

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, AND SEMINARS

International Conference on Migration, 7-9 February 1991, Singapore: Call for Papers

Rapid economic growth and changing political and social conditions in the Asian-Pacific region have fostered new migration patterns which are likely to persist into the 1990s. New patterns of migration can be discerned at the intra-regional level, for example, within the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), and at the inter-regional level, for example, from Southeast Asia and East Asia to North America and Australasia. The conference provides an opportunity to bring together scholars, practitioners, and policy-makers from the Asian-Pacific area to analyse various dimensions of the phenomenon as manifested in the 1980s and to explore likely future trends and patterns of migration.

The themes of the conference will be:

1. Overview of migration patterns in the region (ASEAN, Southeast Asia, East Asia).
2. Theories and concepts of migration in the literature.
3. Overview and evaluation of methodological issues in migration research.
4. Types and patterns of migration: voluntary migration, forced migration, internal migration, return migration, and illegal migration.
5. Migration policy: theoretical, moral, practical, and legal issues.
6. Country reports (ASEAN, Southeast Asia, East Asia).
7. Settlement and adaptation of migrants.

Papers are invited on any of these themes. Abstracts of papers should be

submitted by 30 September 1990 and completed papers by 31 December 1990 to

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The registration fee per person is S\$250. Hotel accommodation at the Regional English Language Centre (RELC), Singapore, is S\$110 net per guest room (single/twin) per day.