

RESEARCH FELLOWS 2008

Lee Kong Chian Research Fellowship Series



Lee Kong Chian Research Fellows receiving their Fellowships from Ms Ngian Lek Choh, Director of the National Library. From left: Mr Lim Peng Han, Mr Erik Holmberg, Ms Khoo Sim Lynn and Mr Tran KY-Phuong

The Lee Kong Chian Research Fellowship welcomes four new Research Fellows, Ms Khoo Sim Lynn (Singapore), Mr Erik Holmberg (USA), Mr Lim Peng Han (Singapore) and Mr Tran KY-Phuong (Vietnam). They were awarded their Fellowship by Ms Ngian Lek Choh, Director of the National Library, on 18 January 2008.

Ms Khoo Sim Lynn is an adjunct lecturer at the Centre for English Language Communication, National University of Singapore. She will be researching on "The Depiction of World War II in Singapore and South-east Asian Children's Books".

Mr. Erik Holmberg, who has a Masters in Arts majoring in History has submitted his thesis for PhD consideration at the National University of Singapore and will be researching on "Public Celebrations in Colonial Singapore".

Mr Lim Peng Han, who holds a Masters in Communications and Masters of Science in Information Science has also submitted his thesis for PhD

consideration at the Department of Information Science, Loughborough University and will be researching on "19th Century Malay book printing and publishing in the Straits Settlements, 1819-1899".

Mr Tran KY-Phuong is a Senior Researcher with the Vietnam Association of Ethnic Minorities' Culture and Arts. He has a Bachelor of Arts from Van Hanh University, Saigon. He will be researching on "Interactions between Upland and Lowland by 'Riverine Exchange Network': A Reference to the Historical Geography in Central Vietnam".

The National Library, Singapore welcomes talented scholars and researchers to use our resources and services, and to collaborate with us on joint research projects to create new knowledge. The Lee Kong Chian Research Fellowship is open to both local and foreign applicants, who should preferably have an established record of achievement in their chosen field of research and the potential to excel further.

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