

ANNOUNCING the 4th Annual Khmer Studies Forum

Center for Southeast Asian Studies Ohio University



Friday, April 27, Saturday, April 28, and Sunday, April 29, 2012

The 4th Annual **Khmer Studies Forum** will be held at Ohio University, in Athens, Ohio, U.S.A. on Friday, April 27, Saturday, April 28, and Sunday, April 29, 2012. This Forum is being organized by the **Center for Southeast Asian Studies (CSEAS) at Ohio University (OHIO)**.

The Khmer (Cambodian) Studies Forum (KSF) is an opportunity to facilitate discussion on topics including but not limited to Khmer language, history, culture, economics, politics, education, and the arts. All faculty, students and community members are invited to attend.

Participation in the KSF is free.



The KSF will feature presentations by **Mr. Joel Brinkley**, Pulitzer Prizewinning foreign correspondent for the *New York Times*, Hearst Visiting Professional in Residence at Stanford University, and author of *Cambodia's Curse: A Troubled History of a Modern Land* (http://comm.stanford.edu/faculty/brinkley/), and **Mr. PraCh Ly**, a well-known Cambodian-American artist, musician, and activist

(www.mujestic.com).



PraCh Ly

Throughout the three-day KSF, there will be numerous panels, roundtable discussions, workshops, film screenings, and cultural performances, including a demonstration of *kbach kun boran*, an ancient Khmer martial arts form.

Registration for the Khmer Studies Forum is now open. Go to http://www.seas.ohio.edu/ksf2012.html to sign up now!

We will continue to update information about the KSF on our website, www. seas.ohio.edu/events/khmerstudies2012.html

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