, panel discussions, paper presentations and student project performance involving students from around Southeast Asia.

All relevant information regarding SEADOM Congress 2018 will be available on www.seadom.org. All members are cordially invited to attend SEADOM General Assembly to be held on Friday, March 16th, 2018.

We are very much looking forward to seeing you in March.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard Lanskey, SEADOM President
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The 10th Southeast Asia Directors of Music Association Congress (SEADOM)  
“Connecting Across Borders”  
Thursday - Saturday, March 15 - 17, 2018  
Southeast Asia Music Museum, College of Music at Mahidol University  
Nakhon Pathom, Thailand  

Please note that all relevant information regarding SEADOM Congress 2018 will be available very soon on SEADOM website: www.seadom.org.

SEADOM is now a formal member association and we wish for you and your institution to be involved. Congress sessions of interest will include - Keynote Addresses by Dr. Kit Young, Founder of Gitameit Music Center in Myanmar, Mr. Phloen Prim, Executive Director, Cambodian Living Arts, and Professor Dr. Mohd Anis Md Nor, Managing Director of Nusantara Performing Arts Research Centre in Malaysia and breakout group sessions on the SEADOM working themes:

1. Leadership, Communication and Advocacy  
2. Staff and Student Opportunities  
3. Quality in Teaching and Learning  
4. Southeast Asian Music Traditions  
5. Research and Critical Reflection  
6. Celebrating the New, and  
7. Professional Development and Community Engagement
There will also be a student project performance on Saturday, March 17, 2018.

Air Travel
Participants are responsible for their own air travel to Bangkok, Thailand.

Hotel
Participants are responsible for their own hotel reservation. It is recommended to make your booking in advance. (Please see attachment for hotel recommendations near Salaya)

Meals
Dinner on March 15, 2018 as well as lunch and coffee break on March 15 - 17, 2018 will be provided during the congress.

Registration
The 10th SEADOM Congress will begin with registration on Thursday, March 15, 2018 at 2.30 p.m. and the congress will conclude on Saturday, March 17, 2018 at 2.00 p.m. Participants should plan to make air flight arrangements accordingly. Note - there is no congress registration fee for this event, but all participants must be members of SEADOM (active or associate membership).

Please make plans to attend this most important event. For more information regarding SEADOM, please visit our association website - www.seadom.org. Should you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at contact@seadom.org

We are very much looking forward to seeing you in March.

Most sincerely,

Asst. Prof. Dr. Joseph Bowman
Chief Executive Officer
Southeast Asian Directors of Music Association (SEADOM)
RSVP FORM

Please fill out this form and return it to the SEADOM Office via email:

SEADOM Office Contact Information:

SEADOM Office
College of Music, Mahidol University
25/25 Phuttamonthon Sai 4, Salaya
Nakhon Pathom, 73170, Thailand
Phone: (+66) 2 8002526-30 ext. 233 or 241
Fax: (+66) 2-800-2530
Email: contact@seadom.org

Name(s) of Congress participants:

Name: _________________________________ Title: ______________________
Name: _________________________________ Title: ______________________
Name: _________________________________ Title: ______________________
Name: _________________________________ Title: ______________________

Name of Institution:
___________________________________________________________________

Mailing Address:
___________________________________________________________________
___________________________________________________________________
Phone: ___________________________ Fax: ___________________________
Email: ___________________________

Please provide the details of your accommodation during the Congress

Name of Hotel: ___________________________
Number of Stay: _________________________
Food Restriction: _________________________

If you cannot attend the conference but are interested in having your institution join SEADOM as a member, please fill out the membership form and return to the SEADOM Office.
ACCIDENT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I HEREBY ASSUME ALL OF THE RISKS OF PARTICIPATING IN ANY/ALL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH 2018 SEADOM CONGRESS. IF THERE IS ANYTHING HAPPENS, I WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL OF THE RISKS ON MY OWN.

I UNDERSTAND THAT OBTAINING AND MAINTAINING INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR THE DURATION OF THE PROGRAM IS MY OWN RESPONSIBILITY.

I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

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Participant's Signature                       Date                                    Participant's Name (Please print legibly) Age
Program Schedule

10th SEADOM CONGRESS
Connecting Across Borders
Southeast Asia Music Museum and the College of Music at Mahidol
University in Nakhon Pathom, Thailand
March 15-17, 2018

1st Day: Thursday, March 15
Venue: Southeast Asia Music Museum, Artist Residence, Music Square and Building A

11.00 am ExCo and Theme Chair Meeting (Room no. A208, Building A)
12.30 pm ExCo and Theme Chair Lunch (Music Square)
2.00 pm National Representative Meeting (Music Square)
2.30 pm Delegation Registration (1st Floor, Southeast Asia Music Museum)
3.30 pm Welcome Speech and Museum Introduction (1st Floor, SEA Music Museum)
4.30 pm Break
5.00 pm Theme Session Breakout #1 (2nd Floor, SEA Music Museum)
6.30 pm Welcome Dinner (Artist Residence)
8.30 pm End of Day

Day: 2nd: Friday, March 16
Venue: MACM, Music Square and Building A

9.00 am Registration (MACM Foyer)
9.30 am Keynote speech #1 + #2 Session & Discussion (MACM)
11.00 am Break (MACM Foyer)
11.30 am Breakout to Keynote Discussion Group (2nd Floor, Building A)
12.00 pm Lunch (Music Square & 1st Floor, Building D)
2.00 pm Theme Session Breakout #2 (MACM & Building A)
3.15 pm Break (MACM Foyer)
3.45 pm National Meetings (2nd Floor, Building A)
4.30 pm General Assembly (MACM)
5.30 pm End of Day

3rd Day: Saturday, March 17
Venue: MACM, Music Square, Building A and Prince Mahidol Hall

9.00 am Registration (MACM Foyer)
9.30 am Keynote #3 Session & Discussion (MACM)
10.30 am Break (MACM Foyer)
11.00 am Student Project Presentation and Reflections (MACM)
11.45 am Theme Session Breakout #3 (MACM & 2nd Floor, Building A)
1.00 pm Lunch (Music Square & 1st Floor, Building D)
2.00 pm Congress Summary (MACM)
3.00 pm SEADOM Student Performance (Prince Mahidol Hall Foyer)
3.30 pm End of Congress
4.00 pm Optional: TPO Concert (Prince Mahidol Hall)
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<td><a href="http://www.salayapavilion.com/websph/">http://www.salayapavilion.com/websph/</a></td>
<td>a modern, cozy 4-star hotel right in Salaya where Mahidol University is located</td>
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<td>Bundit Place</td>
<td><a href="http://www.bunditapartmentgroup.com/index.html">http://www.bunditapartmentgroup.com/index.html</a></td>
<td>Free Shuttle bus to Mahidol To book a room, please contact: <a href="mailto:bundithome2555@hotmail.com">bundithome2555@hotmail.com</a></td>
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<td>The September Salaya</td>
<td><a href="http://www.theseptembersalaya.com/">http://www.theseptembersalaya.com/</a></td>
<td>Free Shuttle bus to Mahidol Single or Family room (2 bedrooms shared a living room)</td>
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<td><a href="http://chatthanan.rentacondoathuahin.com/contact-us/">http://chatthanan.rentacondoathuahin.com/contact-us/</a></td>
<td>Walking distance to Mahidol (300 m.) Free Shuttle bus to Mahidol</td>
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<td>Sukontha Mansion</td>
<td><a href="http://www.sukonthamansion.com/admin.html">http://www.sukonthamansion.com/admin.html</a></td>
<td>Free Shuttle bus to Mahidol</td>
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<td>The Royal Gems Golf Resort</td>
<td><a href="http://www.royalgemsgolf.com/contact_us.php">http://www.royalgemsgolf.com/contact_us.php</a></td>
<td>Located 40 drive from Bangkok City, and a few min drive to Mahidol. Ideal for a weekend escaping the big City and enjoy the green surroundings of nature, relax sunbathe at the large swimming pool, play squash or tennis, golf</td>
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<td>Sampran Riverside</td>
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<td>70-acre riverside hotel located just an hour from Bangkok and 25 min drive to Mahidol. Ideal for relaxing gateway from the city with eco cultural activities for families or groups.</td>
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<td>Mida Grande Hotel Dhavaravati</td>
<td><a href="https://www.midagrandehoteldhavaravati.com/accommodations/">https://www.midagrandehoteldhavaravati.com/accommodations/</a></td>
<td>Located at the famous landmarks in Nakhon Pathom which is 30 min drive to Mahidol.</td>
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<td>SD Avenue</td>
<td><a href="http://www.sdavenue.com/">http://www.sdavenue.com/</a></td>
<td>Set along a busy boulevard, 13 min car ride to Silapakorn University and 20 min car ride to Mahidol</td>
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SEADOM Congress 2018
Information
Thursday, March 15 – Saturday, March 17, 2018

1. Direction to the meeting venue:

   English:  Southeast Asia Music Museum
             College of Music, Mahidol University
             25/25 Phutthamonthon Sai 4 Road,
             Salaya, Phutthamonthon, Nakhon Pathom 73170

   Thai: พิพิธภัณฑ์ดนตรีในภูมิภาคอุษาคเนย์
         วิทยาลัยดุริยางคศิลป์ มหาวิทยาลัยมหิดล
         25/25 ถนนพุทธมณฑลสาย 4
         ต.ศาลายา อ.บางปะทู จ.นครปฐม 73170

   Map of College of Music, Mahidol University
   (Southeast Asia Music Museum is at location H on the map)

   Location
   13°47'26.6"N 100°19'24.5"E
   13.790718, 100.323476

   Salaya is about 25 km west of Bangkok en route to Nakhon Pathom and Kanchanaburi.
   The nearest tourist attractions are Buddhamonthon Park, Rose Garden and Don Wai floating market.
From the **NORTH** of Bangkok:
Cross over the Chao Phaya River by Krungthon Bridge and follow Sirinthorn Road to the partially elevated Highway 338 to Buddhamonthon/Nakhon Chaisi. Get off at the Salaya exit, the campus is on the left.

From the **WEST** of Bangkok:
Cross over the Chao Phaya River via Pinklao Bridge and take the partially elevated Highway 338 to Buddhamonthon/Nakhon Chaisi. Get off at the Salaya exit, the campus is on the left.

From the **SOUTH** of Bangkok:
Cross over the Chao Phaya River by Thaksin Bridge and follow Chayaphruk Highway until you get to the junction with the newly opened Ratchaphisek Road. From there, follow directions to Boromrachonnani Highway 338. Get onto Boromrachonnani to Buddhamonthon/Nakhon Chaisi. Get off at the Salaya exit, the campus is on the left.

Public Transportation

If you are using **public transportation**, here are our suggestions:

**By bus**
From VICTORY MONUMENT:
Take bus number 515 or bus 125 to Salaya
From SILOM ROAD:
Take bus number 547 or 164 to Salaya
From PINKLAO ROAD:
Take bus number 124 to Salaya.
From KLONGSAN:
Take bus number 84Kor to Salaya

**By Salaya Link**
Mahidol University has Shuttle Bus services called the Salaya Link from BTS Bang Wa Station to Salaya. See timetable below:

**By Taxi**
* A TAXI ride from anywhere near the city center is approximately 200-250 Baht. Please travel safely and take one of the newer cabs. Don’t forget to ask the driver to set the meter!