



# CONFERENCE AGENDA

TUESDAY, 4 DECEMBER 2018

***Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences***

Grand Hall, 2nd floor, Building A | No.1 Lieu Giai Street, Ba Dinh District, Hanoi

- 8:30–9:00**      **WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS**  
Prof Dr. Nguyen Quang Thuan, President, Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences (VASS) &  
Dr. Mary McDonnell, Senior Vice President for Strategic Learning and Special Initiatives, Social Science Research Council (SSRC)
- 9:00–9:30**      **THE METHOD OF INTERASIA**  
Seteney Shami, InterAsia Program Director, SSRC
- 9:30–10:30**     **VIETNAM: RENOVATIONS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**  
*Moderator:*  
Prof. Dr. Dang Nguyen Anh, Vice President, VASS  
*Key-speakers:*  
Prof. Dr. Nguyen Quang Thai, Director, Vietnam Development Research Institute  
Prof. Dr. Truong Quang Hoc, Director, Ecological Community Development Center  
Prof. Dr. Dang Canh Khanh, Director, Institute of Tradition and Development Studies
- 10:30–11:00**   ***Coffee Break***
- 11:00–12:00**   **SOCIAL KNOWLEDGE AND BOUNDARY CROSSING**  
Remarks by Dr. Alondra Nelson, President, SSRC  
*In conversation with:*  
Prof. Dr. Dang Nguyen Anh, Vice President, VASS &  
Prof. Prasenjit Duara, Oscar L. Tang Family Professor of East Asian Studies, Duke University
- 12:00–13:00**   ***Lunch***
- 13:30**            ***Free Afternoon & Evening***  
*Optional tours (see Local Information Section)*
- 19:00**            Buses depart from hotel for *Emeralda Ninh Binh*



## WEDNESDAY, 5 DECEMBER 2018

### MORNING WORKSHOP SESSION

#### *Emeralda Ninh Binh*

#### **8:30–11:30**

9:30-10:00 *Coffee/Tea*

- Room 1 Beyond the New Media: Deep Time of Networks and Infrastructural Memory in Asia
- Room 2 China's OBOR Initiative and Its Impacts for Asian Countries
- Room 3 Divine/Transcendent Rulers of Imagined Communities: The Rise and Fall of Royal Nationhood in Asia
- Room 4 Eurasia's Islamic Socialist Ecumene
- Room 5 Sacred Forests and Political Ecology: Cosmological Properties and Environmentalism
- Room 6 Sport Mega-Events as Hubs for InterAsian Interactions
- Room 7 States of Fortification: Connecting Asia through Technologies of Food and Health
- Room 8 The Netware of the New Asian Economy under the Industrial Revolution 4.0

**11:30–13:00** *Lunch at Sen Restaurant*

### AFTERNOON WORKSHOP SESSION

#### **13:00–17:00**

15:00-15:30 *Coffee/Tea*

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**18:00** *Group Dinner*



## THURSDAY, 6 DECEMBER 2018

### MORNING WORKSHOP SESSION

*Emeralda Ninh Binh*

#### 8:30–11:30

9:30-10:00 *Coffee/Tea*

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11:30–13:00 *Lunch at Sen Restaurant*

### AFTERNOON WORKSHOP SESSION

#### 13:00–15:00

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15:00–15:30 *Coffee/Tea Break*

15:30-16:30 **Open Session I**

16:30-17:30 **Open Session II**

18:00 *Group Dinner*



## FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER 2018

### FINAL WORKSHOP SESSION

*Emeralda Ninh Binh*

#### 8:30-11:30

- Room 1 Beyond the New Media: Deep Time of Networks and Infrastructural Memory in Asia
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#### 11:30-13:00 Lunch & Closing Remarks

### Free Afternoon

13:30 *Optional Tour*

Shuttles will run to central Hanoi and the airport in the afternoon on December 7 and throughout the day on December 8. Please see the Local Information section for detailed list of shuttle times.