International Conference

Taiwan Maritime Landscapes from Neolithic to Early Modern Times: Cross-Regional Perspectives

Conference Program

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November 17, 2015 (Tuesday)

8:30-9:00  Registration

9:00-9:30  Opening Session
  9:00-9:15  Yves Goudineau (EFE0), Alain Thote (CRCAO), BRT & MOST representative
  9:15–9:30  Paola Calanca, Frank Muyard, Liu Yi-ch’ang

9:30-10:30  Opening Keynote Speech
  Chair:  Jean-Paul Demoule
  Liu Yi-ch’ang  劉益昌, Taiwan Prehistoric Maritime Trade Networks and Impacts

10:30-10:45  Pause – Coffee Break

10:45-11:45  Panel 1: Introduction – Taiwan Maritime Geography and Archaeology
  Chair:  Paola Calanca
  Lionel Siame, Oceanic Currents and Wind Patterns in the Seas Surrounding Taiwan: Implications for Early Austronesian Seafaring
  Frank Muyard, Taiwan’s Place in East Asian Archaeological Studies

11:45-13:30  Lunch

13:30-15:30  Panel 2: North-Western Seas: Interactions across the Taiwan Strait with the East Asian Mainland
  Chair: Alain Thote  Discussant: Roderick Ptak
  Tsang Cheng-hwa  賴振華, Ancient Migrations and Contacts in the Taiwan Straits as Seen from Archaeological Materials
  Hugh Clark, Material Remains and Open Hypotheses: Pondering Links Between the Pre-Sinitic Cultures of the Central Coastal Region of Fujian and Taiwan From Pre-History through the 1st Millennium CE
  Paola Calanca, Minnan Seas and Maritime Network (14th-17th)
  Chen Kuo-tung  陳國棟, Chinese Cognition of the Seas Surrounding Taiwan in the 16th-18th Centuries

15:30-15:45  Pause – Coffee Break
15:45-17:30  Panel 3: Southern Seas: Interactions between Taiwan and the Philippines

Chair: Frank Muyard  Discussant: Roger Blench
Liu Yi-ch'ang 劉益昌, Interactions and Migrations between Taiwan and the Philippines from Neolithic to Metal Age
Roderich Ptak, The Sea Route between Taiwan and the Philippines in Chinese Texts (c. 1100-1600): New Questions Related to an Old Theme
Lee Yu-chung 李毓中, Early Modern Minnan Interactions between Taiwan and the Philippines: Settlement Strategies of “Mestizo de Sangley” in Spanish Manila and Northern Taiwan in the 17th century

November 18, 2015 (Wednesday)

9:00-11:00  Panel 4: South China Seas: Trade and Interactions with Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia, and Indonesia

Chair: Chen Kuo-tung  Discussant: Eric Bourdonneau
Berenice Bellina, Highlighting Late Prehistoric Exchange Networks in the South China Sea through Trading Polities’ Industries
Chao Chin-yung 趙金勇, Early Glass Beads in Prehistoric Taiwan and their Significance in Southeast Asia
Aude Favereau, Late Prehistoric Interactions in the South China Sea: Ceramic Assemblages from Thailand, Vietnam and the Philippines in Relation to Taiwan (500BC-200AD)
Pierre-Yves Manguin, Trade Networks in Southeast Asia in the Early First Millennium CE

11:00-11:15  Pause – Coffee Break

11:15-12:00  Cross-Regional Outlook Guest Speech I
Chair: Chao Chin-yung
Zhao Bing, The Global Mapping of Chinese-style Ceramics in East Africa (9th-16th Century)

12:00-13:30  Lunch
13:30-15:00 Panel 5: Interactions in the Taiwan Eastern Seas: Yaeyama Islands and the Ryukyu

Chair-Discussant: Michele Pirrazoli-t'Serstevens

Chiang Chih-hua 江芝華, Possible Interactions between Taiwan and the Ryukyu Islands

Wang Su-Chin 王淑津, Trade patterns of Chinese Ceramics In East and South China Seas - Comparing Excavated Ceramics from the 10th to 16th century in Taiwan with the Ryukus, the Philippines and Indonesia

15:00-15:15 Pause – Coffee Break

15:15-16:15 Cross-Regional Outlook Guest Speech II

Chair: Pierre-Yves Manguin

Jean-Pierre Brun, A Western Point of View: Trade between Mediterranean and Indian Ocean from the 4th c. BC to the 6th c. AD

16:15-17:30 Final Roundtable and Discussion: Taiwan Maritime Landscapes in Cross-Regional Perspectives

Participants: Roger Blench, Jean-Pierre Brun, Paola Calanca, Chen Kuo-tung, Liu Yi-ch’ang, Pierre-Yves Manguin, Frank Muyard, Alain Thote, Tsang Chen-hwa