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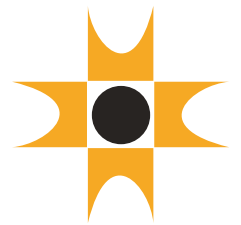
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## A CHANGE

Would do you good; advice from Sheryl Crow, not an architect but a creative soul nonetheless. She is perhaps referring to the change that is needed for personal growth, as in “be the change you want to see”. Food for thought as we approach a new term of office at PAMSC, how many of us have been the change we wanted to see? in our chapter? In our profession? Was there improvement?

I think so, in many different fronts. Our PAMSC website is running well after years of stagnation. The accompanying graduates/students Facebook page is the brainchild of Ar. Chai Si Yong, the “孩子王” (ringleader) for our younger members. Indeed, he has grown the World Architecture Day (WAD) exhibition from a simple installation in 2011 to a significant design event in Kuching. This year WAD joined forces with Ar. Ivy Jong’s Graduates subcommittee to host a graduates’ exhibition. They have been tireless in their efforts to groom the next generation of local Architects; organising a study trip to Penang, obtaining recordings of relevant lectures and seminars from PAMKL and helping with LAM Part 3 exam tutorials.

When like-minded fellows put their heads together, there is very little that they cannot achieve. I witnessed this when Ar. Tan Kiat Soon (BTS Gala Subcommittee) co-opted members to assist in the planning of the dinner, including the sale of tickets. The team worked mostly via WhatsApp and was guided by 4 Past Chairmen with strong support from Ar. John Lee, Kevin Phua, Peggy Wong, Ar. Ivy Jong and Ar. Chai SiYong. Ticket sale targets were met in one week and surpassed in two. The fluency of our “senior statesmen” on social media was impressive considering that their media was the “Olivetti” and the “Underwood” - their concern for the wellbeing of our chapter is unspoken but apparent for all to see. We record our thanks to Philip Chang (that wiley old fox), Desmond Kuek, Peter Wong and Ng Chee Wee on behalf of the Gala Dinner subcommittee; we watch and learn.

I have mentioned in preceding issues that this is my last term. Well, it seems that change has affected me as well because I have changed my mind and will stay on for the new term. Perhaps I was influenced by watching the ‘old guard’ at work; the camaraderie, the gentle but insistent prodding for updates and for improvements, and the banter which made light of serious work. I felt privileged to be included in the group, (those who chose not to participate, well – it’s their loss.) and want to continue to be part of this excellent team.

This issue is part retrospective and looks back at the events from the birth of the newsletter; it speaks for itself. Enjoy.

Min,  
with invaluable help of  
Ivy, Si Yong and Hui Joo

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# CHAIRMAN’S REPORT

**PAMSC Chairman**  
**Ar. Stephen Liew**



Once again, we have had a very busy and fruitful quarter. Our PAMSC’s BTS 2015 from March 27th -29th at the BCCK will be in its eighth edition since its inception back in 2013. It has since grown to be the largest event of its kind in Borneo. The opening will be officiated by our YAB the Chief Minister of Sarawak on the 27th March 2015 at 10.00am.

The theme for BTS 2015 will be ‘Go Green’ where exhibitors will attempt to showcase their latest technologies and solutions with a view to attain a more sustainable built environment.

In conjunction with BTS 2015 we will be also holding the PAMSC BTS Gala Dinner Night, an Exhibition for ARCASIA Awards 2013 and the PAMSC Design Forum on the 28th March at BCCK.

This being my last chairman message, I would like to thank all my committee members and sub-committee members for their selfless efforts and dedications in the service of our profession.

I would finish by expressing gratitude to all our members and industrial partners for their continue support and encouragement. It is hope that through encouraging more members to take part in or contribute to PAMSC’s activities and events, PAMSC can be a more resourceful and effective institute that will address issues and challenges facing the profession in the future.

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# BUILDING TRADE SHOW 2015

The **PAMSC BTS (Building Trade Show)** is in its 8th installment this year, the event is a conglomeration of exhibits and services from the building industry. The BTS was held at the BCCK (Borneo Convention Centre Kuching) and boasted 102 exhibition booths, with many related events such as the PAMSC Design Forum and the BTS Gala dinner on the preceding night.

The BTS was declared open by **The Assistant Minister of Tourism Sarawak & Chairman of SEDC, YB Datuk HJ Talib Bin Zulpilip** on the 27th of March and open to the public from 27th to 29th March.

PAMSC and INTERSECTION would like to record their appreciation to **Kevin Phua** for working tirelessly behind the scenes for the past ten years to make the BTS group of Events a success - his expertise in logistics, negotiating the best F&B rates for PAMSC is unmatched.



The Assistant Minister of Tourism Sarawak & Chairman of SEDC, YB Datuk HJ Talib Bin Zulpilip declaring open the BTS 2015.

In conjunction with this event, there was an architectural exhibition at the concourse of the BCCK, featuring the Arcasia award winning projects from Hong Kong, Vietnam, Singapore and other regional countries.

The BTS is the brainchild of **Ar. Hubert Kueh**, who was the first Organising Chairman in 2003 - since then there have been 7 subsequent Building Trade Shows including and these are their Organising Chairmen:

**2004 David Ong**  
**2005 Ng Chee Wee**  
**2007 Desmond Kuek**  
**2009 Peter Wong**

**2011 Mike Boon**  
**2013 Stephen Liew**  
**2015 Kho Meng Kang**

**The Design Forum** is a partner event of the BTS, it has been organised by **Ar. Ng Chee Wee** for many years, this installment included the following speakers;

**Ms Kelly Rattigan – Formworks Architecture, Perth**  
**Mr Pok Kobkongsanti - TROP terrains + open space, Bangkok**  
**Mr Ying-Chao Kuo - Bio-Architecture Formosana, Taiwan**  
**Ar Yap Yew Peng - Y Architects, Johore Bahru**  
 with total attendance exceeding 350 persons.



PAMSC Chairman, Ar. Stephen Liew giving his welcoming speech.



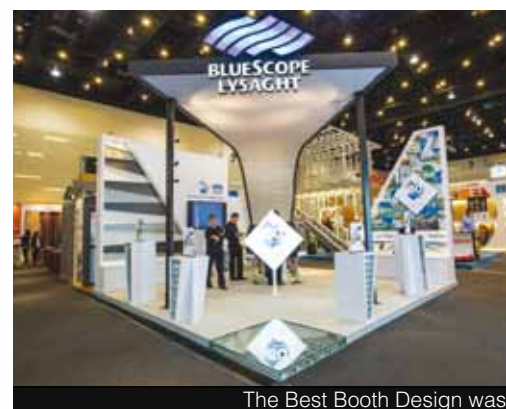
YB Datuk HJ Talib Bin Zulpilip was the Guest of Honour for the opening of the BTS.



Ar. Kho, Organising Chairman of BTS sharing a laugh with YB Datuk HJ Talib Bin Zulpilip and Ar. Stephen Liew.



There was an exhibition of Arcasia Award Winning Schemes curated by Ar. William Khoo with sponsorship from Bluescope Steel.



The Best Booth Design was won by (from left) NS Bluescope Lysaght (1st), RB Development (2nd) and Kimgress (3rd).

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# GALA DINNER 2015



Guests signing in for the lucky draw. This year was a bumper year for lucky draw prizes totaling a 35 including a Grand Prize for '9 Days/8 Nights Tour' of Shanghai.



Kevin, Ivy and Regina were instrumental in the success of the gala.



Tan Kiat Soon (in shackles) is the OC for the Gala Dinner 2015.



Looks like the Cowboys out-number the Indians.



The theme for the gala was 'Wild, Wild West'.



The Gala Dinner was held at the Imperial Hotel.



Guests were treated to an exquisite Chinese Banquet dinner.



Ar. Chiew Chung Yee and wife, Lena not behaving their age.



Bibi Kpoh and her divas was the evening's raunchy entertainment.



The forum was well attended by local architects and students.



From left: Ar. Ng Chee Wee (Design Forum OC), Ar. Mike Boon, Ar. Yap Yew Peng, Nick Juniper, Ar. Mohd. Zulhemlee An, Ying-Chao Kuo, Pok Kobkongsanti, Ar. Stephen Liew.



Raymond from Lysaght, Singapore addresses the audiences.

# COMMUNITY

As part of PAMSC's CSR and in conjunction with the BTS 2015, two charitable organisations were nominated to receive donations of RM 5,000 each, which were handed over at the Gala Dinner. The following are details of the two organisations; **R.E.A.C.H.** and **S.O.S. Kids** :

## R.E.A.C.H.

FOR the past decade, a group of medical volunteers has been bringing basic healthcare services to some of Sarawak's most remote and underserved villagers. Calling themselves Rural Expeditions Aiding Community Health (R.E.A.C.H.), the group has visited more than 40 villages in Baram, Ulu Limbang and Ba'Kelalan and provided over 20,000 consultations so far.

According to R.E.A.C.H. founding member Dr Xavier Sim, villagers in these remote areas find it very difficult to see doctors and dentists as most of them are subsistence farmers with low cash incomes and cannot afford to travel hundreds of kilometres to Miri and other towns for medical care. Through their visits, the volunteers help to bridge this gap by bringing medical and dental care to the villagers.

"R.E.A.C.H. comprises a group of volunteers mostly from the Sarawak General Hospital (SGH). A lot of young doctors, dentists, pharmacists, nurses and medical assistants have gone with us on our trips, which are eye-opening for all of us," Dr Sim said. He said the group was set up in 2004 in response to requests from friends in the interior asking if volunteers could visit them. "The Flying Doctor Service visits several villages once a month. It's excellent but it doesn't R.E.A.C.H. all the villages. It's also staffed mainly by medical assistants and nurses, without doctors.

"We go to the villages and stay with them as their guests. They feed us and look after us, while we run a clinic and provide basic medical and dental care. "Each trip usually lasts four to seven days. We visit two to four villages per trip, mostly remote places in the Baram area. The trips often involve arduous travel by plane, logging road and river, and even then the team might not make it to their destination.

At first R.E.A.C.H. brought along doctors and nurses but quickly discovered that the villagers were also in need of dental care. Despite the service that R.E.A.C.H. provides, Dr Sim does not see it as charity. "The villagers are fellow human beings. We go there to be their guests and to learn from them. They look after us and we provide service for them. "This is what healthcare should be like. It is not just waiting for the villagers to come to us but to take healthcare to them," he said.

*Extracted from the Star newspaper article by Sharon Ling*



The PAMSC Chairman handing over the donation of RM 5,000 to Dr. Chew from R.E.A.C.H.

## SOCIETY FOR CRITICALLY SICK CHILDREN

S.O.S Kids works with the families of critically ill children with their rehabilitation and recovery in providing physical and moral support in the often lengthy process. They work with the Sarawak General Hospital to enable the safe and complete recuperation in their own homes whenever possible. This is to reduce the chance of contracting hospital-acquired infections and to enable parents to return to work instead of 'camping' at the SGH.

The Society has provided a variety of aid from essential medical equipment to medication, from wheelchairs to mattresses, with a large dose of moral support. They also assist in home -modification to suit or improve the recovering child's condition, for example, partitioning part of the living space from the cooking area to improve air-quality for a child recovering from a lung infection. S.O.S. Kids also organize public awareness programmes and offer the after death care and assistance.



S.O.S Kids Kuching founding member Mr. Richard Lee and fellow member Dr. Ooi receiving the cheque from Ar. Stephen Liew.

**PAMSC is honoured to be able to contribute in a small way towards the efforts of such noble and generous individuals.**

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## PRACTICE

Sub-committee Chairman: **Ar. Bong Joon Hin**

Sub-committee Vice Chairman: **Ar. John Lee**

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## PAM Practice Forum On Liberalisation On The Profession



A Forum on Practice regarding the Liberalisation of the Profession was held on 7th February in KL. The seriousness of the topic was evident by the turn out of at least ten past Presidents and two gold medallists (Ar. Hijjan Kasturi and Ar. Lim Chong Keat). The following is a personal commentary on what transpired and what appeared to be the impact on the Profession due to Amendments to the Architects Act as part of the Liberalisation efforts by the Government.

1. LAM started off by confirming that the Architects Act 1967(Act 117) has been approved by both houses of Parliament and awaiting the King's signature. The key amendments were those permitting Architects who are not residents here to practice officially and to allow non Architects to hold limited equities in Architectural firms.
2. These meant that after gazetting of the amendments, overseas Architects and their respective firms may now set up practices in Malaysia subject to procedures of registering with LAM and related Authorities. Depending on the limitations still to be worked out, non-Architects through their registered firms may now submit plans and carry out the various aspects of the Profession. The disparities between the rules that limit the local Architects and the foreign Architects can be quite stark and abused to the degradation of the conduct and practice of Architecture in Malaysia.
3. Although there were deep concerns in the Q&A and discussions that followed, it was clear that not all the details and procedures had been fully worked out, especially in regard to other regulations and local socio economic controls that are in place. It was pointed out

that there are many controls which run contrary to the Liberalisation effort. This effort also include the competition Act 2012 which removed the notion of minimum fees or fee "Protection" for our Profession.

4. One of the uncertainties also was the impact this would have on LAM PAM Pt3 examination. Ex President, Haji Esa, mentioned that our Part 3 examination appears to be "the hardest Architect Professional Examination in the world". So with the new Amendment, there is no stopping any of our candidates to sit for the Professional Exam in another country and then apply back to be full fledged Architect in Malaysia. This scenario seems to make a mockery of the whole system. Thus the Amendments to the Act will bring about new concerns and question fundamental tenants of the local Profession.
5. The Amendments to the Act include not just those relating to Liberalisation only. Some of the Amendments also affect other issues that have been "floating" around for quite some time. For instance, the Board members of LAM will be expanded. Even though the Chapter has made several approaches over the years, ever since the time of Johnny Sim (our last representative on LAM Board), to PAM Council and so on, we have not been successful. With the present Amendments the opportunity is there for the Chapter to "lobby" for permanent representations from Sabah and Sarawak to sit on the Board, not just a coopted member on a Sub Committee. Our Chapter Committee will have to URGENTLY make effective representations to those decision makers before the list gets locked in without us.
6. Despite the heated arguments that ensued in the Forum, I feel the intentions of the Amendments to the Act will bring more positive impact to the Profession than bad ones. I feel the standards of running Projects may improve, including improvements to the Building Industry, if properly and genuinely handled. We should face reality that the world is getting smaller and perhaps one day the wordings in Lenon's song "Imagine" will come true. To prepare for all these to happen we will need do parallel review of all the affected Legislations and regulations (e.g. the UBBL, our SBO, the NEP, SPA regulations, and reams and reams of red tapes we have to live by today). We can either make it complicated so that "the foreigners" will avoid coming in personally and physically, or we can see it as an opportunity to discard as many of our rules and regulations that have outlived their shelf lives in the new world.

## EDUCATION

Sub-committee Chairman

**Ar. Felix Wee**



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The meeting was chaired by Ar. Mohd. Zulhemlee An, who has been supportive of PAMSC requests on LAM Part 3 matters.

## LAM Part 3 - Talks with PAMKL

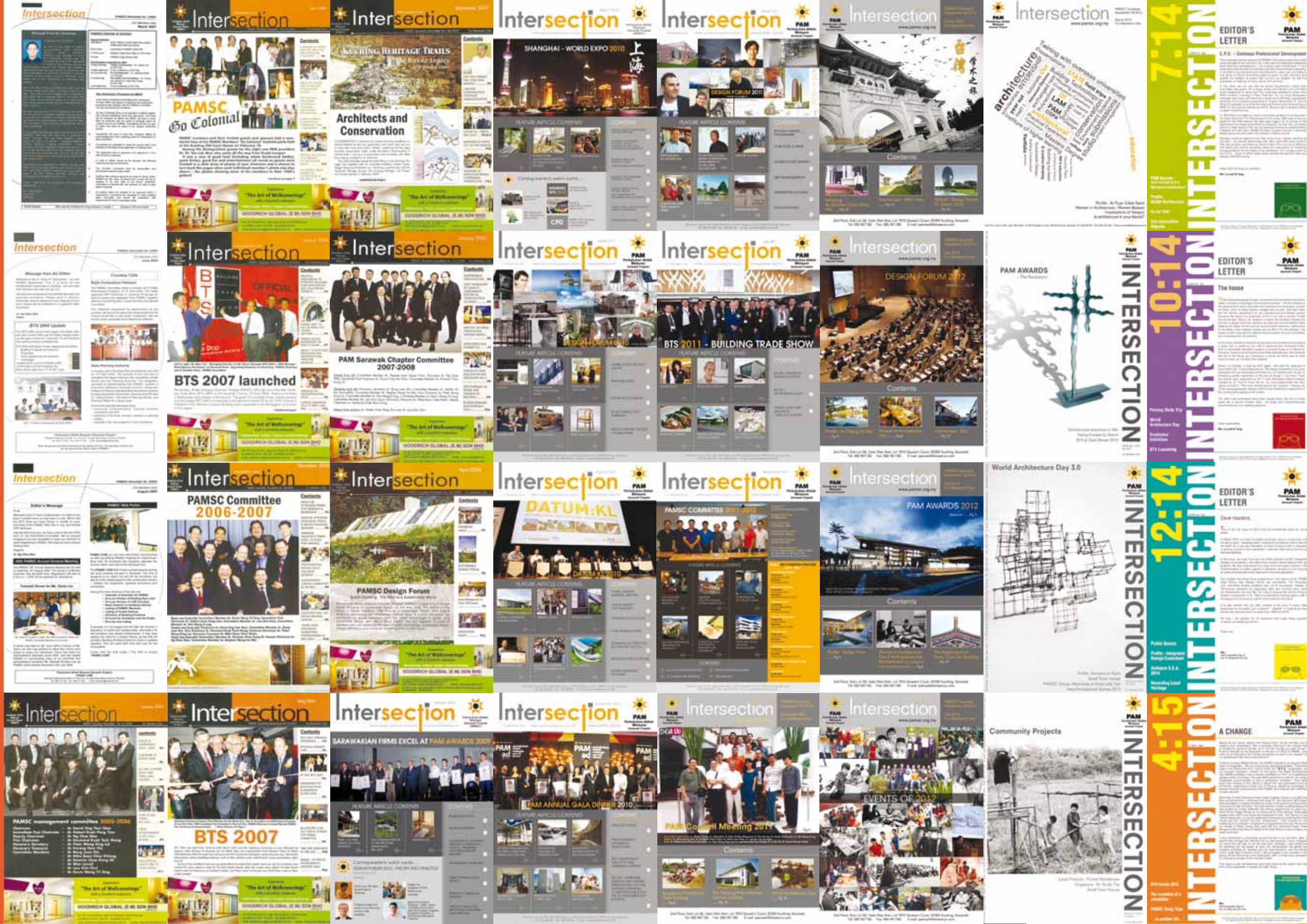
**PAMSC** has been in talks with PAMKL (Education Committee) on extending their relevant video-ed seminars and lectures notes to our chapter for the benefits of our graduates members looking to prepare for the LAM part 3 exams.

The chapter was invited by them to a meeting on the 9th feb 2015 held at PAMKL was attended by Ar. Chai Si Yong and Ar. Ivy Jong who has put forward request for further resources and possible LAM-PAM workshops in Kuching to help our graduates on their preparation for LAM Part 3.

All graduates looking to or preparing to sit for Part 3, please register your interest with PAMSC. The bigger the quorum we have, the louder a voice we will have in getting the necessary resources, talks etc for you from PAMKL. **Help us to help you !**



# THE EVOLUTION OF A NEWSLETTER



The evolution of a newsletter - In 2004, PAMSC decided to issue a quarterly newsletter for its members with notices of upcoming events, updates of requirements and articles. The first issue was one A4 page, and the editor was Ar. Ng Chee Wee.

Since then Intersection has gone through several evolutions with different editors; Ng Chee Wee, Dominic Chuo, Steven Mong took turns to edit and expand the coverage of the newsletter, which was in part due to the expansion of the chapter's activities; the study trips, design forums and later the Building Trade Show (BTS) increased the number of pages.

In 2009, under the editorship of Ar. Ivy Jong there was a distinct shift in the stature of Intersection, moving away from simple reporting to proactive creation of new serialised columns and feature articles. The editorial team worked closely with two other subcommittees; Graduates and IT to highlight the local architectural scene, to give a platform to young firms trying to make a mark, to give a voice to women architects and to give coverage to the entire state of Sarawak, also to put on record some of the works done by Sarawak architects in the various decades.

This continued when the magazine was under my care. The newsletter grew to 20-24 pages including advertisements and circulation increased to more than 300 copies per issue, with online copies available on the PAMSC website.

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Past and present editors (from left):

- Ar. Ng Chee Wee
- Ar. Dominic Chuo
- Ar. Stephen Mong
- Ar. Ivy Jong
- Ar. Wee Hii Min



The editorial team (from left): Chen Hui Joo, Ar. Ivy Jong, Ar. Chai Si Yong and Ar. Wee Hii Min. And yes, if you are wondering...Ar. Wee goes to work like this....



# “....in another life...”

Recently I posed this question to my circle of friends in the design field - “what would you do if you were not an architect?”



**Uncle Philip (Chang):** Economic or Social Sciences lecturer, I was offered Economic Studies at A.N.U. before Sydney University. I often wonder how my life would have turned out had I accepted the first offer. Even when I was studying Architecture, I had an affinity to subjects such as Social Studies, Environmental Studies, People's behavior and the use of space etc. And even now I still read books on these subjects. Very boring stuff to pub go-ers and activists. I'm also keen on Legal studies.



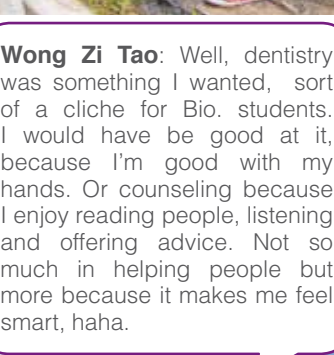
**Chee Wee:** Food & Travel show host. A bit of Anthony Bourdain, mostly Ian Wright. Free travel and hotel with food tasting - my dream job!



**Si Yong:** I had been helping my dad doing graphics for his printing business since Form 1. I enjoyed designing; at that time I had no idea what architecture is.



**Wong Siew Ling:** I would like to be involved in community care; activities that involve building houses and homes for the needy, helping with mentoring the youth and family. I am currently involved in Habitat for Humanity projects in Kuching, while this satisfies the physical needs of community, emotional support is much needed.



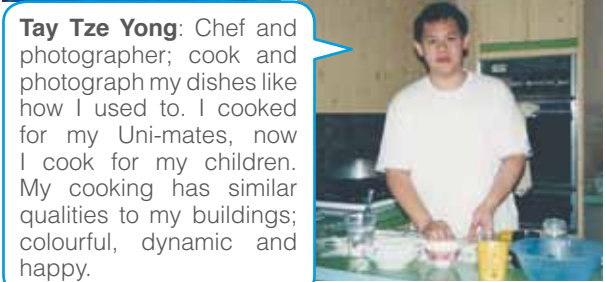
**Wong Zi Tao:** Well, dentistry was something I wanted, sort of a cliché for Bio. students. I would have been good at it, because I'm good with my hands. Or counseling because I enjoy reading people, listening and offering advice. Not so much in helping people but more because it makes me feel smart, haha.



**Sean Chew:** I'll probably be a sociologist if I had known of such a profession before I entered Uni. Then hopefully I'll end up in a position of power / influence to be able to initiate change.



**David:** in another life, I still see myself as an architect but perhaps in US or Europe, where you can grow as an architect. Where architecture is regarded as profession that is of social and cultural importance to the community.



**Tay Tze Yong:** Chef and photographer; cook and photograph my dishes like how I used to. I cooked for my Uni-mates, now I cook for my children. My cooking has similar qualities to my buildings; colourful, dynamic and happy.



**Mike:** An Activist. Always fighting with people. About things that are not fairly imposed on the community by government, groups or individuals.

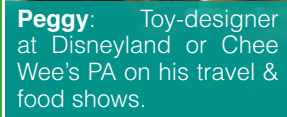


**Wong Zi Xin:** I reckon I would have my own tiny cafe / florist whilst moonlighting as an illustrator. I can put my drawings on the walls of my cafe along with work from my cool illustrator friends.

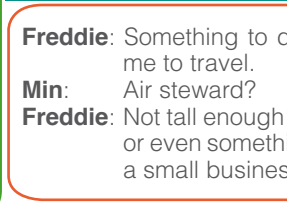
So that I can still keep my imagination alive, just like archi. I suppose.



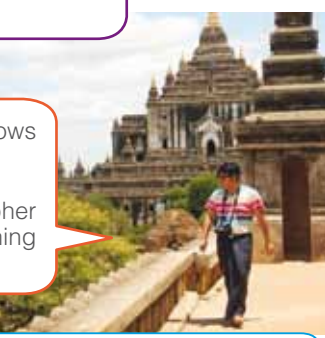
**Thien Chiao Hui:** If I hadn't chosen to study architecture in the first place, it is very possible that I would be involved in a design or graphics-based course, or perhaps actuarial science simply for my love for Maths. But now that I have graduated – if I do not end up practicing, I would definitely be into 3d fabrication or teach.



**Peggy:** Toy-designer at Disneyland or Chee Wee's PA on his travel & food shows.



**Freddie:** Something to do with business which allows me to travel.  
**Min:** Air steward?  
**Freddie:** Not tall enough! Maybe a travel photographer or even something to do with forestry. Running a small business would be good too.



**Ivy:** A Product designer ... Creating pieces of art that it useful and for the masses..



**Min:** Own a small restaurant, I cook what I feel like and customers take potluck. We share stories and books, music and sketches.



**Kevin:** Cafe owner so that I can interact with people; drink and share food and stories.



**Sia Peh Swee:** to live by the sea as a fisherman.

**Hui Joo:** My dream job is to be a comic book artist, but not realistic so end up choosing the closest job - graphic designer. My favorite artist is Michael Turner. Got my first comic in primary school; used to collect Hong Kong kung-fu comics.



# CNY Open House



On the 27th of February, PAMSC held a Chinese New Year Open House at the PAM Centre and invited friends from the architectural profession as well as industry partners. The event started at 4 p.m. on Friday afternoon with a lion dance followed by refreshments in our conference room, it was attended by about 60 people and was regarded by many to be the most successful by far.

PAMSC records their appreciation to Ar. Desmond Kuek who organized the events with able support from Kevin Phua, Ar. Phillip Chang, Ar. Peter Wong and Ms. Regina Lee.



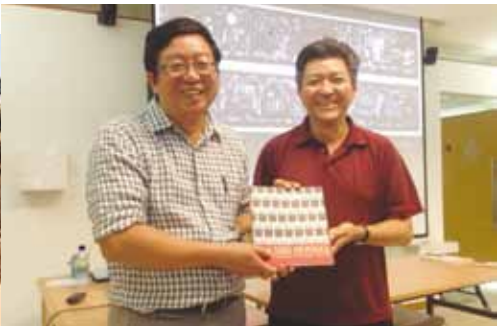
The open house was well attended by architects and industry partners.

## CPD (Continual Professional Development)

Sub-committee Chairman

Ar. Peter Wong

Co-opt member : Ar. Felix Wee



**Dr Lai Chee Kien**

**Merdeka, Modernity and Malaysia – looking back and looking forward**

Dr. Lai Chee Kien is an avid architectural historian, an architect, a former lecturer at NUS, knowledgeable in the arts, the culture and politics of the region. He was recently featured as a character in a graphic novel, and was invited by PAMSC per kindness of his former cohort and fisher of tiger-barbs; Ar. Sia Peh Swee.

On the 14th of March, Dr. Lai Chee Kien spoke to about 60 people at the PAM Centre, Kuching – his talk focused on the period shortly before and after Merdeka. He drew our attention to a particular moment in our history when the (then) Yang Dipertuan Agong initiated the earliest series of 'mega-projects' of our new nation.

These were 1) Parliament (as a monument to faith in parliamentary democracy), 2) the National Mosque (freedom of worship), 3) Universiti Malaya (education), 4) Stadiums Merdeka and 5) Negara (healthy body and mind), 6) the National Monument (warriors' sacrifices), 7) Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka and 8) the National Museum (national culture).

Lai adds another two items: the original Subang airport in Selangor and the Merdeka Park (an urban green lung next to the Stadiums) – both of which no longer exist. His talk touched on the various narratives behind each building and highlighted that the architectural history of a country does not take place independently but is intertwined with the politics, culture and economy of Malaysia and the region at the time.

He believes that the ten years after Merdeka was a more 'open-minded' time when there was more discussion about what Malaysia meant.



## GST Seminar by Crowe Horwath

On the 14th of March, Kenny Chong Thian Poh conducted a talk on the **Goods and Services Tax (GST)**. Mr. Chong is a partner of Crowe Horwath Malaysia and is an approved company auditor under Companies Act 1965 and Audit Oversight Board Malaysia, and a licenced tax agent.

Kenny used his 30 years of working experience to give a detailed talk on the GST and its impact on the consultancies including the processes and procedures involved. His talk was attended by 41 persons and went well beyond the allocated time as there were many questions during the Q&A.

PAMSC foresees the need to organize more similar talks in the near future.



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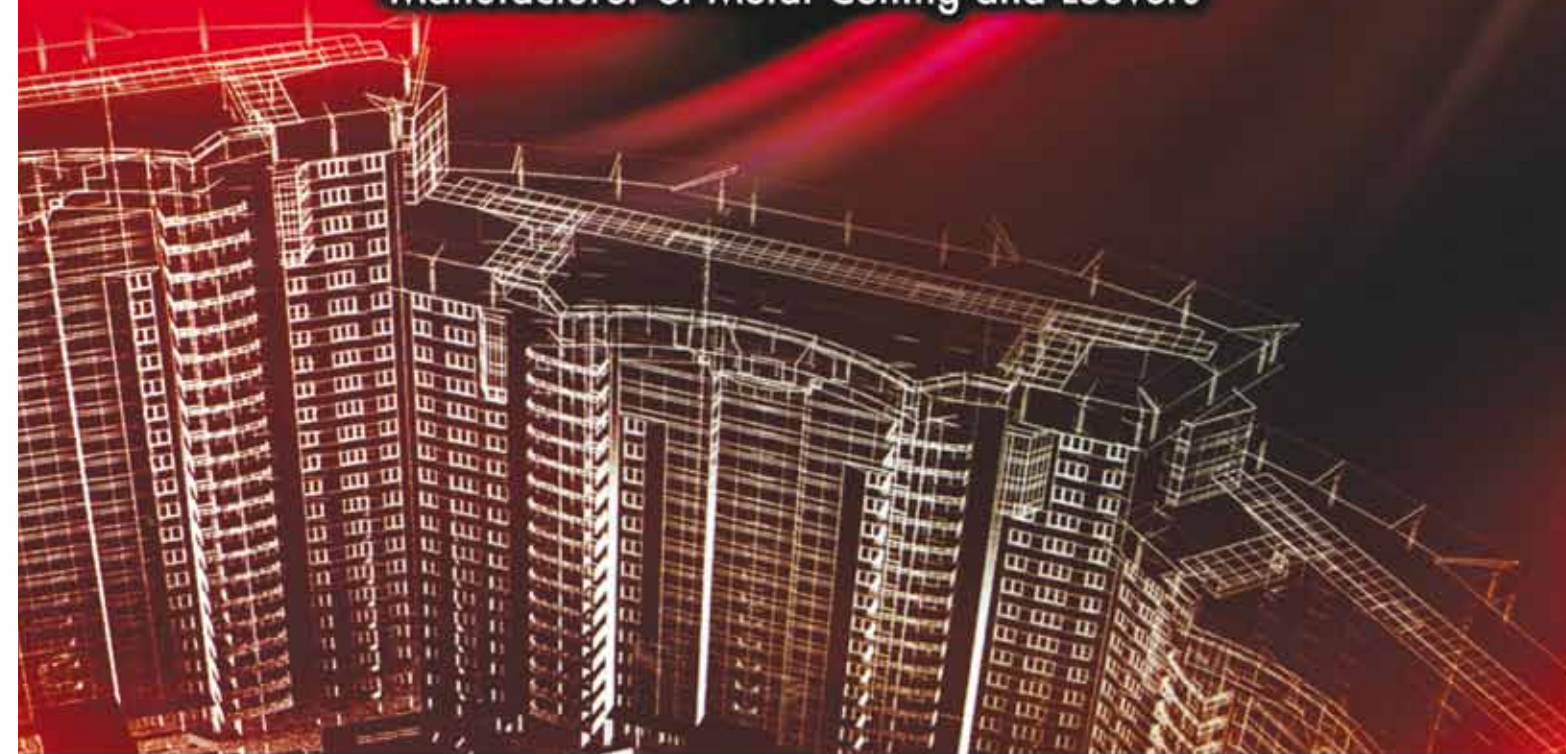
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# PAMSC STUDY TRIPS 2005 - 2015

I have heard our local chapter is the envy of many; our peers from other PAM chapters as well as colleagues from other disciplines - because of our study trips are informative, fun and affordable\*. Some say that the first study trip was to Singapore while others remember Bali as the first study trip, it was organised by **Ar. Ng Chee Wee**, who has been planning this annual excursion since then.

So, this is a retrospective looking back at ten years of trips to near and far, to sample food and architecture, to dip our toes in the cool waters of a foreign culture to refresh our collective body and soul. Much of the credit of these trips goes to **Ar. Ng Chee Wee**, who makes it seem effortless although plenty of time and research goes into it.

Ultimately, it is the travelers that make the trips memorable and meaningful. These trips are an excellent way to meet and mingle with our fellow architects, sometimes members from other professions join our trips (preference to always given to PAMSC members) we have had chefs and QS travel with us, spouses and children. Come and join us in Hangzhou and Shanghai in May. (see flyer) what is this I hear? you have been to Hangzhou? been to Shanghai? well, you have not been there with us, have you now?

*\*especially if you are a member of the PAMSC committee because subsidies are provided.*



Visiting Lord Foster's Hong Kong Shanghai Bank.

## 2006 - HONG KONG



Peter and Kelvin take the ferry across FrAGRANT Harbour.

## 2006 - HO CHI MINH, VIETNAM



The simplicity and complexity of street life.



Sampling the street food was one of the highlights of traveling in Vietnam.

## 2010 - SHANGHAI



Danish Pavilion by Bjarke Ingels from B.I.G.



Romance at Fuxing Gong Yuan.

## 2011 - BANGKOK



Honda Big Wing showroom.



Meeting Bunnag Dunagrit.



Dinner at the Met's Nahm Restaurant.

## 2011 - LAOS



At the Plain of Jars with members of PAMKL and LAOS institute of Architects.



LUANG PRABANG - giving alms at dawn.

INTERSECTION thanks the following fellow travelers for their photos - Chai Si Yong, Mike Boon, Kevin Phua, Peggy Wong, Yong Wai Lian, Peter Wong, Desmond Kuek, Ng Chee Wee, Samantha Yap, Sara Wee and sketches from Min.

## 2008 - SIEM REAP



BAYON TEMPLE - one of the most beautiful !



TA PHROM - one of the most popular sights in Siem Reap.

## 2007 - BALI



Architect B: "This looks like my chicken farm house back home ! I'm gonna turn my chicken farm house into a Balinese resort !"

Alila Ubud.

## 2009 - BEIJING



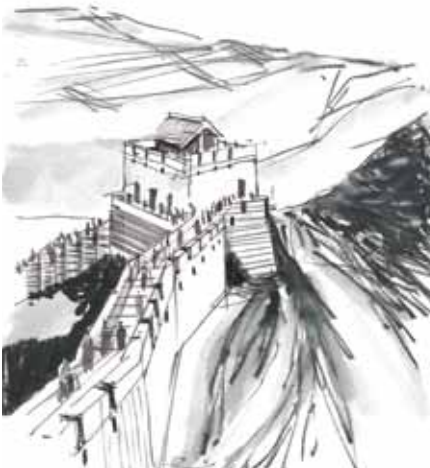
Did you spot Emperor Pu Yi in the photo?



Min in 40 years time. Got hair !



Selfies inside the Water Cube.



Half way there Great Wall Badaling (八达岭长城)

## 2012 - YANGON



A popular Burmese noodle dish is called mohinga, a fish chowder with lemongrass.



Burmese women wear 'tanaka' (sunblock and facial cream made with tumeric root) while the men wear the 'longyi' (sarong).



The Shwedagon Pagoda is a prominent landmark in the Yangon skyline.



2013 - EUROPE



THE LOUVRE, PARIS.



THE LOUVRE - Nike, Goddess of Victory.



PARIS - Pompidou Centre by Piano & Rodgers.



ANTWERP - In Napoleon's shadow, MAAS Museum.



ANTWERP - Law Courts by Richard Rodgers.



AMSTERDAM - Wocozo Apartments by MVRDV.

2013 - SINGAPORE, KL



This useful art installation is called 'Whispers'.



Education Resource Centre by Mok Wei Wei.



Point 92 by ZLG Architects, this is an PAM award winning scheme.

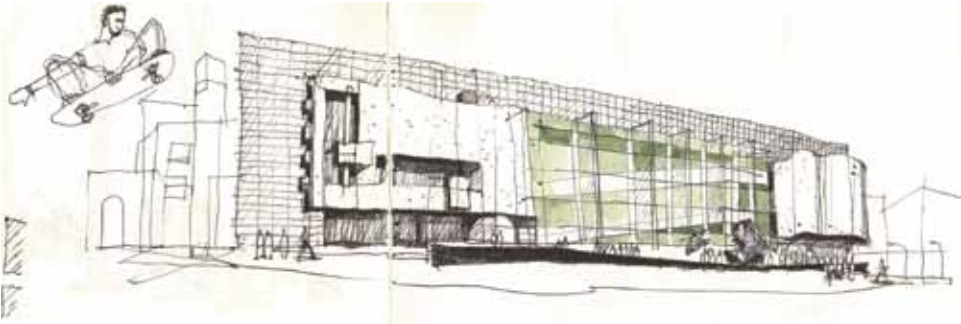


MADRID - along the Manzanares River, El Puente Arganzuela named after the district where it is located.

2014 - MOROCCO & SPAIN



VALENCIA - squid ink paella at BodegoDeLaSarieta.



BARCELONA - Museum Of Contemporary Arts (MOCA) by Richard Meier.



MARRAKESH - Madrassa Ben Youssef, a religious school in the heart of the souk.

2014 - PENANG



PAMSC fellowship being cultivated over many courses.



We were given guided tour of the Soonstead Mansion....



....and the Blue Mansion....the guy in blue isn't paying attention.

22nd - 31st May 2015 STUDY TRIP - HANGZHOU, NINGBO AND SHANGHAI



NINGBO



SHANGHAI



WATERHOUSE

PAMSC HANGZHOU - NINGBO - SHANGHAI GOURMET AND ARCHITERTURAL STUDY TOUR 2015

(Deadline for Registration: 15<sup>th</sup> April 2015)

PAMSC is organizing a Study Tour to Hangzhou, Ningbo and Shanghai from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> May 2015. The Tour will include visit to Professor Wang Shu's projects in Hanzhou and Ningbo – and we also hope to arrange a dialogue with Prof Wang Shu and his team. We will visit architectural points of interest and local sights and food. The Impressions of Westlake Show – a spectacular show directed by Chinese Director Zhang Yi Mou is included in the Itinerary.

The Proposed Itinerary is as follows:

Day	Date	Proposed Itinerary
1	22 May 2015 (Friday)	MH 384 KCH/BKI 0900-1030/ Arrive in Kota Kinabalu, transfer to Transit Lounge at Warisan Square for rest. 2pm transfer to KK airport for air asia flight to Hangzhou AK 230 1615-2025, CHECK IN HOTEL & REST
2	23 May 2015 (Sat)	Morning - Visit to West Lake/ Leifang Pagoda/ Temple of General Yue Fei/ Baochu Pagoda Lunch at Weizhuang Zhiweiguan(Yangongti) - next to Westlake (own cost) Afternoon - Visit Hangzhou Grand Canal/ Gongchen Bridge/ China Great Canal Museum Dinner at Yun Shui Yao (云水谣) - 17-23 Donghexia, Xiaohu Lu 小河路东河下17-23号 (own cost)
3	24 May 2015 (Sunday)	Morning - Visit to Hefang Street and Zhongshan Road Lunch at Hefang Street Afternoon - Xin Tian Di Night - Impression Westlake Show (VIP Seat at Water Platform)
4	25 May 2015 (Monday)	Morning - Visit to the China Academy of Art Xiangshan Campus/ Dialogue with Wang Shu Lunch at Academy (own cost) Afternoon - Visit to Wang Shu Projects - Vertical Courtyard Apartments/ Haoru Chen Projects Dinner with Wang Shu and Haoru Chen - Tianlun Inn Restaurant - Tea Boutique Hotel, 124 Shuguang Road, Hangzhou - Hosted by PAMSC
5	26 May 2015 (Tuesday)	Morning - Hangzhou to Shaoxing City. Visit Lu Xun Memorial Museum/ East Lake/ Shen Garden Afternoon - Cangqiao Historic Street - Canal Boat Ride/Shaoxing Yellow Rice Wine Museum/ Zhejiang Gu Yue Long Shan Shaoxing Wine Co/ Shaoxing to Ningbo
6	27 May 2015 (Wednesday)	Morning - Visit to Ningbo History Museum/ Ningbo Museum of Contemporary Art/ Five Scattered Houses Afternoon - Visit to The Moon Lake, Tianyi Pavillion (Library), Tianyi Square and the Old Bund

7	28 May 2015 (Thursday)	Ningbo to WuZhen Water Village/ Sightseeing at WuZhen Village Lunch at WuZhen Village Afternoon - WuZhen to Shanghai/ Visit Giant Interactive Group Campus (Morphosis) - Niu Jing Gang, Guangfulin Road, Song Jiang District, Shanghai/ Xin Tian Di
8	29 May 2015 (Friday)	Morning - Visit to French Concession - MaoMing Road/ Huai Hai Road (Cathay Cinema)/ XinTianDi/ Fuxing Park/Taikang Road - TianZiFang Lunch at TianZiFang Taikang Road Afternoon - Yongkang Road/ Shanghai Arts & Craft Museum Dongtai Road Antique Market/ Free & Easy Dinner at Fu 1039 Restaurant - 1039 Yuyuan Lu, near Jiangsu Lu, Changning district (PAMSC)
9	30 May 2015 (Saturday)	Morning - visit to The Bund/ Waterhouse at South Bund/ Design Republic Commune - 511 Jiangning Road, Shanghai Lunch at The Commune Social - 511 Jiangning Road or around the area (own cost) Afternoon - Free & Easy Dinner at Haidilao (Shanghai) - No. 1066 Beijing West Road, Level 3, Shanghai, China (Nanjing West Road) (Own Cost) or Lost Heaven - 38 Gaoyou Rd (south of West Fuxing Rd), Shanghai, China (Hengshan Road)
10	31 May 2015 (Sunday)	D7 331 SHANGHAI - KUALA LUMPUR 0120-0640. KUALA LUMPUR Back to Kuching AK 5204 0945-1130

B = Breakfast/ L=Lunch/ D = Dinner  
\* Itinerary and proposed hotels subject to change without prior notice.

Tour pricing as follows (subject to change without prior notice):

PAMSC Members & Spouses	Twin Share RM 4,900/ Adult	Single RM 6,000/ Adult
Non-Members	Twin Share RM 5,200/ Adult	Single RM 6,300/ Adult

Tour price inclusive of Economy Air Fare ex Kuching, 8 Nights Hotel Accommodation with Breakfast, Meals as Stated, Coach, Tipping, Tour Manager, Travel Insurance and Entrance Fees to attractions and sites as stated.

Please note that several meals are not included in the Tour Price. Please budget around RMB 1,000 for these meals.

If you are interested to join the Tour please fill in and return the Registration Form together with full payment to PAM Sarawak Chapter Secretariat on or before 15<sup>th</sup> April 2015.





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