

THE PYU WORKSHOP

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PROGRAMME

MONDAY 3 APRIL, SESSION 1 PYU ARCHAEOLOGY

VENUE, TEACHING ROOM, NEW PARLOUR, K STAIRCASE

10.00 – 10.55 AM JANICE STARGARDT

From the ancestors to the Buddha; results of excavations at the
Yahanda Mound December 2015 – February 2016

11.00 – 11.15 AM COFFEE BREAK

11.15 – 12.15 AM DISCUSSION of the funerary culture of the
Pyu and the earliest Buddhist artefacts

12.30 – 1.45 PM LUNCH COLLEGE HALL

SESSION 2 PYU ARCHAEOLOGY

2.00 – 2.55PM U WIN KYAING

Survey of Pyu sites beyond the urban zone of Sri Ksetra 2015-6

3.00 – 3.15 PM TEA BREAK

3.15 – 5.00 PM DISCUSSION of the features of the Pyu sites
outside the urban zone of Sri Ksetra; Pyu sites outside the urban zones of
Beikthano and Halin?

6.30 – 8.00 PM DINNER INDIAN RESTAURANT

TUESDAY 4 APRIL, SESSION 3 PYU ARCHAEOLOGY

10.00 – 10.55 AM U KYAW MYO WIN

Recent excavations at Pinle (Hmaingmaw) and Beikthano

11.00 – 11.15 AM TEA BREAK

11.15 – 12.15 AM DISCUSSION of common features and differences at Pinle and Beikthano

12.30 – 1.45PM LUNCH BREAK COLLEGE HALL

SESSION 4 PYU ARCHAEOLOGY

2.00 – 2.40 PM MS TIN MAY OO

Excavations at the Yahanda Mound, Sri Ksetra

2.40 – 3.15 PM U SAW NAING OO

Recent excavations in Halin, the northern Pyu site

3.15 – 3.30 PM TEA BREAK

3.30 – 5.00 PM DISCUSSION of excavation problems of Pyu sites

DINNER INDIAN RESTAURANT

6.30 – 8.00 PM DINNER

**WEDNESDAY 5 APRIL, SESSION 5 RESEARCH
RESOURCES**

10.00 – 12.30 VISITING ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH
LABORATORIES OF THE MCDONALD INSTITUTE FOR
ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH

12.30 – 1.45 PM LUNCH BREAK COLLEGE HALL

SESSION 6 RESEARCH RESOURCES

2.00 – 5.00 PM VISITING LIBRARIES OF THE FACULTY
OF ASIAN AND MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES, THE
CENTRE FOR SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES
AND THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

6.30 – 9.00 PM PRIVATE DINNER

THURSDAY 6 APRIL, SESSION 7 EARLY PYU

BUDDHISM

10.00 – 10.55 AM JANICE STARGARDT

The great silver reliquary from the Khin Ba Mound, Sri Ksetra.

11.00 – 11.15 AM TEA BREAK

11.15 – 12.15 AM DISCUSSION of early Pyu Buddhism
and simultaneous contacts with Hinduism

12.30 – 1.45 PM LUNCH BREAK

SESSION 8, PALI AND THE PYU

2.00 – 2.55 PM INFORMAL DISCUSSION LED BY DR
MARGARET CONE, Editor 3 volumes of the Pali-English
Dictionary

3.00 – 3.15 PM TEA BREAK

3.15 – 5.00 PM DISCUSSION, The extent of Pyu
knowledge of Pali Buddhist texts, based on the leaves of the
Golden Pali Text of the Khin Ba mound, Sri Ksetra,
comparisons with Sri Lanka and Dvaravati inscriptions

6.30 – 8.00 PM DINNER VIETNAMESE RESTAURANT

**FRIDAY 7 APRIL, SESSION 9 PYU LANGUAGE &
LINGUISTICS**

10.00 – 11.15 AM DR NATHAN HILL, DR MARC
MIYAKE

Current research on the Pyu bi-lingual inscriptions

11.15 – 11.30 AM TEA BREAK

11.30 – 12.30 AM DISCUSSION of Pyu linguistics and Pyu
vocabulary

12.30 – 1.45PM LUNCH BREAK

SESSION 10, PYU LANDSCAPE ARCHAEOLOGY

2.00 – 2.55 PM DR SEAN TAYLOR

Geoarchaeology at Sri Ksetra

3.00 – 3.15 PM TEA BREAK

3.15 – 5.00 PM DISCUSSION, led by DR GABRIEL
AMABLE Remote Sensing and mapping Sri Ksetra, especially
water in the landscape

6.00 – 8.00 PM DINNER FRENCH RESTAURANT

