



Call for participation 4th Congress of the Asia and Pacific Network (FMSH-CNRS)

Date: 14-16th September 2011

Location: Paris

Objective: To introduce original works on Asia and the Pacific with the aim of promoting interdisciplinary and intercultural workshops to the academic community and to those interested in Asia and the Pacific.

Programme: will be developed and grouped into themes based on the proposals received. Although participants are free to choose their own subjects, on the occasion of the 10th anniversary of the Network, the scientific committee would like to propose one theme: "The 10th year of the Asia and Pacific Network: rethinking Asia and the Pacific".

Language: The congress will be held in French but the workshop presentations and summaries of the articles will all be published online in English and French.

Audience: Like the first three congresses, the 4th congress is open to all French-speaking lecturers, researchers and experts on Asia and the Pacific, including PhD students. European researchers / lecturers are also welcome to participate.

PROPOSALS

The Asia and Pacific Network is launching a call for propositions for multidisciplinary workshops or those on multiple geo-cultural regions on an open theme. We would strongly advise that a coordinator be responsible for the composition of the workshop and manage relations between organisers and researchers.

- Proposal submission: from now **until the 30th of September 2010**, proposals for workshops that are already formed or individual participation in an incomplete workshop may be sent to the Asia Network secretariat at congres2011@reseau-asie.com in Word format. As each workshop lasts two hours, it is strongly advised to limit the number of participants to four. Each presentation will last approximately 20 minutes. A general discussion will follow the series of presentations and will be chaired by one of the invited speakers of the workshop or the coordinator/moderator.

N.B.: If the workshop coordinator decides to limit each presentation to 15 minutes, an extra speaker can be included.

- The proposal should indicate whether the workshop has already been formed or whether it is an individual proposal to participate in a workshop.

- a) **For a completely formed workshop**, in French or English, the proposal should include:

The title and the summary of the workshop with at least 10 key-words (300 words max.)

AND

The list of participants, their title, employer, e-mail address and the title and summary of their presentations (150 words)

- b) **An individual proposal**, written in French or English, should include:

The title and the summary of the article (150 words) plus 8 keywords, the researcher's title, employer and e-mail address.

- **The title of the attached document**

In order to easily file the various versions of workshop proposals, we would ask that you entitle the files in lower case letters, without accents, using the following format: sender's surname_first name initial_daymonthyear (for example, 150910 for the 15th of September 2010)



SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE SESSIONS

- The proposals will undergo a double evaluation process: each member of the scientific committee will call upon an external evaluator for a second opinion.
- Taking into account the objectives of the congress, the scientific committee will give priority to workshops that bring together speakers on different geographical regions and disciplines and with no two researchers from the same research unit.

N.B.: Although priority is given to workshops that are already formed for organisational reasons, individual proposals for presentations are also welcome and will be examined by the scientific committee for the formation of new workshops.

- The secretariat will save all proposals, which will then be posted on the Réseau Asie website. Only members with restricted access will be able to view them at "Congress" > "Proposals for the 4th congress".

PROGRAMME

The final list of workshops and their summaries, grouped into themes, will make up the programme of the 4th congress.

PRESENTATIONS

Oral presentations should not last more than 20 minutes. Written articles should be no longer than 15,000 characters including spaces. **The provisional written version in WORD format should be sent on the 1st of September 2011 at the latest.**

PUBLICATION

During the two weeks following the congress, participants must send their revised and publishable texts for publication on the Asia Network website. The scientific committee will meet to decide on the publication of the summary of the congress with the texts of the coordinators or the various themes.

TIMELINE

- 30th September 2010: Deadline for submitting proposals for French and English workshops which will be published online on reception.
- October-November 2010: Scientific committee meetings to select proposals and establish the programme themes.
- December 2010: The list of all the selected workshops will be sent to participants.
- January 2011: Workshop coordinators must confirm their participations and agree to send the provisional written texts of presentations BEFORE THE CONGRESS, by the 1st of September 2011 at the latest.
- February 2011: The programme of the 4th congress will be published online and diffused in French and English.
- July 2011 – 1st September 2011: A provisional version should be sent by the 1st of September at the latest.
- 14th-16th September 2011: 4th Congress of the Réseau Asie-Imasie (The first two days will be on a Thursday and a Friday with a final session on the Saturday morning with conclusions).

Please send your proposals to congres2011@reseau-asie.com

To view the proposals, you may visit our website <http://www.reseau-asie.com>: restricted access for members (with your username and password) >>> CONGRESS >>> Proposals for the 4th Congress.

To become a member of the Réseau Asie, sign up on line at <http://www.reseau-asie.com> or contact Marine Sam at metadier@msh-paris.fr

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