CALL FOR PAPERS
Southeast Asian Media Studies
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“Issue on Brunei Darussalam, Indonesia, and Malaysia”
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EXTENDED Deadline: 31 May 2019

OBJECTIVE
The second issue of the Southeast Asian Media Studies journal aims to provide a collection of research articles about the mass media of Brunei Darussalam, Indonesia, and Malaysia, bringing together discursive inquiries on media studies and literacy in and about the aforementioned countries.

RECOMMENDED TOPICS
- Emerging media theories;
- Critical reviews of media studies in/about the region;
- Critical histories of media in the region;
- Audiences; Mass media, information, and news literacies;
- Media technologies and processes;
- Media convergence in the contexts of the region;
- Politics and the media; Media policies and regulations
- Business, ownership, management, and control of mass media
- Cultures and media;
- Mainstream, local, and indigenous media practices;
- Genders and identities in media;
- Environmental media or Ecomedia studies

SUBMISSION PROCEDURE
All submissions must be original and may not be under review by another journal or other forms of publication. Authors should follow the guidelines attached to this call. All manuscripts should be sent to editor.seams@gmail.com.

Please use the subject “SUBMISSION: Vol.1 No.2_Surname_Short Title” (e.g. SUBMISSION: Vol.1 No.2_Doe_A Review of Southeast Asian Media Theories). The extended deadline for manuscripts for this issue is on 31 May 2019.
INFORMATION & INSTRUCTIONS FOR AUTHORS

ABOUT THE JOURNAL
The *Southeast Asian Media Studies* is the international, semi-annual, blind-peer reviewed, and open-access scholarly journal of the *Southeast Asian Media Studies Association (SEAMSA)*, a newly-formed academic community that aims to be at the forefront of Southeast Asian media studies and research. It also seeks to be a vessel for the growth and development of media studies, research, and literacy in and about Southeast Asia (Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Timor Leste, and Viet Nam).

The *Southeast Asian Media Studies* welcomes manuscripts that are:

- Following either the social scientific, humanistic, or any other disciplinary approaches in research;
- Original and not mere duplications of previously published articles in other journals or other forms of publication;
- Not being considered for publication by other journals, books, and the like; and
- Free from abusive, libelous, defamatory, fraudulent, illegal, or obscene content.

There are **NO** submission or publication charges for this journal.

PEER REVIEW
The *Southeast Asian Media Studies* journal adheres to the highest standards of peer review. After the editor determines the suitability of a manuscript to the journal, it will then be sent to independent, anonymous referees who are experts in the field.

MANUSCRIPT PREPARATION

**Word Limit**
5,000 to 7,000 words excluding references, tables, notes, acknowledgements, and captions

**Style Guidelines**
Manuscripts should be submitted in Word (doc or docx) format.

**Cover Page:** The cover page contains the title and the names, affiliations, and bio-notes of the author/s of the article.

- **Title:** Bold, Times New Roman, 20 pt., sentence case, double-spaced, center aligned
- **Authorship and Affiliations:** Name of authors should be in Bold, Times New Roman, 12 pt, center aligned. The institutional affiliation/s of the author/s should be placed beside the name/s and must be in Italics, Times New Roman, 12 pt., center aligned.
Separate the names and their affiliations with a comma. [Example: Jane Doe, Chulalongkorn University]

- **Author Bio-note**: Provide a short bio-note for each author. It is preferably less than 200 words. Place it after the references section. [Example: Jane Doe is an Associate Professor of Journalism from the Chulalongkorn University in Thailand. She has published …]; Times New Roman, 20 pt. sentence case, double-spaced, left-aligned

**Body**: The body of the manuscript contains the abstract, the whole article, and the list of references. Here are the guidelines for the body:

- **Font**: Times New Roman, 12 pt, double-spaced. Use one-inch margins for all sides of the document.
- **Abstract**: The abstract should have 150 to 200 words. Indicate the abstract paragraph with a heading (Bold, Times New Roman, 12 pt.). Place at least eight keywords below.
- **Headings**: The font size for all headings should be 12 pt. To make the article readable, the use of fourth-level and more headings is discouraged.
  - First-level headings should be in Bold, all uppercase, and left aligned
  - Second-level headings should be in Bold Italics, title case, and left aligned
  - Third-level headings should be in Italics, title case, and left aligned
- **Tables, Figures, and other Supplementary Materials**: Insert all tables, figures, and other supplementary materials where you would like them to be placed. Provide captions for them. For copyrighted materials, authors should acquire signed permission from the owners. All permissions should be supplied in a separate file.
- **Spelling and punctuation**: This journal uses U.S. (i.e., American) English.
- **Acknowledgement**: This is an optional section of a research article. It should be placed before the references. If possible, acknowledgement paragraphs should be limited to 250 words only.

**References**
The manuscripts should adhere to the prescribed referencing format of the American Psychological Association (APA), 6th edition.