



A One-Day Research Workshop

Doing Fieldwork in Myanmar

Friday, April 1st 2016

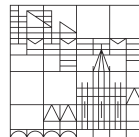
Myanmar-Korea Local Knowledge Centre
at the University of Yangon

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WORKSHOP PROGRAM

09:30 *Professor Dr. Judith Beyer, University of Konstanz*
Opening Remarks

Professor Dr. Mya Mya Khin, Dept. of Anthropology (Head), University of Yangon
Welcome Address

10:00 **SESSION 1: LABOR AND MIGRATION**
Discussant: *Dr. Than Pale, University of Yangon*

Anna Jüschke, Humboldt University Berlin
Labor regulation in the garment industry

Lwin Lwin Aung, University of Yangon
Survival strategies of migrant workers in Industrial Zone (1), Mandalay

11:00 Tea Break

11:30 **SESSION 2: LIVELIHOOD**
Discussant: *Dr. Lwin Lwin Mon, University of Yangon*

Hnin Nu Nu Aye, University of Yangon
Livelihood and gender: A case study on landless people in Mae-kin-gone Village Tract, Patheingyi Township, Mandalay Region

Georg Winterberger, University of Zurich
Livelihood strategies in Myanmar. How do people in Myanmar cope with making a living within the rapid economic opening and change of the country?

Theint Ei Ei Khaing, University of Yangon
The impact of socio-political changes during the transition period of Myanmar on the Mon nationals living in Kyakmayaw township, Mon State

13:00 Lunch Break
Shan Restaurant at Inya Lake (see map on p. 4)

14:30 **SESSION 3: RELIGION IN PRACTICE**
Chair: *Prof. Dr. Judith Beyer, University of Konstanz*

Laura Hornig, Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology
Buddhism and family businesses in Patheingyi

Theingi Soe, University of Yangon
Ritual religious belief and practices among Poe-Kayin nationals living in Hpa-an township Kayin state

Felix Hessler, University of Hannover
Buddhist social engagement in Myanmar

16:00 Tea Break

16:30 **SESSION 4: CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL ISSUES**
Discussant: *Dr. Felix Girke, University of Konstanz*

Hla Maw Maw, University of Yangon
The cultural heritage of Shanni (Taileng) nationals in Northern Myanmar

Diana Tobias, Humboldt University Berlin
Cinema in Myanmar

Thwet Thwet Win, University of Yangon
Gender and education: anthropological perspectives in education of Bamar community Payikyun village, Kyunsu Township, Taninthayi Region

18:45 Dinner and Get-Together with other Scholars
Joint taxi transfer of all participants to the residence of J. Beyer and F. Girke (Royal Orchid Condo, Appt. 5D, Bo Yar Nyunt Lan 73, Dagon)

Organizational Support:

Nhkum Ja Mai Lone, Research Assistant.

Please feel free to approach her with all practical questions concerning the workshop. Her phone number is **09796570692**.