



NEWS #46

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Liebes Myanmar-Netzwerk,

Das neue Jahr fängt geschäftig an und so findet ihr einige interessante Veranstaltungshinweise im Newsletter.

Sendet uns auch weiterhin eure Hinweise,

Mit besten Wünschen für das neue Jahr von Felix & Jella

Einsendungen an: newsletter@myanmar-institut.org

Dear Myanmar-Network,

The new year starts off quite busy as you can see in the event section. Kindly keep on sending us interesting publications and events.

Sending you our best wishes for the new year, Felix & Jella

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Myanmar-Institut e.V.

Zoom-Mittagspause mit Kurz-Vortrag & Diskussion | Zoom-Lunchbreak with Short presentation & discussion

Für Mitglieder des Myanmar-Institut e.V. wird regelmäßig eine gemeinsame digitale Mittagspause per Zoom organisiert. Kurzvorträge informieren über aktuelle Forschungsarbeit und geben Gelegenheit zum fachlichen Austausch untereinander.

This members-only event is a regular meet-up in the form of a Zoom-Lunch Break. One of the members shares their current research in a short presentation followed by an exchange amongst the participants.

Nächster Termin: Heute, 26.01.2022 nochmal zur gewohnten Zeit um 12 bis 13 Uhr

Special Guest: The Movement - မြန်မာ့အလင်း

The Movement, established in 2019, is a non-governmental organization with a vision to create a movement in the change process of Myanmar. The Movement's programs— in the core content areas of governance, gender equality and environment — enables the youths in Myanmar to gain experience, interpersonal skills for their development, and create solutions that are essential in reducing inequalities throughout the country.

Veranstaltungen

Myanmar Media Update 2022

March 29th, March 29, 2022, 8:30AM-5:30PM, Thailand GMT +7

An in-person and online workshop hosted at the Regional Center for Social Science and Sustainable Development (RCSD), Chiang Mai University, co-organized with the Independent Journal for Burmese Scholarship (IJBS) and Australia National University. For more information, see here: <https://ijbs.online/media-in-myanmar-march-2022/>

European Association for Southeast Asian Studies (EuroSEAS) Conference

EuroSEAS 12th conference at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (EHESS), on the new Campus Condorcet, Paris-Aubervilliers, France, from 28 June to 1 July 2022.

Paper presenters

If you want to participate in a panel, please send your paper abstract directly to the panel conveners and **not** to the EuroSEAS secretariat. Please submit your proposal before **15 March 2022**. EuroSEAS will not accept paper proposals that are not part of a panel!

Panel conveners

Panel conveners have to inform the EuroSEAS secretariat (euroseas@kitlv.nl) about the paper proposals they have accepted before **1 April 2022**.

<https://www.euroseas.org/accepted-panels-roundtables/>

One year from the coup

One year on from the military coup in Myanmar, the panel in this one hour online discussion will reflect on the politics, law and current affairs of Myanmar before and after the coup, and what can be expected in the near future.

This event is co-hosted by the Sydney Southeast Asia Centre (SSEAC) and the Australian National University (ANU) Myanmar Research Centre.

Unfortunately, this event will be held at night-time in Germany - at 2am. If you'd like to sign up anyway, here you go:

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_BovFFBRJQKGU1ZANXd8Y1A

Publikationen | Publications

International Crisis Group: Myanmar's Coup Shakes Up Its Ethnic Conflicts.

Find it here:

<https://www.crisisgroup.org/asia/south-east-asia/myanmar/319-myanmars-coup-shakes-its-ethnic-conflicts>

International Journal of Burmese Scholarship.

Special Issue on the Rohingya: Politics of Inclusion and Exclusion in Myanmar.

Find it here:

<https://ijbs.online>

Su Mon Thant: In the wake of the coup: How Myanmar youth arose to fight for the nation.

Find it here: <https://eu.boell.org/en/young-voices-myanmar>

Luke Corbin: Heritage Drinks of Myanmar

Available here:

<https://silkwormbooks.com/products/heritage-drinks-of-myanmar>

Catherine Renshaw and Michael Lidauer: The Union Election Commission of Myanmar 2010–2020

The 2008 Constitution of the Union of Myanmar establishes the framework for a 'discipline-flourishing' constitutional democracy in which the Tatmadaw, the Burmese military, retains a significant degree of power. Under this Constitution, the Union Election Commission (UEC) is vested with significant authority to supervise elections, regulate political parties and electoral campaigns, register voters, suspend elections, and to make conclusive determinations in electoral disputes. Between 2010 and 2020, the UEC oversaw three consecutive general elections and three by-elections. Following a term under the former military leadership, the country's major democratic opposition party, the National League for Democracy (NLD), won a resounding victory in the 2015 elections. In the years that followed, civilian-military relations were a source of tension, as the NLD attempted to reform the executive and legislative roles for the military guaranteed by the Constitution. These tensions became in particular tangible during the 2020 elections, which the NLD again won in a landslide victory. The military alleged the election was marred by fraud while the UEC rejected this allegation. On 1 February 2021, hours before the new parliament was to convene, the Tatmadaw staged a coup d'état.

Asian Journal of Comparative Law , First View , pp. 1 - 20:

<https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/asian-journal-of-comparative-law/article/abs/union-election-commission-of-myanmar-20102020/BDA2FD3CEE4229E255C47234D3DC4FFF#article>

Audio-Visuals & Podcasts

Myanmar in a Podshell: Episode 5

Is Myanmar on its own again? The International Dimension of the Coup d'État

One year after the coup d'état on February 1, 2021, there hasn't been a coordinated response by ASEAN or the UN. Different countries continue to pursue different interests. Saw Kapi and Hunter Marston discuss these interests and what they mean for Myanmar in episode 5 of "Myanmar in a Podshell".

Stellenangebote | Vacancies

Stiftung Asienhaus: Projektreferent:in zu Myanmar und Thailand

Für unsere Informations-, Öffentlichkeits- und Advocacyarbeit suchen wir zum 1. April 2022 eine/n Referent:in in Teilzeit, 50 %; eine Aufstockung um weitere 20 % auf insgesamt 70 % ist wahrscheinlich. Eine Teilung der Stelle ist möglich und verhandelbar.

Wir freuen uns auf Ihre aussagekräftige Bewerbung bis zum 11. Februar 2022

Weitere Details hier:

<https://www.asienhaus.de/nc/aktuelles/detail/stellenausschreibung-projektreferentin-zu-myanmar-und-thailand/>

Spendenaufrufe | Call for donations

Humanitarian help for war refugees in Kayah State

Der folgende Fundraiser wird von Emily organisiert, der Partnerin von Felix aus unserem Vorstand. Vor gut 2 Monaten haben Emily und Felix schon ca. 20000 Euro Spendengelder nach Kayah State geschafft. Seit ca. einem Monat ist die Situation in Kayah State schlimmer denn je und Spenden werden weiterhin dringendst benötigt. Wenn ihr könnt, bitte überlegt euch zu spenden.

The following fundraiser is organised by Emily, the partner of Felix, who is one of our board members. About 2 months ago Emily and Felix got about 20 000 Euros of donations into Kayah State. The situation in Kayah State deteriorated considerably in the last month and is now more dire than ever. If you can, please consider donating!

https://www.gofundme.com/f/support-for-kayah?utm_source=customer&utm_medium=copy_link&utm_campaign=p_cf+share-flow-1