

## ASEAN Region's Culture and Religion by the end of 21<sup>st</sup> Century: A Dialogue of Past with Present? 7<sup>th</sup> South and Southeast Asian Association for Culture and Religion (SSEASR) Conference Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, July 9-12, 2017

AN IAHR REGIONAL CONFERENCE

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# **FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT**

June 20, 2017

My Dear Colleagues, This is our last Update about the Conference.

### **ACADEMIC SCHEDULE**

To see the schedule of the Conference, please click the link provided at the Homepage (<u>www.sseasr.org</u>)

### **VISA UPDATE**

Many of you have informed the problem in accessing the website for visa application which was given in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Announcement. Please try this new weblink: <u>http://www.visatovietnam.com/apply1.html</u>

### **ARRIVAL AT HO CHI MINH CITY AIRPORT**

We are making arrangement for picking up at the Ho Chi Minh City airport. Now, we are picking you up from July 8 till July 9 morning. Please fill in the FORM to give us the data of flights etc. I hope you are filling in the <u>ARRIVAL</u> <u>FORM</u> **properly** which would help us in picking you up and food requirements. Many of you have sent the information by email which gets lost among hundreds of email.

PLEASE LOOK FOR THE VOLUNTEERS **outisde AT ARRIVAL HALL** HOLDING THE PLACARD OF **SSEASR CONFERENCE**.

Kindly note, **our pick-up service is for those only who are staying at the pre-booked Hotel Saigon Victory Hotel**. Those who have made their own arrangements of stay, should contact their respective hotels to arrange your *pick-up*.

### WEATHER UPDATE

The weather in HCM City would be drizzling late afternoon. Please carry your umbrella. The temperature would remain between 23°C to 29°C.

#### HCM CITY TOUR

We are making arrangements for showing highlights of the HCM city. This would happen on July 11 and will be free for all registered participants. (<u>Those wanting to bring in their spouses are requested to contribute USD 30 payable at the SSEASR Secretariat staff from Bangkok up to July 09 evening</u>). The Tour will end with a dinner.

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