Center for Southeast Asian Studies, Kyoto University and
The Asian Research Center for Migration, Chulalongkorn University

Coorganize a Seminar on
“Informal Human Flows between Thailand and Its Neighbors”
Venue: Meeting Room (AA447), Research Building No.2, Kyoto University
January 18-19, 2010

Jan.18

Chair: Dr. Satoru Kobayashi (CSEAS, Kyoto University)

14:00 Opening Remark
Dr. Tatsuki Kataoka, (ASAFAS, Kyoto University)

14:30 Life Histories and Narratives of Thai Returnees from Japan: The Case of Northern Thailand
Ms. Tomoko Matsui (Ryukoku University)

15:10 Break

15:30 Thai Female Migration to Japan: Flows and Cosequences
Ms. Pataya Ruenkaew (Thai Women Articulate Their Rights Abroad Association)

16:10 Human Trafficking in Thailand
Ms. Aungkana Kamonpetch (Chulalongkorn University)

16:50 The challenge of education policy for Migrant Children in Thailand from security standpoints
Ms. Premjai Vungsiripaisal (Chulalongkorn University)

18:00 Reception

Jan.19

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10:30 The Roles of Thai Labor Solidarity Committee on the Movement for Migrant Worker Protection in Thailand
Ms. Tassanee Surawanna (Raks Thai Foundation)

11:10 Border Crossing and Labor Migration of the Lahu Hilltribe
Dr. Tatsuki Kataoka (ASAFAS, Kyoto University)
11:50 Lunch Break

13:00 Mae Sot and Bangkok: Human Flows and Dynamics of a Border Social System

Dr. Sangkook Lee (Sogang University)

13:40 Break

14:00-15:30 Discussion

Discussants: Dr. Supang Chantavanich (ARCM, Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University) and Dr. Yoko Hayami (CSEAS, Kyoto University)