



Intra-Asian Interactions. A Field School Offered by the Nalanda-Sriwijaya Centre, Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore

Dates: January 9-February 5, 2012

Venues: Cambodia and Singapore

Applications are being sought from students interested in pursuing a four-week intensive programme of study including archaeological laboratory analysis, visits to archaeological sites and museums, and lectures. Financial assistance with travel expenses and a stipend to help cover daily living expenses will be provided.

Applicants for the programme should be enrolled in a postgraduate programme or in their final year of undergraduate study. Preferred fields of specialization include archaeology, history, and art history. They should be citizens of East Asia Summit (EAS) countries. The 17 East Asia Summit countries are: Cambodia, Singapore, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Thailand, Brunei, Burma (Myanmar), Laos, Vietnam, China, Japan, South Korea, India, Australia, Russia, and the United States.

This programme will bring students from EAS countries together not only to learn from each other but also to learn about, and disseminate information on, the Nalanda University project among their respective countries' citizens and governments. This Programme will also serve as a platform to examine and understand the ancient and intimate links that have bound Asian countries together through time.

By educating students in the history, archaeology, and modern manifestations of ancient linkages among Asian societies and polities, the field school will pursue the goal of bringing the countries of Asia closer together and create an EAS community of scholarship. The programme will emphasize the history of intra-Asian interactions over the past 2,000 years.

Those interested in applying for the programme can download application form from the Nalanda-Sriwijaya Centre website at <http://bit.ly/fieldschool>. Applications are due by November 19, 2011. Successful applicants will be notified by November 30.

The completed application form, together with all supporting documents, must be submitted to:

Archaeology Unit
Nalanda-Sriwijaya Centre
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Pasir Panjang, Singapore 11961

Or email them to nsc@iseas.edu.sg. Please make sure your file sizes are below 1MB.

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