

WELCOME
A C S R
MEETING

29th OCTOBER 2021



A C S R - A R C A S I A C O M M I T T E E O N S O C I A L R E S P O N S I B I L I T Y

AGENDA



14.00 – 14.05	Chairman to call meeting to order and welcome address Ar. Russell Dandeniya
14.05 – 14.10	Address by ARCASIA President Ar. Rita Soh
14.10 – 14.15	Committee Report Presentation by Chairman Ar. Russell Dandeniya
14.15 – 16.10	Country Reports
16.10 – 16.15	Report on ARCASIA Emergency Architects (AEA) Ar. Tony Wong
16.15 – 16.20	AHPG Report by AHPG Chairperson Ar. Farhana Emu
16.25 – 16.30	Handing over of Chairmanship
16.30 – 16.35	Future programs Presentation by Chairman elect Ar. Thomas Cheung
16.35 – 16.40	Any other Business
16.40 – 16.45	Conclusions



Rita Soh
Chairperson ARCASIA

ARCASIA PRESIDENTS REMARKS



Russell Dandeniya
Chairman ACSR

CHAIRMAN ACSR REMARKS

ACSR Year Plan 2021



ACG13 Guidelines
Launch Finalized Version
in February /March 2021



ACG13 Guidelines
Implementation & Promotion
(1st Wave)



ACG13 Guidelines
Implementation & Promotion
(2nd Wave)

Formation of Assessment Tools for ACG 13 Guidelines

ACSR Committee Meeting
Proposed Meeting on Mar 16,
2021 by Zoom

ACSR Award Assessment
A Taskforce was formed to review
the assessment criteria and target
completion by March 2021

ACSR Roundtable Meeting
Proposed Meeting in between June
to September, 2021.
Theme of the RT to be discussed in
the Committee Meeting.

ARCASIA Heritage Preservation Group (AHPG)
Target Formation in March, 2021



AHPG
Target Completion of Draft Guidelines for
Review in ARCASIA Council Meeting



Disaster Training Workshop in Zone C



AEA COMMUNITY SETUP AND WAY-FORWARD

- Establish ARCASIA Disaster Assistance Group under AEA
- Conducting Training Programs, Workshops, and Creating Assisting Arm for Emergency relief.
- Five representatives from Each Country minimum to share Emergency assisting Wisdom and Cross collaboration helping arm with sound financial going concern with NGO's, INGO's and government organizations.
- Exploring for “Disaster vigilant mobile app” for early warning / climatic crisis reporting with media collaboration with discovery channel.

AHPG COMMUNITY SETUP AND WAY-FORWARD

- Establishing of ARCASIA Heritage preservation Group – AHPG under ACSR including minimum Five Representatives from each country
- To collect information and reporting of Heritage Buildings of the region which carries probable potential for contemporary usage through retrofitting, repurposing, renovation
- Measured Drawings and photographic study of 100 regional historic buildings in 21 countries and classified their techniques of renovations and prepare Guide book carries regional characteristics similarities, and appropriateness of renovation techniques. Evaluate their repurposing and future use as opposed to new constructions and explore saving of Asian building foot prints.
- Establishing ARCASIA Regional Guidelines with a Valuable Publication with ARCASIA – ICOMAS which could probably with Asian Branding.

ARCASIA Heritage Preservation Group (AHPG)

- Led by Ar. Farhana Sharmin Emu
- Target Formation in March, 2021
- Expecting an active workforce of 6 – 7 team members with heritage experts.
- Expect to complete draft guidelines before the coming ARCASIA Council Meeting in November 2021.

ACSR AWARD

- Redefining of ACSR Award under ARCASIA Award. Identifying of criteria for recognizing and establishing Marking scheme for Jurors derived from UNSGD's.
 - AAA for Social Responsible Architecture (Category A)

Assessment Criteria Taskforce

- Led by Dr. Ar. Thana Chirapiwat
- Supported by members from Zone A, B & C
- SDG will be referred to establish the Assessment criteria
- Expect to complete the criteria by March 2021 for OB's review & match with the AAA Award Jury schedule



ACSR ROUND TABLE

▪THEME TO IDENTIFY

(Disaster Prevention, COVID 19, Heritage Preservation)

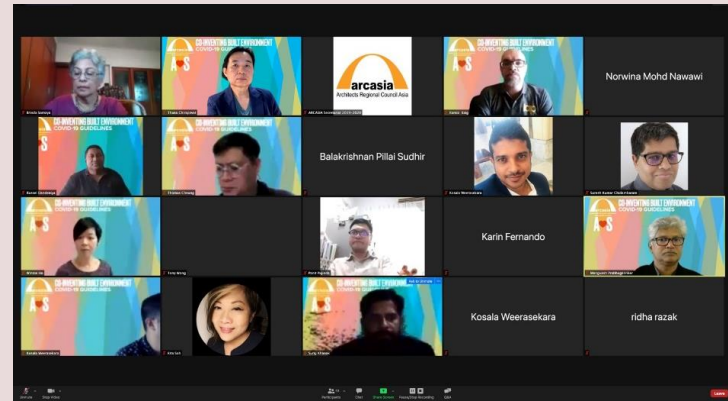
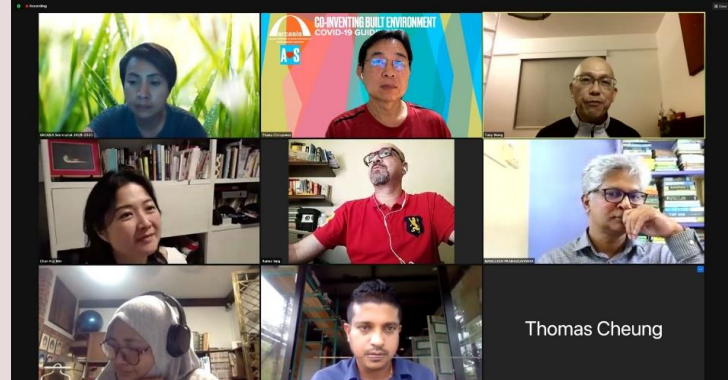
- Physical Meeting parallel to ACA Meeting in China/ Hybrid meeting/ Online Meeting
- How to define Online Round Table / Rename as “ **ACSR Inline Meeting**”

ACSR / AEA COVID 19 TASK FORCE

- Soon After Covid outbreak ACSR AEA jointly established Covid 19 Task force
- Serious and active meetings every Monday from last April to Date.
- Managed to conduct Online workshop with four key Speakers who are from the fields of Medical, Town planning, Public Administration and Architecture.
- Managed to conduct Webinar with same Speakers + Poverty alleviation expert.
- Managed to launch 13 ACRG's Guidebook and Online Presentation Forums in Malaysia, Sri Lanka to promote and make awareness for the Guidelines.
- ACSR seeks all country support to propagate this endeavors.

WEEKLY TASK-FORCE MEETINGS WERE IN PROGRESS





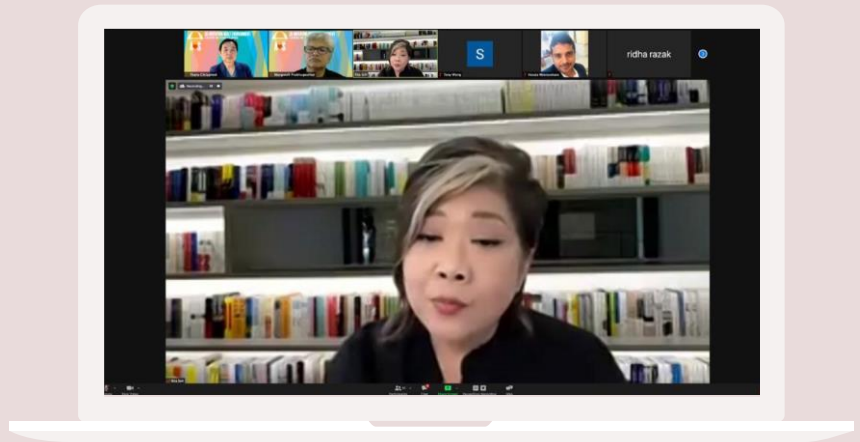
CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT

The Social Responsibility of ASIAN Architects

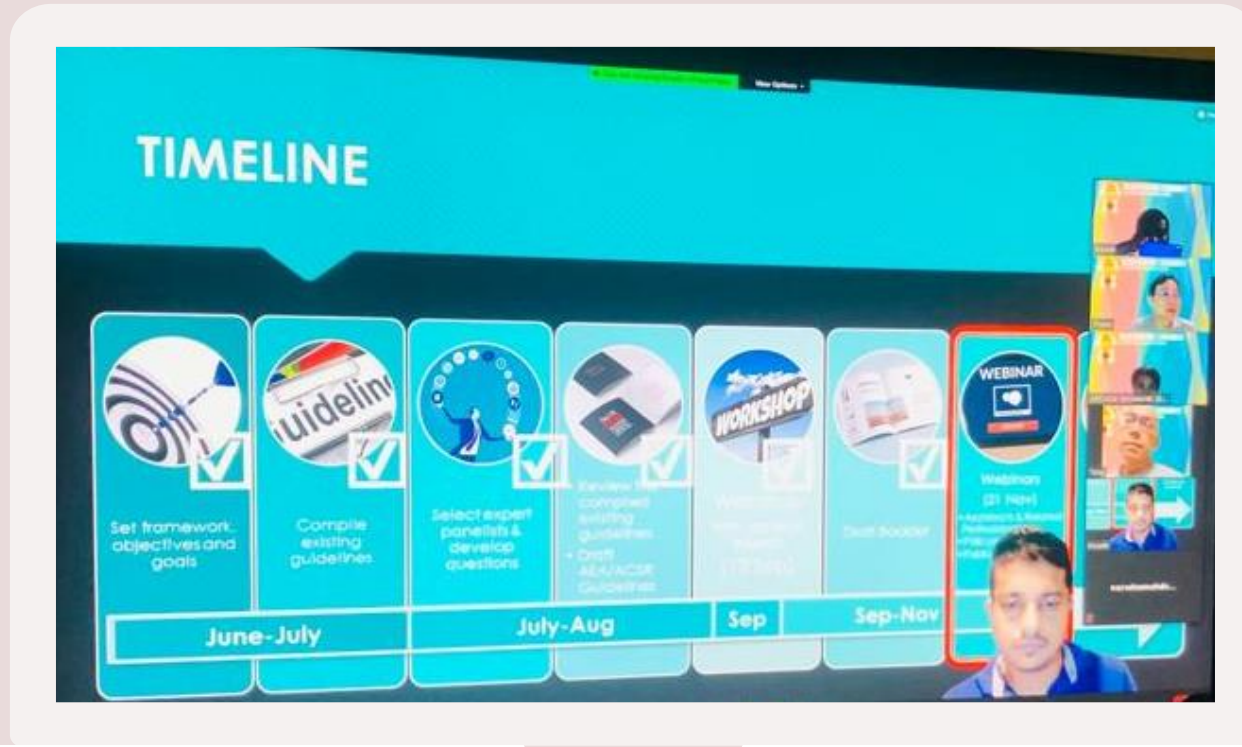


CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT- WEBINAR SERIES

1st Webinar



ROAD MAP- CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT

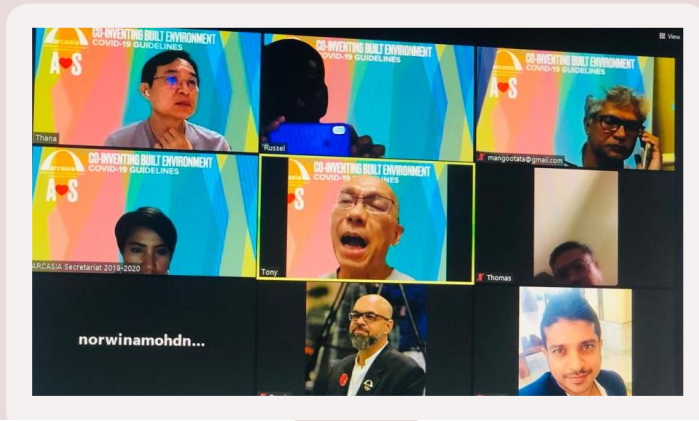


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Thematic Expressions by Dr. Thana – Wisdom behind ACSR



CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT



Q4/ What are architects in your country offering / volunteering to the community in helping people in need for now and in the foreseeable future?

VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY SERVICES

Immediate Relief Volunteering Work	8
Research, Campaigns and Services	7
Preparing Guidelines and Directives	6
Longer Term Relief Services	8
Surveys / Webinars	3
Financial Assistance	6
Special Working Groups	4

Volunteer Community Services Breakdown:

- Immediate Relief Volunteering Work: 20%
- Research, Campaigns and Services: 10%
- Preparing Guidelines and Directives: 10%
- Longer Term Relief Services: 10%
- Surveys / Webinars: 7%
- Financial Assistance: 14%
- Special Working Groups: 30%

CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT

1st Webinar – Ar. Tony Wong (Director AEA) in his Energetic Spirit



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Lovely Team together even during difficult times

DISCUSSION

REC LIVE on Face

Moderator
Tony Wong
Hong Kong Institute of Architects (HKIA)
Director, Workplace Resources, APJC at Cisco Systems

Facilitators

Ar. Thomas Cheung
ACSR Deputy Chair
Hong Kong Institute of Architects (HKIA)
Director, Cheung Kong-Yeung Architects Ltd.

**Note-takers/
Discussion Recap**

Ar. Mangesh Prabhugaonker
Indian Institute of Architects (IIA)
Prabhugaonker & Associates

Ar. Ramiz Baig
Institute of Architects Pakistan (IAP)
Principal Architect,
RBD Architecture and Interior Design Studio

Assoc. Prof. Norwina Mohd Nawawi
Pertubuhan Arkitek Malaysia (PAM)
International Islamic University Malaysia

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Workshop Series to formulate guidelines

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AEA/ACSR workshop series 2020

JOIN US TO CO-INVENT ARCASIA'S OWN GUIDLINES FOR ASIA'S POLICY MAKERS, ARCHITECTS & PUBLIC

PANEL OF EXPERTS



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ONLINE WORKSHOP | 12TH SEPTEMBER 2020 | 12 NOON SGT | 9.30AM IST | 1.00PM JST



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Registration Link - <https://bit.ly/Co-inventingBuiltEnv>

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Co-inventing Built Environment - ARCASIA COVID-19 Guidelines Public Webinar

Title - Co-Invent Built Environment – ARCASIA Guidelines for COVID-19

Objectives:

1. To announce the ARCASIA Guidelines for COVID-19.
2. To seek final comments on the Guidelines and
3. To seek alignment of the same.

Approach:
The Webinar is an event which formally launch the ARCASIA COVID-19 Guidelines.

Register for the public webinar now: [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

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Reimagining the Future of Young Architects

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CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Panel of Experts



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- HKIA Fellow, HKIA Board of External Affairs
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- Wide spectrum of projects including Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Museum, HK Children's Hospital, and recent Quarantine Camp for COVID-19

CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Formulation of Guidelines



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- Ar. Winnie Ho
- Ar. Sylvia Lam
- Prof. Panit Pujinda
- Ar. Brinda Somaya
- Ms. Karin Fernando

Their insight put into the Guidelines, participation in preparation meetings as well as the Workshop are most valuable.

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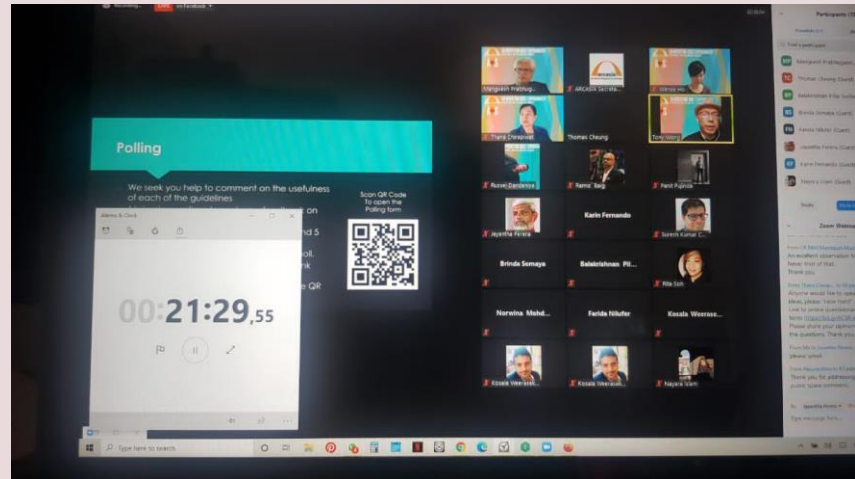
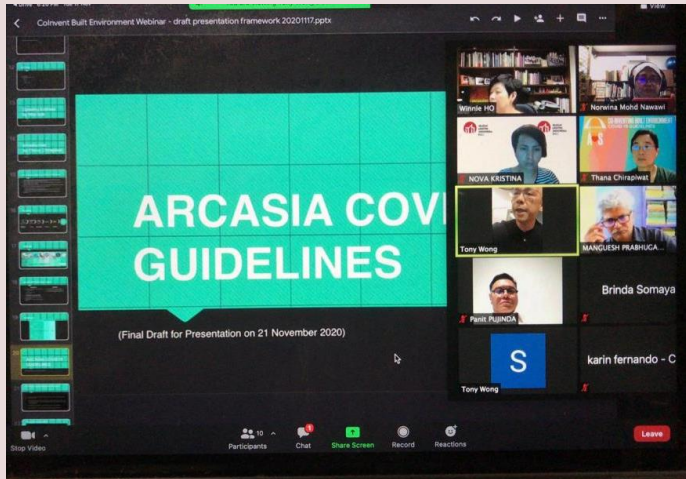
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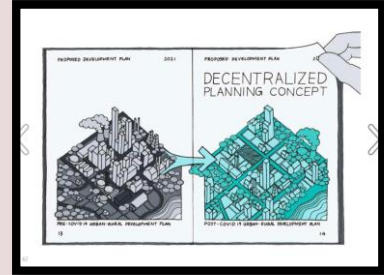
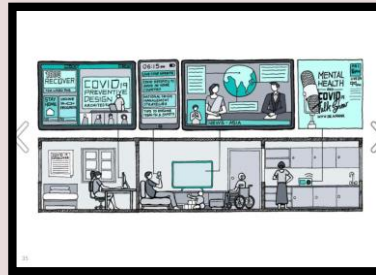
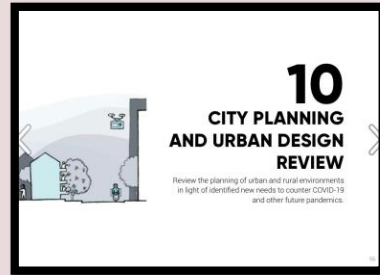
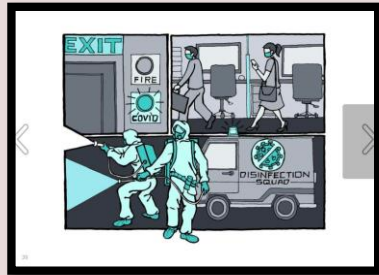
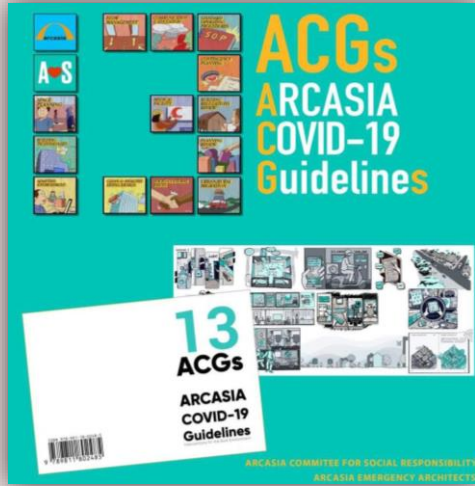


FORMULATION OF ARCASIA COVID RESPONSIVE GUIDELINES



THE PRODUCT

13 ACG's Booklet



13 ACG'S PROMOTION PLAN

ROADSHOW TO MEMBER INSTITUTES – BATCHES

Batch 1

Zone A: Bangladesh / India / Nepal / Pakistan

Zone B: Malaysia / Thailand

Zone C: Hong Kong

Batch 2:

Zone B: Singapore / Indonesia / Vietnam

Zone C: China / Korea / Japan / Macau

Batch 3:

Zone A: Bhutan

Zone B: Philippines / Myanmar / Brunei /

Laos

Zone C: Mongolia

REQUESTS OF THE MEMBER INSTITUTES TO:

- Understand, adopt, adapt and implement the 13 ACGs to their respective countries;
- Provide examples demonstrating the application of the 13 ACGs;
- Allow our participation in their conferences / webinars / publications;
- Translate the 13ACGs into local languages as required;
- Post the 13 ACGs on their webpage;
- Organize promotion to stakeholders (architects, building professionals, policy makers and public)

PROMOTION ON INTERNATIONAL PLATFORMS

- Leverage international platform such as UIA, CAA, RIBA, AIA...etc.
- Participation in their international conferences and seek speaking opportunities;
- Contribute to international publication;
- Explore opportunities in international press and other traditional media such as newspaper, magazines & TV.

CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT – PAM

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ARCASIA COVID-19 GUIDELINES : CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT : THE WAY FORWARD FOR PAM

Saturday | 12 December 2020 11.00am-12.30pm (MYT) 3.00am-4.30am (GMT) online ★ LAM CPD Point has been applied

Moderator
Ar Mustapha Kamal (PAM)

Speaker 1: Director, ARCASIA Emergency Architect
Ar Tony Wong (HKIA)

ARCASIA Vice-President Zone B
Ar Saifuddin Ahmad (PAM)

Speaker 2: ARCASIA Co-Editor & Content Expert,
Dr Thana Chirapiwat (ASA)

ARCASIA CSR Chairman
Ar Russell Dandeniya (SLIA)

Speaker 3: PAM CSR Chairperson
Ar Mumtazah Mustajab (PAM)

Organised by: **PAM PERTUBUHAN AKITEK MALAYSIA**
MALAYSIAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
Environment & Social Responsibility Committee

In Collaboration with: **arcasia**
Architects Regional Council Asia

A Collaboration between PAM Community & Social Responsibility (CSR) Committee and CPD Committee

Credit to Ar Ahmad Ridha Abd Razak



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Built Environment ; The Way Forward For PAM**

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MEETING

13th MARCH 2021



ACSR - ARCASIA COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

ACSR Meeting

1st ARCASIA Online Committee Meeting



The image shows a meeting agenda card for the ACSR Meeting. It features the ARCASIA logo (Architects Regional Council Asia) and the ACSR logo (ARCASIA COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY). The card is divided into sections for meeting details, Zoom information, and an agenda. The background has a decorative geometric pattern on the left side.

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**ARCASIA COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
(ACSR) MEETING**

Saturday, 13th March 2021
1430 Hrs (SGT)
1200 Hrs (IST)
1430 Hrs (HKT)

Join Zoom Meeting
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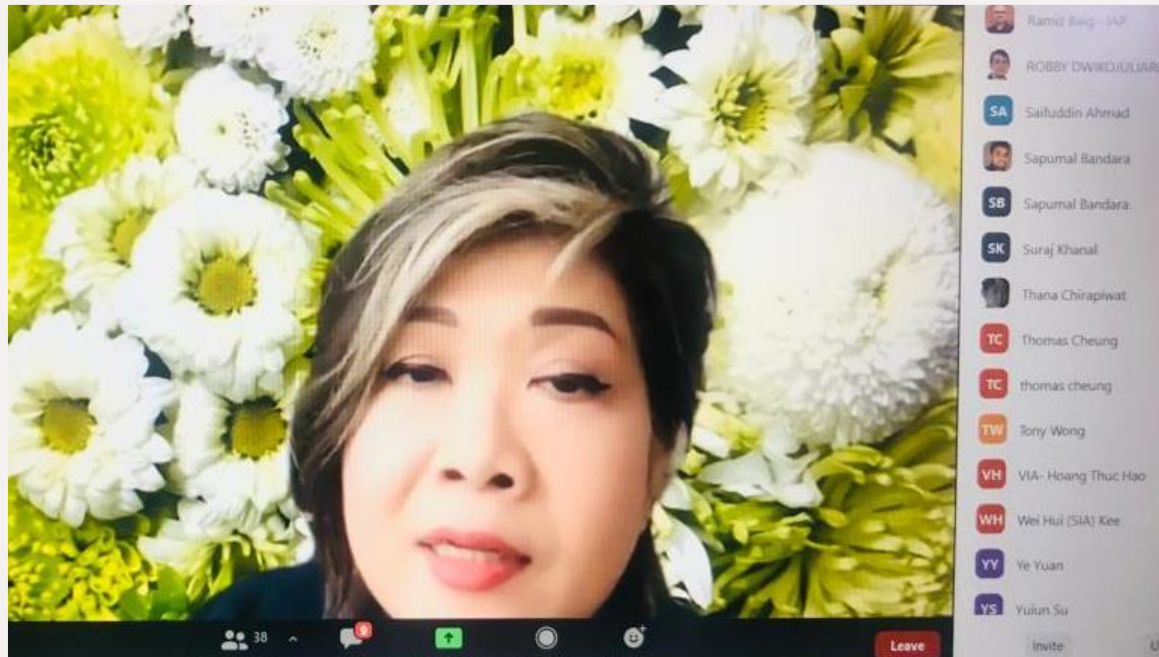
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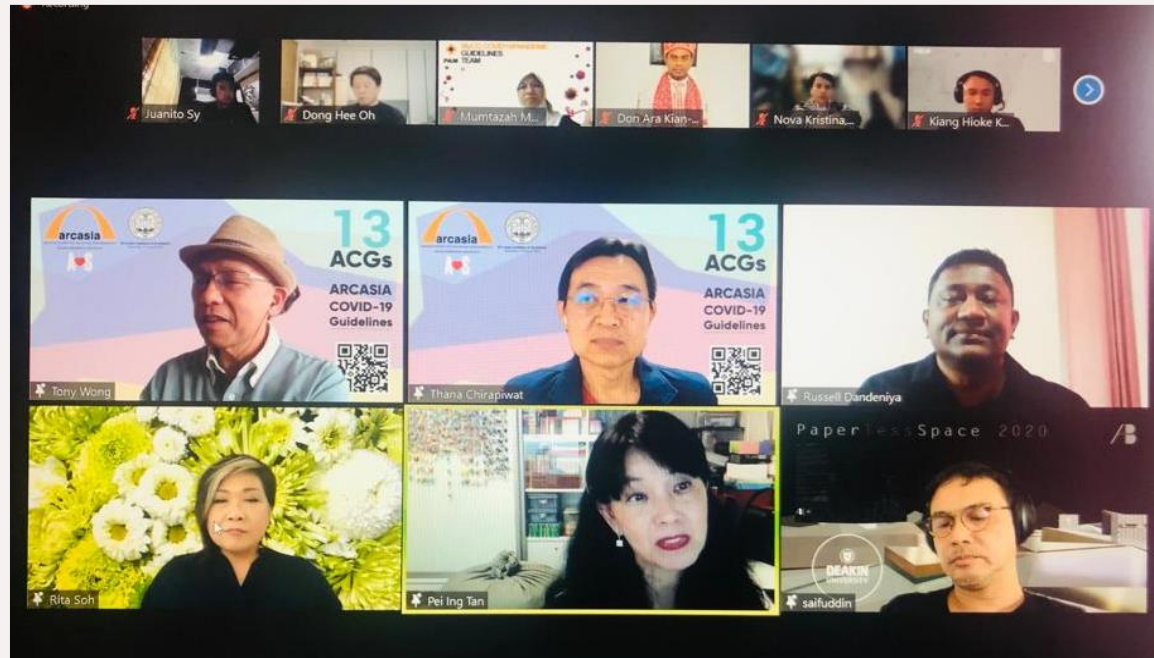
AGENDA

- 2:30 pm - Welcome address by Chairman ACSR (5min)
- 2:35 pm - ARCASIA President Remarks (10 min)
- 2.45 pm - Country Reports- Strictly 3 mins. for each country
- 3.45 pm - 13 ACGs propaganda by Tony Wong / Thana (15 min)
- 4:00 pm - Redefining of ACSR Award (Dr. Thana- 15 min)
- 4.15 pm - Set up of AEA community & AHPG (Tony/Emu) 10 min each
- 4:35 pm - Round table topic discussion/ dates /venues if possible (20 min)
- 4:55 pm - Closing remarks by Thomas Cheung (5 min)
- 4:45 pm - Closing up

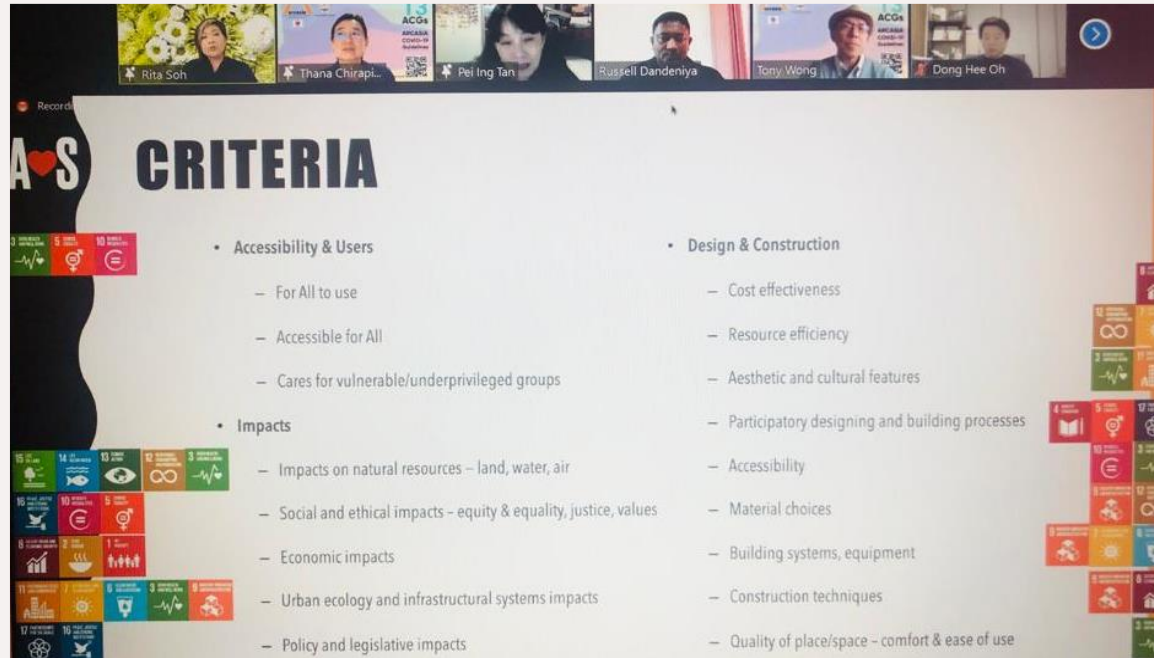
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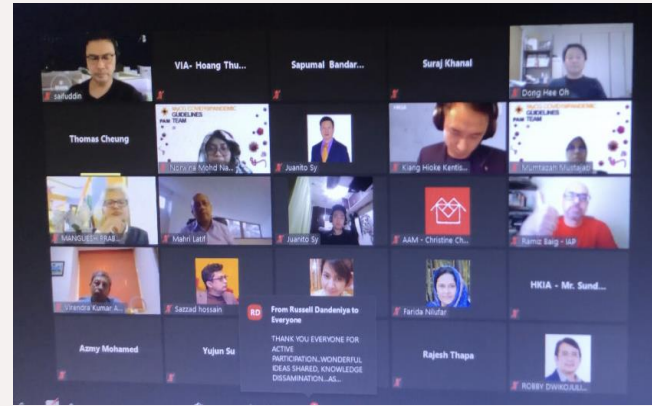
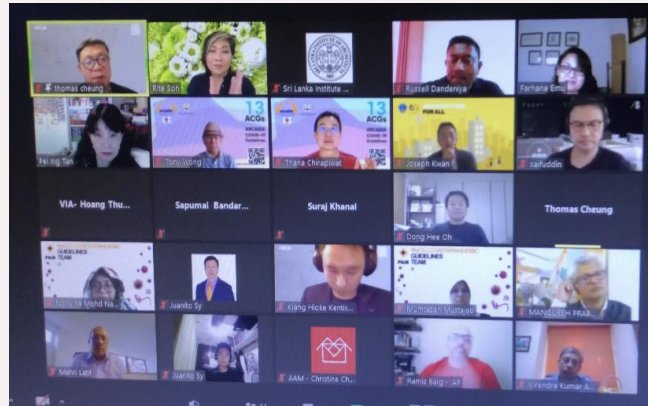
FORMULATION OF THE CRITERIA ARCASIA AWARDS FOR SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE ARCHITECTURE DR. THANA'S COMPREHENSIVE MATRIX



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 - Social and ethical impacts - equity & equality, justice, values
 - Economic impacts
 - Urban ecology and infrastructural systems impacts
 - Policy and legislative impacts
- Design & Construction
 - Cost effectiveness
 - Resource efficiency
 - Aesthetic and cultural features
 - Participatory designing and building processes
 - Accessibility
 - Material choices
 - Building systems, equipment
 - Construction techniques
 - Quality of place/space - comfort & ease of use

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ARCASIA COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (ACSR) MEETING

Minutes of Zoom Meeting of 13th March 2021 ROADSHOW TO MEMBER INSTITUTES – BATCHES

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Kiang Hioke Kentis BEH
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Farhana Emu
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Don Ara Kian-IAI
Jayantha Perera
Pei Ing Tan
Virendra Kumar Agarwal

- ACSR Chair Ar. Russell Dandeniya warmly welcomed all participants located in their various time zones and appreciated their participation on behalf of the President and Council of ARCASIA.
- He noted that 13 Countries had pre-registered for the meeting besides many Presidents of the ARCASIA institutes who were also following the proceedings
- The items listed on the Agenda were surfed followed by viewing of the group photo of the ACSR meeting held previously in Dhaka, quite in contrast to the current online meeting being held due to the prevailing Pandemic situation.
- The ACSR Year Planner 2021 was viewed which was proposed to the ARCASIA Council with assigned tasks.
- In keeping with guidelines of ARCASIA Council under Covid conditions, activity of the ACSR Committee was curtailed to webinars, the outcome of which, remarkably, was compilation of the 13 ACGS, available for the world to follow; being the combined efforts of ACSR and AEA.

- Matters on the Agenda were briefly elaborated by the Chair, thereafter, namely–
- Approx. 6-8 months is considered a requirement to formulate the ARCASIA Heritage Preservation Group and develop certain guidebooks for heritage preservation.
- Regarding AEA Community Setup and Way forward - which Ar. Tony Wong would elaborate further - is envisaged to develop and convert it into an assisting arm as a commercial entity, possibly with support of NGOs and INGOs, and prospect of establishing a “Disaster Vigilant Mobile App” in collaboration with a media entity, such as “Discovery Channel”.
- On the AHPG Community Setup and Way Forward, it is envisaged, with the leadership of Ar. Farahana Shamin Emu and patronage of IAB to create a group of perhaps 5 members from each institute interested in Archeology and Preservation to select 5 buildings for retrofitting and repurposing them with measured drawings; analyze similarities; key factors specifically unique to the ARCASIA Region in order to develop a guidebook and create ARCASIA’s own ICOMAS.
- Defining the criteria for the ACSR Award as a socially responsible event. It will be a topic to be discussed at length at this meeting.
- Chair informed that since April, the ASCR/AEA Covid 19 Task Force continues to meet every Monday. With the 13 ACGs established the need now is to progress to a higher plane
- Photos of the various ACSR Committees were viewed with Ch. expressing his pleasure to have such supportive and dedicated members to work with.
- The 13 ACGs Promotion Plan by Ar. Tony Wong although agreed upon principally, is to be tabled for formalization by the ACSR Committee.
- Concluding his outline, Chair requested members presenting Country reports to be precise and focus on key items.

- President ARCASIA, Ar. Rita Soh was thereafter welcomed to address the meeting.
- Following initial greetings, President Rita Soh commended the extensive accomplishments of Ch. ACSR and AEA's Tony Wong.
- Dwelling on Climate Change in its complexity, President said it was covered by, basically the five ARCASIA committees focusing on different aspects. ACSR concentrated on resiliency in view of Covid-19 and achieved much notwithstanding its many other programs.
- Ar. Rita Soh suggested three areas for further development by the ARCASIA Committees (1) The human aspect of well being, particularly in the context of the present Pandemic. (2) The need to emphasize on heritage in terms of the Asian region and its implication. (3) Using technology as a modern platform to upgrade human livelihood. This being a broad-based framework for development leading to the next ARCASIA Council and beyond as a continuing legacy of ACSR members commitment.
- Re: ARCASIA Awards, ACSR is called upon to define the term “Social Responsibility Project” so that any award received by ARCASIA will be considered for its social responsibility feature.
- In concluding her brief address, Ar. Rita Soh mentioned the probability of sharing the 13 ACGs when she participates in the UA Region 4 program as part of championing the cause of ARCASIA.
- Answering a few queries after her address, Ar. Rita Soh informed that Social Responsibility will be a definite factor for consideration in all future ARCASIA awards submissions.
- Country reports were presented as the next Agenda item, taken in alphabetical order:

- 1) Brunei Institute of Architects – presented by Ar. Mahri Latif consisted of BIAs assistance to the Country’s Covid 19 initiatives including extension of the National Isolation center in 4 days and other programs such as painting floral murals on pedestrian walks of Jalan Roberts and beautification of a community center and some social interaction events with the public.
- 2) Architectural Society of China presentation by Ar. Yuan Ye was based on two aspects, the Covid-19 Plight and Poverty Alleviation, the rapid building of 2 large hospitals - Hyoshenshan (1000 beds) in 10 days and Leishenshan (1600 beds) - and others constructed subsequently; converting makeshift stadiums, exhibition centers to health care facilities; publishing a Journal on Architecture in March-April 2020 on health care issues and conducting more than 50 online architectural courses were matters under Covid-19 Flight. Under Poverty Alleviation, 98.99 million rural residents were elevated from poverty; old village buildings converted to modern villas to be used for tourism and construction of a low cost, fast and easily constructible experimental house were among those presented.
- 3) The presentation by Ar. Kentis Kiang Hioke of the Hongkong Institute of Architects was on CSR projects by its Community Development Committee to promote public understanding of architecture by means of social services, including a community project funded mobile exhibition of the “Last Saw Mill”; environment recognition schemes, and the HKIA Covid-19 volunteer task force of 60 members who conducted seven outreach programs. It also covered the Quality Building Award celebrating its landmark tenth edition in 2020.
- 4) The Indian Institute of Architects Country Report by Ar. Mangesh consisted of a range of activities including an analytical review of prevailing Pandemic ground realities and futuristic strategies in regard to the situation involving a 100% lockdown, partial lockdown and post lockdown and the methodologies of online workshops, seminars, national conferences, outdoor meetings and the measures to be adopted by the Government.

- 5) Ar. Nova Kristina reported for the Institute of Architects Indonesia the extensive damage caused by the earthquake in the Majene, West Sulawesi Province; an area which has experienced three earthquakes in the past. The report also covered the 2021 South Kalimantan Floods and the relief work undertaken by the IAI by way of providing clean water and 6 temporary shelters with sanitary facilities, each shelter accommodating 10-12 families. The next phase being to fix the village and the houses.
- 6) Presentation of the Architects Association of Macau by Ar. Christina Choi was on the success in curbing the threat of the Covid-19; endeavors of AAM to enhance the knowledge and job opportunities for young architects, including an open competition; working with the government on enhancement of 60 Public Toilets with all equipment being sensor functional; upgrading of the Institute's website, enhancing the membership platform and a planned set of futuristic goals
- 7) The Architects Institute of Malaysia report presented by Ar. Dr. Nowani Mohd Nawawi provided a pictorial record of the impact of the Pandemic on Malaysia; shutdown of facilities, emergence of e-commerce entrepreneurship; the initiatives of the Institute in submission of designing and setting up of Quarantine/Low Risk Hospitals, links with the government as a think-tank on National Planning for Healthcare and keeping the membership actively involved with webinars on climate change, heritage, better housing and educational activities, including contributing to formulating the 13 ACGs, and establishment of an Emergency Architects Team.
- 8) Ar. Ramiz of IAP announced the bereavement of Ar. Shama Usman who had served two terms as Chairperson Pakistan Council of Architects & Town Planners and Chairperson IAP Karachi Chapter. As a tribute to Ar. Shama Usman, IAPs presentation was a video covering the scope of the extensive CSR projects she carried out under project "TRUCE" to develop and improve the living standards of rural communities of Pakistan by improving general health standards and increasing literacy levels and propagating awareness of human rights, democracy, tolerance and equality.

- (9) Ar. Juanito Sy of the United Architects of the Philippines reported that the UAP provided Covid-19 patients with the donations they had called for and also designed easy-to-build emergency quarantine facilities and designs for converting gymnasiums and public school buildings into quarantine facilities. He said UAP members are currently converting cargo containers into Isolation centers and concepts for Front liner Billeting Facilities. He also informed of the milestone events UAP will be celebrating on 26th March of this year.
- (10) For the Institute of Architects Bangladesh, Ar. Farahana Sharmin Emu detailed the initiatives taken in regard to Covid 19 in support of marginalized people and health care professionals, open source guidelines, healthcare facilities, financial aids and professional supports. She further reported on the advancement in the Heritage field and the initiative to include specific items in the World Heritage List which has received positive response and appreciation by the Prime Minister of Bangladesh. Other events listed included publication of an IAB Heritage Bulletin. IAB also held numerous webinars on important topics as was listed.
- (11) The Korea Institute of Registered Architects presentation by Ar. Hyungsup Sim informed of seminars, discussions and forums held during Covid-19 on the future of Architecture and related subjects with information being gathered on the lessons learned and active involvement in performing building permits and declaration processes to establish Regional Safety centers in cities with a population over 500,000. They also built the 4th& 5th Public Regional Children's centers in collaboration with NGOs and the Korean Broadcasting Company and conducted workshops for students in disaster areas and promoted healthy psychological development programs for children and teenagers and held Hope Architecture School and provided pro-bono design services.
- (12) Ar. Suraj Kharnal presenting SONA's report indicated the impact of Covid-19 on Nepal and despite the setback SONA had many "virtual" knowledge sharing webinars; concluded a heritage conservation project called "Ranipokhari"; developing guidelines for the Covid 19 isolation center assisted by IAB and HKIA and held a webinar with other professional organizations to advocate the promotion of the ACGs in the country. His report also mentioned that work is nearing completion on the Universal Toilet in Lalitpur.

- (13)The report of SIA was presented by Ar. Kee Wei Hui commencing with a mission and vision statement, proceeded to describe four topics under Collaboration and Social Responsibilities, namely: design, practice education and institution. SIA's CSR Program for 2020 covered three major initiatives detailed as: A Children's Aid Society Design Competition, Memorandum of Understanding with Institutes of Higher Learning and Making the Singapore's Workers' Dormitories a Better Place. This final item is in progress.
- (14)SLIA's report presented by Ar. Sapumal Bandara mentioned that Covid-19 adversely affected progress and the construction industry came to a standstill. SLIA donated funds to the government's Covid initiatives. The workshop series "Co-inventing Built Environment" proceeded however with graphical support from young architects. The 13 ACGs booklet was translated into two local languages and presented to the Prime Minister and Education Ministry for distribution to schools. Another booklet "The Right to Joy" was also produced." The Social Responsibility of the Architect" was SLIA's theme of the Annual Sessions. A Design Competition as a CSR project on "Innovative Use of Batik in Built Environment" is proceeding and another, Model Toilet Blocks for Rural Schools. Design of a low cost disaster resilient quick constructible low cost model Village has been presented to the Ministry of Disaster Management for implementation.
- (15)Ar.Thana Chirapiwat informed that the report of the Royal will be presented to the next meeting
- (16)Vietnam Association of Architects presentation by Ar. Hoang Thur Hao informed that the new President & Office Bearers of the 10th VIA National Conference changed the name of their Institute to Vietnam Institute of Architects (VIA), while the National Assembly of Vietnam approved the Architects Act requiring Architects to guide the construction sector towards identity and sustainability. Other activities included a Makeshift Hospital Design Competition for the Covid Pandemic, Conferences on Design Solutions for Modern Hospital Architecture, Architectural Response to Natural Disasters; two Workshops; a Community Project for a Highland School; and a booklet containing 9 models of Weather Disaster Resilient Safe Houses. The Institute's future plans were also given.

At the conclusion of the Country Reports Chair thanked the representatives for inspiring presentations and that valuable information and examples need to be extracted from the reports of some countries.

The next Agenda item - 13 ACGs, Chair called upon Ar. Tony Wong to elaborate. Appreciating the contribution by all Tony Wong asked Ar. Thana Chirpiwat to make a presentation and familiarize those not fully aware of its content. Ar. Thana Chirapiwat provided a through walk-through from its early stages of discussion/formation to the present. He said the 13 ACGs was officially launched by ARCASIA and the high resolution version is available with Chair Ar. Russell Dandeniya or Ar Tony Wong of AEA. For its implementation aspect Ar Tony Wong's presentation explained the proposed strategy and the requirement/expectations for its implementation by the local institutes, social media and the international platform.

Commenting on the 13 ACGs presentation Ar. Rita Soh mentioned examining the current status of the individual countries and implementing the 13 ACGs according to the cultural and economic context so as to obtain a clear feedback of interpretation of the guidelines which could lead to a compilation of the different customizations. Ar. Rita Soh also suggested the possibility of synthesizing some of them into values or principles because they are fundamentals to be adopted as design attributes regardless of the Pandemic. Comments were also shared by Ar. Peilng Tan and Ar. Saifuddin.

Redefining of ACSR Award - A presentation on the criteria for ARCASIA Social Responsible Architecture Award by Ar. Thana Chirapiwat was shared next, categorized into three areas: accessibility and users, impacts, design & construction and explained segmented into 8 quadrants of social responsible architecture for private and public projects. In comments that followed his presentation, the methodology used was appreciated and considered adoptable as the basis to judge all ACSR projects by all the analytical components that comprised one cube, and the criteria which consisted of a high and low grading. It is to be circulated to OB and usable ACGSA. Suggestions to include diversity, safe and inclusivity to the criteria.

As the next item Set up of AEA Community & AHPG, chair requested the collaborate effort of all for the programs of ARCASIA Emergency Architects and ARCASIA Heritage Preservation Group, Ar. Tony Wong presented and explained his program of action.

Ar. Farhana Emu followed with a presentation on ARCASIA Heritage Preservation Group, divided into two main categories - natural and cultural heritage and their sub-divisions, with short term and long term plans of action and a clear way forward. Ar. Rita Soh in her follow up comment requested for the presentation to be forwarded to her for further review.

Ar. Thomas Chang commenced the round table discussions followed by comments by Ar. Rita Soh.

He also provided the concluding remarks,

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HOW ARCHITECTS CAN LEVERAGE
NEW TECHNOLOGIES FOR OUR FUTURE

PANELLISTS

ACAE	ACSR	ACPP	ACGSA	ACYA
				
"THE FUTURE OF DESIGN & A LIFE-LONG EDUCATION"	"THE WAY FORWARD"	"TRANSITION INTO NEW VISUAL SOFTWARES"	"WELLNESS & FUTURE CITIES' RESILIENCY"	"DESIGN RESILIENCY FOR FUTURE CITIES"

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THE INAUGURAL MEETING ARCASIA HERITAGE PRESERVATION GROUP



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Oct 2, 2021-01:00 PM Singapore

AGENDA

1:00 PM	Opening Remarks by ACSR Chairman Ar. Russell Dandeniya.
1:05 - 1:10	Welcome Address by ARCASIA President Ar. Rita Soh
1:10 - 1:15	Address by ARCASIA President Elect Ar. Abu Sayeed
1:15 - 1:25	Introduction of the Programme by Chairman ACSR Ar. Russell Dandeniya
1:25 - 1:50	Presenting the action plan of AHPG by AHPG Chairperson Ar. Farhana Emu
1:50 - 2:20	AHPG Timeline and Deliberate the Discussions / Q&A sessions Ar. Thomas Cheung-ACSR Deputy Chairman
2:20 - 2:25	Vote of Thanks by ACSR Chairman Ar. Russell Dandeniya
2:25 - 2:30	Closing Remark by ACSR Chairman Ar. Russell Dandeniya



Rita Soh
Chairperson ARCASIA



Russell Dandeniya
Chairman ACSR



Thomas Cheung
Deputy Chairman ACSR



Farahana Shamin Emu
Chairperson AHPG



Russell Dandeniya

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21 countries- together

Can we transform the built heritage for a purpose?

An ambitious goal for **ARCASIA** member institutes



Formation of strategies to preserve **ARCASIA**
TANGIBLE & INTANGIBLE HERITAGE through AHPG...

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Let's discuss and deliberate with next leadership...Deputy Chairman Thomas
Cheung and Farahana Shamin Emu... the way forward



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Are we harnessing our built heritage adequately?

The responsibility of **Asian Architects**



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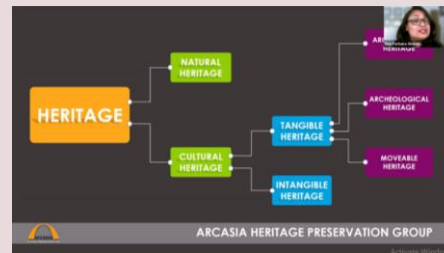
Emu Farhana Sharma

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Proposal 4: Identify trans-boundary nomination for World heritage listing



- Share experiences and knowledge related to heritage conservation through webinar, colloquium.
- Capacity Building in ARCASIA-countries through organizing workshop, training etc. on technical issues related to heritage conservation
- Another focus or notion of the AHPG group will be to collaborate (work together) with UNESCO, ICOMOS, ICCROM, DOCCOMMO, MANNASIA and the other international organizations in the heritage sector

Create and Promote Asian Identity

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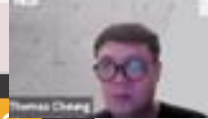
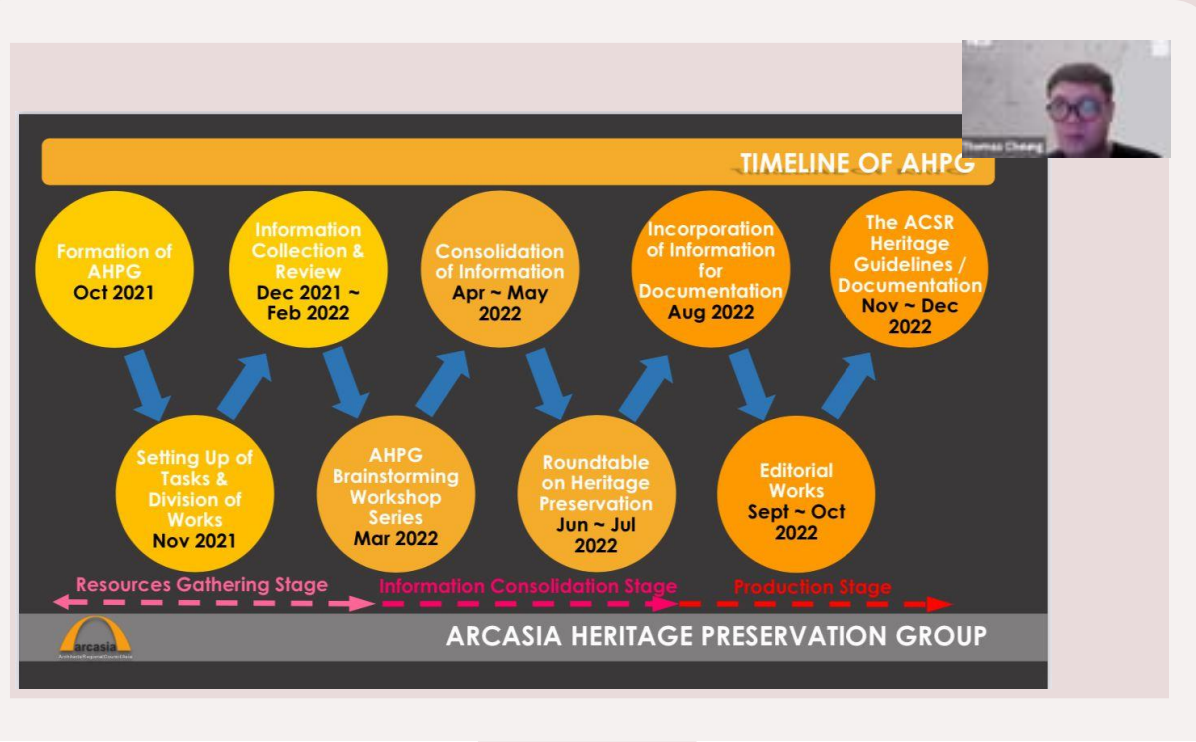


OLD HOUSE TO COMMUNITY CENTER, CHINA



Proposal 1: Adoptive Reuse of Urban Architectural Heritage

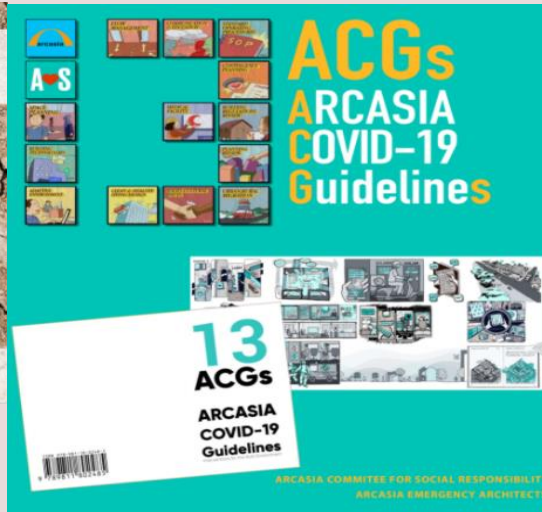
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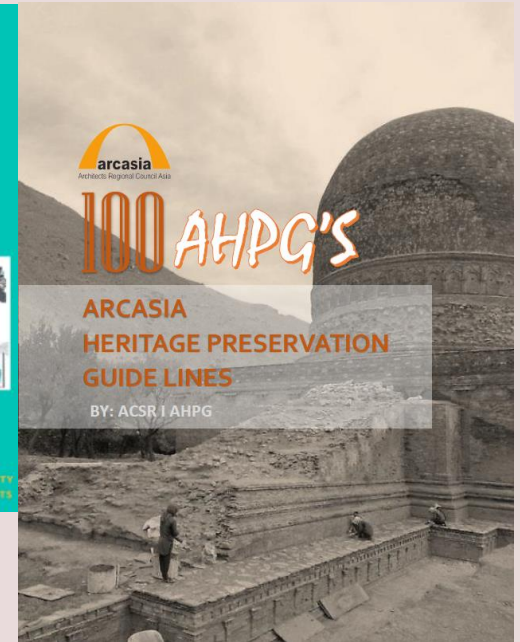
CO-INVENTING BUILT ENVIRONMENT



Resiliency booklet



13ACGs booklet



100 AHP Guidelines.

ACTIVE PARTICIPATION – GREAT CONTRIBUTION FOR A PURPOSE



**ARCASIA HERITAGE PRESERVATION GROUP MEETING OF 21ST OCTOBER 2021 VIA ZOOM
AT 1.00 pm SGT TIME**

Attendance:

Ar. RITA SOH
Ar. Russell Dandeniya
Ar. Thomas Cheung
Ar. Emu Farhana Sharmin
Ar. Mohammad Sazzad Hossain
Ar. Christine Choi
Ar. Jayantha Perera
Ar. Nova Kristina
Ar. MD.ISHTIAQUE ZAHIR
Ar. Saifuddin Ahmad
Ar. Rohana Bandara Herath
Ar. Pei Ing Tan
Ar. Joseph Kwan
Ar. Mahri Latif
Ar. NORWINA MOHD NAWAWI

Ar. Farhana Raahid
Ar. Ramiz Baig
Ar. Abu Sayeed Ahmed
Ar. Qazi Arif
Ar. Suresh Edirisooriya
Ar. Fatiha Polin
Ar. Mauktik trivedi
Ar. Arif Changezi
Ar. Chandana Edirisuriya
Ar. Sapumal Bandara
Ar. Bisma Askari
Ar. Dilummini De Mel
Ar. YUAN Ye
Ar. Shahab Khan
Ar. Thana Chirapiwat
Ar. Damith Premathilake

Chair Ar. Russell Dandeniya welcomed his online audience and invited President ARCASIA Ar. Rita Soh to address members.

Ar. Rita Soh commended the drive, passion and commitment of her Office Bearers, Committee Chairmen and Deputy Chairmen for their hard work during the past two years. Ar. Rita Soh said, following on the cross committee webinar on “Minding our Heritage” this meeting is appropriate to look at the built and natural heritage and as Asians and define Asian heritage.

Ar. Abu Sayeed praised the recent initiations by Ar. Rita Soh and Chair ACSR, which will assist him to proceed with the vision and action plan. He recollected ARCASIA’s past initiatives in heritage and spoke of the distinct authenticity of Asian heritage in terms of spiritual, cultural and non-material values, noting that preservation is but one aspect of “Conservation”.

Address by the Chair followed. He said today’s meeting is a follow up on last year’s deliberations, to formulate a separate arm under ACSR to preserve the built heritage of Asia for a purpose, that is: how heritage buildings can be effectively used. He envisages an ARCASIA Heritage guide book similar to the 13 ACGs.

Ar. Farhana Emu presented comprehensive action plan of AHPG to create and promote Asian Identities through Asian Culture & Heritage. In regard to which 5 Tangible Heritage proposals all of which were described in detail:

Proposal 1 – Adoptive Reuse of Urban Architectural Heritage

- Proposal 2 – Formulate own Asian Guidelines for Conservation.
- Proposal 3 – Documentation of Vernacular or Indigenous Heritage
- Proposal 4 - Identify Trans-Boundary Nomination of World Heritage Listing
- Proposal 5 – Promote Heritage – Tourism in ARCASIA Countries

The Action Plan for Intangible Heritage comprised:

Proposal 6 – Document & Promote Traditional Festivals

- Document & Promote Traditional Crafts
- Document & Promote Musical Instruments
- Document & Promote Oral Traditions
- Document & Promote Performing Arts
- Document & Promote Social Practices
- Document & Promote Rituals

Ar. Thomas Cheung followed with a tentative timeline of the AHPG grouped into three stages and explained its content as:

Resource Gathering stage

- Information Consolidation Stage
- Production Stage

Additionally, he provided items for discussion by the members based on his timeline.

Commented on, Ar. Pei Ing Tan mentioned the availability of information in previous ARCASIA records. This was confirmed by Ar. Rita Soh although the document is somewhat old and with fewer participating countries at the time and not altogether complete, could be used as the basis.

Ensuing comments from members related to the possibility of working on aspects of the framework in time for the next ARCASIA Conference. The need to add inclusion of community/people and diversity and also cuisine was suggested. The focus to be on definition and criteria with emphasis on the built heritage as commencement of the exercise. The need to closely work with the legislature is also to be a consideration.

A very informative presentation by Ar. Rita Soh on the process of conservation in Singapore was viewed, based on 4 district categories – Historic Districts, Residential Historic Districts, Secondary Settlements and Bungalows with the process of their implementation clearly defined.

Chair said the presentation on Singapore provides a clear illustration for the formation of Asia's own policy, guidelines and framework and working toward documenting it into a book, unique to the Asian region. He also called for the support of all Country President to assist Ar. Emu and AHPG to elevate this program to a higher level.

In conclusion Chair Ar. Russell Dandeniya thanked all participants by name.

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ACSR SESSION 2022-2024



Ar. Russell Dandeniya
Chairman – ACSR

*“we together initiated many things
and made impossible to realities,
wishing you and the team - ACSR
A RESILIENT FUTURE”*



Ar. Thomas Cheung
Deputy Chairman – ACSR

THANK YOU TEAM ACSR FOR YOUR SUPPORT...
“CONTINUE THE SPIRIT AND ARCASIA CAMARADERIE”

Ar. Russell Dandeniya
Chairman – ACSR




ACSR ARCASIA Committee on Social Responsibility

Friday, 29th October 2021
14.00 hrs. – 18.00 hrs.
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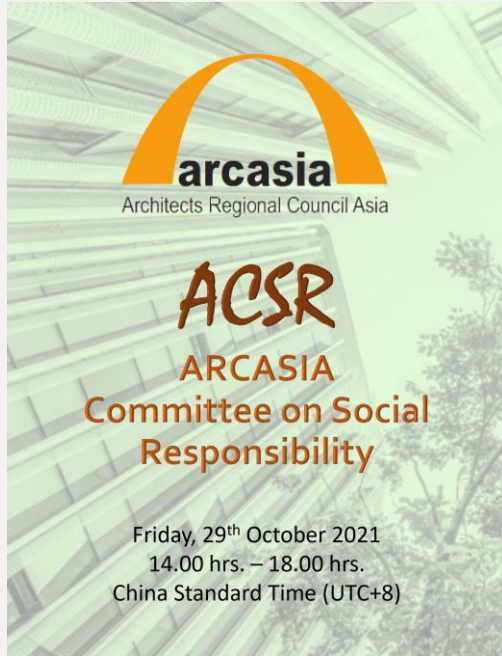
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| 14.00 – 14.05 | Chairman to call meeting to order and welcome address
Ar. Russell Dandeniya |
| 14.05 – 14.10 | Address by ARCASIA President
Ar. Rita Soh |
| 14.10 – 14.15 | Committee Report Presentation by Chairman
Ar. Russell Dandeniya |
| 14.15 – 16.10 | Country Reports |
| 16.10 – 16.15 | Report on ARCASIA Emergency Architects (AEA)
Ar. Tony Wong |
| 16.15 – 16.20 | AHPG Report by AHPG Chairperson
Ar. Farhana Emu |
| 16.25 – 16.30 | Handing over of Chairmanship |
| 16.30 – 16.35 | Future programs Presentation by Chairman elect
Ar. Thomas Cheung |
| 16.35 – 16.40 | Any other Business |
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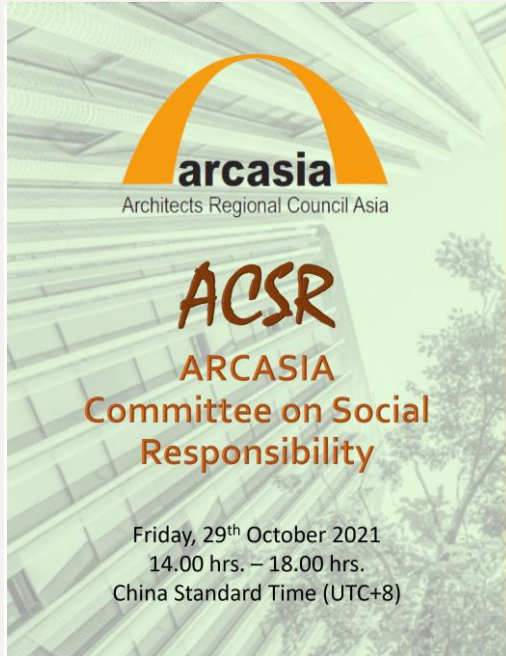
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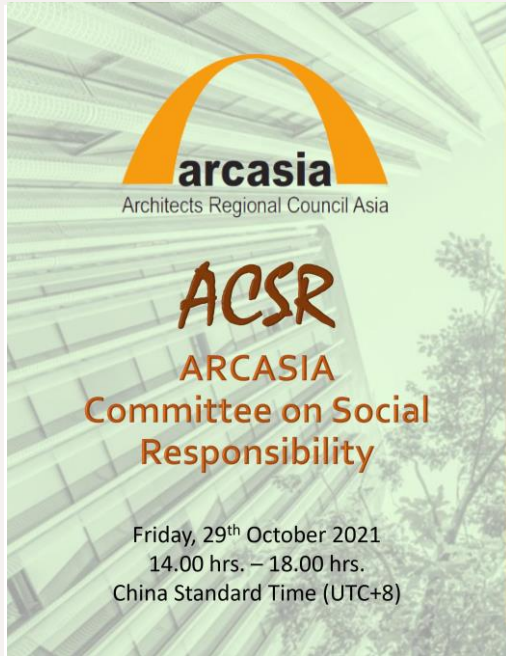
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