



**Strengthening networking and knowledge management systems  
for cultural industries in Lao PDR**  
**Vientiane, Lao PDR**  
**18-20 September 2017**

| <b>Day 1, 18 September 2017: Project launch</b> |  |
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| 08:30 – 09:00                                   | <i>Registration</i>  |
| 09:00 – 09:30                                   | <i>Opening remarks</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- MOICT</li> <li>- Korea Embassy</li> <li>- UNESCO</li> </ul> <p>Introduction of participants</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">** with media participation **</p>                            |
| 09:30 – 10:30                                   | Presentation of the project and Objective of the Consultation, UNESCO<br>Presentation of the 2005 Convention, Anupama Sekhar<br>Open Discussion  |
| 10:30 – 11:00                                   | <i>Coffee break/ refreshments</i>  |
| 11:00 - 12:00                                   | Open Discussion (Presentations by representatives from civil society: key activities, main achievements and challenges, 3-4 CSOs)  |
| 12:00 - 13:30                                   | <i>Lunch Break</i>   |
| 13:30 – 14:00                                   | <b>Session 1: Introduction to the periodic report: Objectives and process</b><br>Vanessa Achilles  |
| 14:00 – 14:30                                   | <b>Session 2: Domestic measures supporting cultural expressions</b><br>Anupama Sekhar  |
| 14:30-15:00                                     | <i>Coffee break/ refreshments</i>  |
| 15:00-15:30                                     | <b>Session 2: Domestic measures supporting cultural expressions (cont'd)</b><br>Findings from the 2012 baseline study, Vanessa Achilles  |
| 15:30-16:00                                     | <b>Session 2: Domestic measures supporting cultural expressions (cont'd)</b><br>Findings from the 2012 baseline study, Vanessa Achilles<br><br>Group work: Sectoral groups provide update on policies, activities and challenges, and identify key sectoral achievements |

| Day 2, 19 September 2017: National consultation on the 2005 Convention for the periodic reporting exercise |   |
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| 08:30 – 09:20  | <p><b>Session 2: Domestic measures supporting cultural expressions (cont'd)</b></p> <p>Group work: Sectoral groups provide update on policies, activities and challenges, and identify key sectoral achievements (continued)</p> <p>Followed by a Gallery walk</p>  |
| 09:20 – 10:00  | <p><b>Session 2: Domestic measures supporting cultural expressions (cont'd)</b></p> <p>Presentations of group work (10 mn/group)</p> <p>Discussion</p>  |
| 10:00-10:30  | <i>Coffee break</i>   |
| 10:30 – 11:30  | <p><b>Session 3: International measures supporting cultural industries</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation by Anupama Sekhar</li> <li>• Presentation by MoICT (International Relation Department or ASEAN desk?) on Lao activities at the international level: participation in ASEAN activities, festival, conventions, awards)</li> </ul> |
| 11:30 - 12:00  | <p><b>Session 3: International measures supporting cultural industries (cont'd)</b></p> <p>Findings from the 2012 baseline study and draft report, Vanessa Achilles</p> <p>Plenary discussion: filling in the gaps</p>  |
| 12:00 – 13:00  | <i>Lunch break</i>  |
| 13:00 – 14:00  | <p><b>Session 3: International measures supporting cultural industries (cont'd)</b></p> <p>Findings from the 2012 baseline study and draft report, Vanessa Achilles</p> <p>Plenary discussion: filling in the gaps</p>  |
| 14:00 – 14:30  | <i>Coffee break</i>   |
| 14:30 – 16:00  | <p><b>Session 4: Participation of civil society</b></p> <p>Presentations by representatives from civil society: key activities, main achievements and challenges (7-10 CSOs)</p>  |

| Day3, 20 September 2017: National consultation on the 2005 Convention for the periodic reporting exercise |  |
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| 08:30 – 08:45   | <p><b>Session 5: Transversal issues: gender, youth, minorities and digital technologies</b></p> <p>Anupama Sekhar</p>  |
| 08:45 – 09:30   | <p><b>Session 5: Transversal issues: gender, youth, minorities and digital technologies (cont'd)</b></p> <p>Group work</p>   |
| 09:30 – 10:45   | Group work presentations   |
| 10:45 – 11:00   | <i>Coffee break</i>  |
| 11:00 – 12:00   | <p><b>Session 6: Project planning</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to the project, Vanessa Achilles</li> <li>• Introduction to the concept of the culture hub, STELLA (TBC)</li> </ul> <p>Thematic discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theme 1: Government agencies: reflection on their contribution to the hub</li> </ul> |

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|               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theme 2: Civil society: reflection on priorities for capacity-building</li> </ul> <p>Presentation of groups' conclusions</p>   |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | <i>Lunch break</i>  |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | <p><b>Session 6: Project planning (continued)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to the project, Vanessa Achilles</li> <li>• Introduction to the concept of the culture hub, STELLA</li> </ul> <p>Thematic discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theme 1: Government agencies: reflection on their contribution to the hub</li> <li>• Theme 2: Civil society: reflection on priorities for capacity-building</li> </ul> <p>Presentation of groups' conclusions</p> |
| 14:00 – 14:15 | Closing ceremony  |
| 14:15 – 15:00 | <p><b>Meeting with Periodic Report coordinating team</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Timeline and task assignment for the periodic report</li> </ul>   |

Photographs from the Lao CCI workshop can be downloaded from:  
<https://photos.app.goo.gl/a3E6w2c61oAljcM2>

