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Anthropology

50 Years of Archaeology in Southeast Asia : Essays in Honour of Ian Glover / (Eds) Berenice Bellina, Elisabeth A. Bacus, Thomas Oliver Pryce, Jan Wisseman Christie
Bangkok : River Books, 2010
320p.
978-616-7339-02-3
\$ 35.00

This collection of essays in honour of Dr Ian Glover, who for over fifty years has been one of Southeast Asia's most pioneering and leading archaeologists, offers a complete and up-to-date account of the main issues and debates on the region's archaeology spanning the late Pleistocene to the early historic period. Aimed at both the specialist and general reader alike, this volume discusses issues ranging from food subsistence management, technology transfer and long-distance exchange, to social complexity and political and ethical debates that are today an important aspect of Southeast Asian studies.

The contributors tackle topics such as hunter-gatherers and early agriculture in East Timor, burial traditions in Thailand and Sarawak, the development of early states in Vietnam and Sulawesi, craft production and exchange stretching from India to the South China Sea, issues of post-colonialism in Laos and the creation of world heritage sites throughout the region.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123292>

From Homo Erectus to the living traditions : Choice of Papers from the 11th International conference of the European association of Southeast Asian archaeologists: Bougon, 25th-29th September 2006 / Eds Jean-Pierre Pautreau, Anne-Sophie Coupey, Valery Zeitoun, Emma Rambault

Thailand : Jean-Pierre Pautreau, 2008
303p.
978-974-06-4564-1
\$ 70.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=101377>

Cultural Heritage of Tai Lue Textiles / Soangsak Prangwatanakun
Chiang Mai: Thai Department, Faculty of Humanities, Chiang Mai University, 2008
149p. ; 28cm.
ISBN-13: 9789741313730
Bilingual English & Thai Language
\$ 80.00
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123293>

What's What in a Wat: Thai Buddhist Temples: Their Purpose and Design: A Handbook /
Carol Stratton
Chiang Mai: Silkworm Books, 2010
v. ; 98p. ; 20cm.
ISBN-13: 9789749511992
\$ 17.95

As you walk through a Thai temple, a host of unfamiliar objects, shapes, and patterns tug at you from every direction. This handy and lucid guidebook will help you distinguished what is what. It takes you through a representative Thai Buddhist temple, guiding you from structure to structure and element to element, explaining the function and purpose of each, and the symbolism behind the forms. A Thai wat can be a place of bewildering beauty, but this illustrated companion will help you focus your eyes and identify what you see. Tourists and residents, novices and scholars will all gain a clearer sense of what a wat is and the role it plays today in the lives of Thai people.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123294>

Dashes to Dragons : The Ikat Patterned Textiles of Southeast Asia / (Ed) Michael C. Howard
Bangkok : White Lotus Press, 2010
280p. 34p. Ill. 94p. in Col. 29cm,
STUDIES IN THE MATERIAL CULTURES OF SOUTHEAST ASIA NO. 14
9789744801661
\$ 55.00

From Dashes to Dragons: The Ikat-Patterned Textiles of Southeast Asia provides a comprehensive survey of Southeast Asia's ikat-patterned textiles. These include some of the most dramatic textiles from the region such as the famous warp ikat patterned textiles of Sumba along with many textiles that are of great importance to the cultural heritage of the region, such as the Tai tubeskirt cloths with weft ikat gray heron motifs and the double ikat cloths from Tenganan, Bali. The book includes a discussion of ikat techniques and the origin and diffusion of ikat in Southeast Asia. This is followed by surveys of the ikat-patterned textiles of peoples speaking Tai, Austronesian, Mon-Khmer. and Tibeto-Burman languages. 296 color photographs accompany the text.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123295>

Architecture

Modern Architecture in Thailand 001
Bangkok : Li-Zenn Publishing Ltd., 2010
284p.

978-616-7191-08-9

1. Architecture

\$ 80.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123296>

Modern Architecture in Thailand 002
Bangkok : Li-Zenn Publishing Ltd., 2010
300p.

978-616-7191-14-0

1. Architecture

\$ 80.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123297>

Modern Interior in Thailand 003
Bangkok : Li-Zenn Publishing Ltd., 2010
340p.

978-616-7191-09-6

1. Interior Design

\$ 80.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123298>

Houses and Studios Designed by Artists in Thailand / Nithi Sthapitanonda
Bangkok : Li-Zenn Publishing Ltd., 2010
248p.

978-616-7191-07-2

1. Houses – Architecture

\$ 100.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123299>

The Materializing Immateriality / The Faculty of Architecture and Planning, Thammasat
University and excellent Center for Eco Product, National Metal and Materials Technology
Center

Pathumthani : National Metal and Materials Technology Center, 2010

346p.

978-616-12-0070-1

1. Waste Management

2. Material Management

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123300>

Art

Vichit Chaiwong
Chiang Mai: Vichit Studio, 2008
194p. ; 29cm.
ISBN-13: 9789748132389 (HB)
Bilingual English & Thai Language
\$ 100.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123301>

Buddhist Murals of Northeast Thailand : Reflections of the Isan Heartland / Bonnie Pacala
Brereton, Somroay Yencheuy
Chiang Mai : Mekong Press, 2010
xi, 84p.
978-616-90053-1-5
\$ 29.95
ID : 120743

Books on mural painting in Thailand have tended to focus on works commissioned by royalty or other elites from the centers of power. This volume is the first to examine a vibrant sub-school of painting from the rural heartland of the Northeastern Region, also known as Isan. Inspired by local Buddhist practices and created by ordinary villagers, the colorful murals portray scenes from traditional stories that are unique to the region. Distinctively painted on the exterior of ordination halls, the compositions appear to circle the building rather than remain confined to a single panel. The figures appearing on all levels of the paintings, on closer examination, include not only Buddhist personages and epic heroes, but also the villagers themselves as they participate in their own festivals and day-to-day activities.

Written as an introduction to the topic, Buddhist Murals of Northeast Thailand is a multifaceted and empathetic study of these lovely and lively paintings, and will appeal to anyone interested in the Mekong Region, as well as to scholars of art history, Buddhism, and anthropology in Southeast Asia.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=120743>

MARSI / Michel Steve
Bangkok, 2010
978-974-401-139-8
In French
\$ 70.00

Collection of Paintings of Princess Marsi
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123302>

Thai Mural Painting Vol.2. / Gerhard Jaiser
Bangkok : White Lotus Press, 2010
268p.; 64pp illus. in Col
1 CD in Pocket, 21cm.
97897444801531
\$ 40.00

Thai Mural Painting, Volume 2: Society, Preservation and Subjects is a continuation of Thai Mural Painting, Volume 1: Iconography, Analysis and Guide. Together these volumes

provide a concise overview of all aspects of Thai mural painting. The main body of this second volume considers important aspects of Thai everyday life and culture as reflected in mural paintings. Also included are chapters on selected stylistic developments, the conservation of murals and the role of murals in Thai society. An index covers both volumes and a CD-ROM includes all 880 illustrations in both volumes, in colour

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123303>

Business/Industry Studies

Multicultural Marketing Management / Kritika Kongsompong
Bangkok : Sasin Graduate Institute of Business Administration of Chulalongkorn University,
2010

244p.

1. Marketing – Management

978-616-515-114-8

\$ 29.50

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123304>

The Thai Chamber of Commerce Directory 2010

Bangkok : Cosmic Productions Co., Ltd., 2010

628p.

Includes CD-ROM

\$ 100.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123305>

Cinema Studies

14th Thai Short Film & Video Festival

Thailand : Thai Film Foundation, 2010

248p.

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123306>

Cookery

The Principles of Thai Cooking / Chef McDang

Bangkok : McDang Dot Com Co Ltd., 2010

304p.

978-616-90601-0-9

\$ 90.00

This is a beautifully Presented Encyclopaedia of Thai Cuisine.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123307>

Rirkrit Tiravanija Cook Book : Just Smile and Don't Talk

Bangkok : River Books with Edition Hansjorg Mayer, London, 2010

191p.

978-616-7339-06-1

\$ 40.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123308>

Environment

An Introduction to the Freshwater Bryozoans of Thailand / Timothy S. Wood, Patana Anurakpongsatorn, Jukkrit Mahujchariyawong
Bangkok : Kasetsart University Press, 2010
144p.

1. Bryozoans
2. Freshwater Invertebrates

\$ 15.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123309>

General

Walk to Freedom / Pramuan Pengchan; Translated by Chitraporn Tanratanakul
Bangkok : Sukhapabjai Publishing House, 2010
552p.

978-616-14-0041-5

1. Happiness
2. Psychology - Applied

\$ 25.00

'Winner of National Best Book Awards 2008'

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123310>

International Education Directory 2010

Bangkok : F.S. Wong, 2010

162p.

978-974401949-3

\$ 15.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123311>

History

Ancient Thailand : History and Treasures of an Ancient Civilization / (Text) by Nicoletta Celli ; Translated by Richard Pierce
Italy : White Star Publishers, 2010
207p.

Ill.

978-88-544-0407-6

\$ 60.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123333>

Law

Thai Juvenile Delinquency Justice and its Perception by Minor Offenders / Alexander Shytov, Boonchoo Na Pomphet
Chiang Mai, Thailand : Faculty of Law, Chiang Mai University, 2007
Vi, 220p.

978-974-672-164-6

\$ 30.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123312>

Thailand : Legal and Investment Guide 2010
Bangkok : DFDL Mekong Legal and Tax Advisors, 2010
Vii, 88p.
978-616-90513-2-9
\$ 20.00
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123313>

Linguistics

Journal of Language and Culture
Nakhon Pathom : Research Institute for Languages and Cultures of Asia, Mahidol University
ISSN : 0125-6424
Latest Issue – Vol.29. No.1. (jan-June 2010)
\$ 25.00 Per Issue
Articles in Thai and English
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123314>

Mon-Khmer Studies : A Journal of Southeast Asian Languages and Cultures Volume 38
[2009]: Special Volume Dedicated to Dr. David Thomas
Thailand : Mahidol University at Salaya and SIL International, 2009
978-1-55671-240-1
0147-5207
\$ 30.00
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123315>

Literature

Genius of Love : Transnational Sensation / Phil Nicks
Bangkok : Fast Track Publishing, 2010
232p.
978-616-90336-3-9
\$ 19.95
'Fiction'
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123316>

Tricksters and Punks in Asia : World Class Shortcuts / Phil Nicks
Bangkok : Fast Track Publishing, 2010
247p.
978-616-90336-2-2
\$ 19.95
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123317>

Maps/Atlases

The Railway Atlas of Thailand, Laos and Cambodia / B.R. Whyte
Bangkok : White Lotus Press, 2010
Xv, 192p.
Includes ill. And Maps
978-974-480-157-9
\$ 43.00

The Railway Atlas of Thailand, Laos and Cambodia presents detailed maps of three Southeast Asian countries, depicting every known railway, tramway and mass-transit line,

public or private, past and present. The bilingual maps locate and name every station in both local and Romanised scripts. In addition, the extensive text describes the railway history of each country, and for each line gives a detailed commentary on its conception and construction, notable features such as bridges, tunnels and spurs, as well as a chronology, station listing, and reference list. Appendices explain the Rattanakosin and Buddhist-era dating systems, placename changes, and local units of measurement, provide bilingual historical lists of railway authority officials, and give a glossary of local-language geographical and railway terminology. The result of two years of fieldwork and archival research on three continents, the atlas will prove invaluable for railway enthusiasts and researchers seeking information on the rail systems of three countries whose unique alphabets make accessing information difficult for foreigners. The bilingual maps will assist travellers to plan and enjoy their rail journeys in Southeast Asia, while the fascinating stories of the Khone Island railway in Laos, the two Japanese-built 'Death Railways' to Burma, or King Rama VI's personal tramway to his seaside palace, will provide informative and entertaining reading even for those who are unable to ride the rails in person.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123030>

Official Publications

The 2009 Construction Industry Survey : Southern Region
Thailand : National Statistical Office, Ministry of Information and Communication
Technology. 2010

Xxix, 173p.

978-974-11-3046-7

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123318>

The 2009 Construction Industry Survey : Central Region
Thailand : National Statistical Office, Ministry of Information and Communication
Technology. 2010

Xxix, 171p.

978-974-11-3043-6

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123319>

The 2009 Construction Area
Thailand : National Statistical Office, Ministry of Information and Communication
Technology. 2010

Xv, 211p.

ISSN : 1905-7695

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123320>

The 2009 Private Pay Survey
Thailand : National Statistical Office, Ministry of Information and Communication
Technology. 2010

Xvii, 129p.

ISSN : 1905-9248

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123321>

The 2008 Agriculture Intercensal Survey : Whole Kingdom
Thailand : National Statistical Office, 2010
Xxii, 144p.
\$ 30.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123322>

The 2009 Survey of Health, Welfare and Food Consumption Behavior
Thailand : National Statistical Office, Ministry of Information and Communication
Technology, 2010
138p.
978-974-11-3038-2
\$ 30.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123323>

Politics

Democracy under Stress : Civil-Military Relations in South and Southeast Asia / Paul
Chambers and Aurel Croissant (Eds)
Bangkok : Institute of Security and International Studies (ISIS), 2010
X, 223p.
978-616-551-119-3
\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123036>

Siam and the League of Nations : Modernisation, Sovereignty and Multilateral Diplomacy,
1920-1940 / Stefan Hell
Bangkok : River Books, 2010
284p.
22 b/w Photographs
978-974-9863-89-3
\$ 25.00

The fight against human trafficking, improvements in public health, or combating the
international drug trade – these are some of the most pressing problems Thailand and the
world are facing today. Remarkably, these topics were already high on the international
political agenda over 80 years ago during colonial times, when the League of Nations, the
United Nations' predecessor, was created.

This first in-depth study of Thai foreign relations in well over a decade traces how these
and other policy areas brought Siam in contact with the League of Nations, after the
kingdom had signed the Treaty of Versailles and became an original member of this first
global body. Based on never before consulted primary sources in Thailand and Europe, the
study unfolds the story of a unique relationship between the only independent country in
Southeast Asia and the League during the inter-war period of 1920-1940.

The book highlights both the importance of the League for the modernisation of Siam
and the shaping of its foreign policies, as well as
the intriguing role Siam played on the world stage in the early development of the
multilateral political system we live in today.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123324>

Religion – Buddhism

Buddhism and Nature Conservation / Chatsumarn Kabilsing et.al.
2nd Ed.

Bangkok : Thai Tibet Center, 2010

974-616-90377-5-0

x, 134p.

\$ 12.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123325>

Sociology

The Trade in Human Beings for Sex in Southeast Asia : A General Statement of Prostitution and Trafficked Women and Children/ Pierre Le Roux, Jean Baffie, Gilles Beullier (Eds)

Bangkok : White Lotus Press, 2010

Xxiii, 488p.

978-974-480-163-0

\$ 41.50

The Trade in Human Beings for Sex in Southeast Asia brings together 28 senior scholars and experts hailing from all over the world in various disciplines: Ethnology and Social Anthropology, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, Psychology, Psycho-Criminology, Medicine, Law, Economics, History, as well as Humanitarian assistance to give a general statement on slavery, prostitution and trafficking in persons in this region. In recent years, prostitution and trafficking in women and children for the purpose of sexual exploitation has been steadily increasing at an alarming rate. Underlying reasons are not only the ongoing process of globalization and the lagging behind of the concerned emerging countries, but also a number of cultural factors specific to this region. The problem background is given in Part 1: A look at the past, Part 2 provides the data from field studies in human trafficking and prostitution, Part 3 deals with additional related problems and suggests possible responses. This indispensable work covers all aspects of a complex social problem and offers some suggestions on how to deal with this it. This work was published in cooperation with Research Institute on Contemporary Studies(IRASEC)

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A Social Approach to Community Health Promotion Interventions among cross-border, Upland Communities in Kanchanaburi Province, Thailand / Bencha Yoddumnern-Attig ... [et al.]

Nakhon Pathom : Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University, 2009

Xvi, 132p.

Publication / Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University ; no. 362

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The Era of ARV in the Generalised HIV Epidemic in Thailand : Research Approaches /
Aphichat Chamrathirong and Dusita Phuengsamran
Nakhon Pathom : Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University, 2009
247p.

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Prevention of HIV/AIDS among Migrant Workers in Thailand Project (PHAMIT) : The Impact
Survey 2008 / Aphichat Chamrathirong, Wathinee Boonchalaksi
Nakhon Pathom : Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University, 2009
276p.

Publication / Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University ; No. 365

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Thai Health 2009 : Stop Violence for Well-being of Mankind / Churnrurtai Kanchanachitra
[et. al.]

Nakhon Pathom : Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University, 2009
126p.

978-974-11-1129-9

Publication / Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University, no 358

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6. Quality of Life- Research
7. Equity in Health

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Travel Guidebooks

Travel Green Thailand : An Ecotourism Journey / Richard Werly
Bangkok : AsiaInfo Ltd., 2010
154p.

978-974-235-059-8

\$ 19.95

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123331>

Exploring Samui Island and the Archipelagos of the Gulf of Thailand Suratthani / Sirikon
Chankrachang (Ed)

Thailand : Pojjanart Kantiwong, 2009

184p.

978-974-7193-13-8

\$ 25.00

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=123332>
