

Programme at Activity Area

20 October 2026			
Time	Activity A	Activity B	Activity C
8:30 - 10:00	MUDeNR Professional Dialogue UNESCO 80		
10:30 - 12:00	MUDeNR Professional Dialogue UNESCO 80		GBI From Cultural Legacy to Climate Resilience: The GBI Heritage Tool as a Framework for Sustainable Conservation
13:00 - 14:00	ThinkCity Forum: HERITAGE: Who Pays? Who Benefits? Making Conservation Work for Cities, Communities and the Economy		KinMen Disaster Risk Management and Capacity Building for Cultural Heritage
14:00 - 15:00	ICOMOS Chinas	MUDeNR Pavilion Environment Pocket Talk From Awareness to Action: Advancing Environmental Stewardship Through Education and Community Engagement Timah Beskop, Environmental Control Officer, Environmental Education Division, NREB 2:30pm Social Forestry En. Asan Oday, FDS HANDS-ON ACTIVITY: Timber Through Time: Wood Identification	
15:00 - 16:00		MUDeNR Pavilion Environment Pocket Talk Transforming Sarawak's Timber Industry Towards Sustainable Growth En. Patrick Renaldo Bin Richard, STIDC HANDS-ON ACTIVITY: Timber Through Time: Wood Identification	ThinkCity Can a Festival Transform a City? Living Heritage and the Creative Economy in Downtown Kuala Lumpur
16:00 - 17:00	Malaysian Institute of Architects The Adaptive Reuse Projects: The Granary and The Marian		

21 October 2026			
Time	Activity A	Activity B	Activity C
8:30 - 10:00			
10:00 - 10:30	Tea break	MUDeNR Pavilion Public Pocket Talk: UNESCO@80 From Ancient Footprint to Living Communities: Niah's Journey to World Heritage Januarie Kulis, Park Warden, Niah National Park HANDS-ON ACTIVITY Hands-on activity by FDS	Tea break
10:30 - 12:00	Sharjah Archaeology Authority Introducing the Sharjah Archaeology Authority and the Sharjah Journal of Archaeological Studies	MUDeNR Pavilion Public Pocket Talk: UNESCO@80 The Sarawak Delta Geopark Pn.Madeline George Pau,FDS HANDS-ON ACTIVITY Hands-on activity by FDS	
13:00 - 14:00	National Heritage Board (Singapore) Capturing, Safeguarding & Sharing: NHB's Approach to Digital Documentation of Singapore's Heritage		MUDeNR UNESCO 80 Celebration Book Launch: The Industrial Heritage Of South-East Asia: A New Regional Study for UNESCO in Partnership with TICCIH And ISC20C
14:00 - 15:00	Preserving Legacy — Climate Change Adaptation for Cultural Heritage		

22 October 2026			
Time	Activity A	Activity B	Activity C
8:30 - 10:00	Dragon Boat		
13:00 - 14:00	Getty Conservation Institute Meet the Getty team and learn about their current work and opportunities for internships, scholar research, courses, and grants		
14:00 - 15:00		MUDeNR Pavilion Community Education Pocket Talk Community Engagement in Darul Hana Redevelopment Project Dr Nancy Samuel Bulai, Corporate Affairs Division,LCD 2:30 pm Hand in Hand with Coastal Communities:Reef Ball and Marine Stewardship James Ball, Head of Biodiversity Conversation & Research Division, SFC	

MUDeNR PAVILION

Pocket Talks & Hands-On Activities

 **19-22 OCTOBER 2026**

Living Heritage.
Respect. Enhance. Accept. Partnership.



MONDAY

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OCT •
RESPECT

Biodiversity

SFC & FDS

CONSERVATION POCKET TALK • 2:00 – 3:20 PM

2:00pm Respecting Nature, Sharing Knowledge: SFC and the ASEAN Heritage Parks Network
Anne Melissa King, Assistant Manager, Totally Protected Areas Management Division, SFC

2:30pm Greening Sarawak
Pn. Rohanie binti Bohan, FDS

3:00pm STIDC's Role in Ensuring Timber Legality in Sarawak
En. Afizulmizam Bin Afandi, STIDC



HANDS-ON ACTIVITY

Croc Watch Apps & Mini Wildlife Show

with Dr Izwan
SFC



TUESDAY

20

OCT •
ENHANCE

Environmental
Stewardship

STIDC & NREB

ENVIRONMENT POCKET TALK • 2:00 – 3:20 PM

2:00pm From Awareness to Action: Advancing Environmental Stewardship Through Education and Community Engagement
Timah Beskop, Environmental Control Officer, Environmental Education Division, NREB

2:30pm Social Forestry
En. Asan Oday, FDS

3:00pm Transforming Sarawak's Timber Industry Towards Sustainable Growth
En. Patrick Renaldo Bin Richard, STIDC



HANDS-ON ACTIVITY

Timber Through Time: Wood Identification

STIDC



WEDNESDAY

21

OCT •
ACCEPT

Climate Change /
UNESCO@80

MUDeNR

PUBLIC POCKET TALK • UNESCO@80 • 10:00 – 10:50 AM

10:00am From Ancient Footprint to Living Communities: Niah's Journey to World Heritage
Januarie Kulis, Park Warden, Niah National Park

10:30am The Sarawak Delta Geopark
Pn. Madeline George Pau, FDS



HANDS-ON ACTIVITY

Hands-on activity by FDS

Details to be announced
FDS



THURSDAY

22

OCT •
PARTNERSHIP

Sustainable Land Use
& Community
Engagement
L&S & LCDA

COMMUNITY EDUCATION POCKET TALK • 2:00 – 2:50 PM

2:00pm Community Engagement in Darul Hana Redevelopment Project
Dr Nancy Samuel Bulai, Corporate Affairs Division, LCDA

2:30pm Hand in Hand with Coastal Communities: Reef Ball and Marine Stewardship
James Ball, Head of Biodiversity Conservation & Research Division, SFC



HANDS-ON ACTIVITY

Traditional Games & Crafts

Gudi (Kg Semarang)
Gasing (Bintawa Ulu)
Seni Kraf Perahu dan Rumah Tradisi (Bintawa Tengah)
LCDA

Join us at the
MUDeNR Pavilion

 BCCK, Kuching – 22nd ICOMOS General Assembly



UNESCO80 Celebration in conjunction with GA2026

Reflecting On UNESCO's 80th Year, CONNECTING HERITAGE, BUILDING PLACE

U80_01_PROFESIONAL DIALOGUE		
Tuesday, 20 October 2026	8.30 am–12.30 pm : ZONE ACTIVITY A , Heritage Exposition, Borneo Convention Centre Kuching (BCKK)	
Time	Session And Programme Details	Speaker
8.00 am 8.30 am	Registration	
8.30 am 8.40 am	SESSION 1 FRAMING — FROM SILO TO SYSTEMS	Welcoming Remark : En. FAISAL AB President, ICOMOS Malaysia
8.40 am 9.00am	OVERVIEW OF UNESCO DESIGNATION SYSTEMS (Video Presentation)	Ms. MOE CHIBA Chief of Culture Unit, UNESCO Regional Office, Jakarta
9.00 am 9.10 am	SESSION 2 THE ROLES OF STATE GOVERNMENT/SITE MANAGERS IN UNESCO DESIGNATIONS AND PROGRAMMES	Moderator Dr. ANG MING CHEE General Manager, George Town World Heritage Incorporated (GTWHI)
9.10 am 9.30 am	P1 KUCHING / SARAWAK, MALAYSIA <i>Urban and City Planning as a Strategic Driver of Heritage and Conservation in Sarawak</i>	YBhg. DATU HAJI ABDULLAH BIN JULAIHI Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Natural Resources and Urban Development Sarawak (MUDeNR)
9.30 am 9.45 am	P2 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, USA San Antonio - Cultural World Heritage Site & San Antonio UNESCO Creative City of Gastronomy	Ms COLLEEN SWAIN Director, World Heritage Office, City of San Antonio, Texas, USA
9.45 am 10.00 am	P3 PALAWAN, PHILIPPINES UNESCO Biosphere Reserve & Natural World Heritage Sites	Dr. IVAN ANTHONY HENARES Secretary-General, UNESCO National Commission of the Philippines; President, ICOMOS International Cultural Tourism Committee (ICTC)
10.00 am 10.15 am	P4 KINABALU, SABAH, MALAYSIA Kinabalu Park - Natural World Heritage Site & Kinabalu UNESCO Global Geopark	Ms. GRACE POUNSIN Park Manager (Capacity Building), Sabah Parks
10.15 am 10.30 am	P5 SVIYAZHISK, TATARSTAN, RUSSIAN FEDERATION Cathedral and Monastery - Cultural World Heritage Site & wider Great Volzhsko-Kamsky UNESCO Biosphere Reserve landscape	Dr. ARTYOM SILKIN Director, Town-Island of Sviyazhsk State Museum-Reserve; Vice President, ICOM Russia

Time	Session And Programme Details	Speaker
10.30 am 10.45 am	P6 LENGGONG, PERAK, MALAYSIA Archaeological Heritage of the Lenggong Valley — Cultural World Heritage Site & Lenggong UNESCO Global Geopark	En. MUHAMMAD KHAIRUL AMEER BIN ABBAS Secretary, Lenggong District Council
10.45 am 11.00 am	Q & A	Moderator Dr. ANG MING CHEE General Manager, GTWHI
11.00 am 12.00 pm	SESSION 3 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION : TOWARDS INTEGRATION	
12.00 pm 12.30 pm	Concluding : Reflections on shared insights and practical ways forward. Photo Session	
12.30 pm	End of programme	

U80_02_BOOK LAUNCH		
Wednesday, 21 October 2026	1.30 am–3.00 pm : ZONE ACTIVITY C , Heritage Exposition, Borneo Convention Centre Kuching (BCKK)	
Time	Programme details	Speaker
1.00–1.30 pm	Registration of guests	ICOMOS Malaysia secretariat
1:30 – 1:35pm	Opening and Introduction of the Event	Mr. Giacomo Martinis , Managing Editor of the Industrial Heritage of South-East Asia
1.35–1.40 pm	Video message from the UNESCO Regional Office in Bangkok	Dr Feng Jing Chief of Culture Unit, UNESCO Regional Office in Bangkok
1.40 – 1:55pm	Investigations on the Industrial Heritage of South- East Asia,	Mr Gabriel Caballero Book Editor of the UNESCO Report on the Industrial Heritage of South-East Asia
1.55–2.10 pm	Industrial Heritage and the Twentieth-Century Historic Thematic Framework	Ms Susan Macdonald Co-President, ISC20C
2.10–2.25 pm	National Perspectives on the Industrial Heritage of the Philippines	Dr Ivan Henares Secretary-General, UNESCO National Commission of the Philippines
2.25–2.40 pm	National Perspectives on the Industrial Heritage of Indonesia	Dr Arch. Maya Rosa ICOMOS Indonesia
2.40–2.55 pm	Questions and answers	
2.55-3.00 pm	Conclusion & Group Photo	Mr. Giacomo Martinis

21 October 2026 5.30 PM – 7.30 PM BCKK		
U80_03 : PUBLIC LECTURES: STATE LEADERSHIP AND HERITAGE'S FUTURE		
Time	Segment And Programme Details	Speaker
5.00–5.20 pm	Registration	Secretariat
5.20–5.30 pm	Arrival of speakers and guests	
5.30–5.40 pm	Opening and welcoming remarks	EN. FAISAL AB President, ICOMOS Malaysia
	SEGMENT 1 : PUBLIC LECTURES	
5.40–6.10 pm	PB_01 HERITAGE FUTURE TOWARD THE NEXT 80 YEARS	PROFESSOR TOSHIYUKI KONO, Honorary President and former President, ICOMOS International
6.10–6.40 pm	PB_02 “LIVING HERITAGE, SHARED RESPONSIBILITY: SARAWAK’S COMMITMENT TO FUTURE GENERATIONS”	DATUK HAJI LENTALIF SALLEH, Deputy Minister, MUDeNR Sarawak
	SEGMENT 2 : A SHARED REFLECTION	
6.40–6.50 pm	ICOMOS Reflection ICOMOS’s contribution to heritage conservation and our shared responsibility for future generations.	PROF. DR TERESA PATRICIO President, ICOMOS
6.50–6.55 pm	UNESCO Reflection - UNESCO’s legacy and the continuing importance of international cooperation. - Video presentation	Ms. MAKI KATSUNO-HAYASHIKAWA Director of the UNESCO Multisectoral Regional Office in Jakarta
7.00–7.30 pm	SEGMENT 3 : SYMBOLIC CELEBRATION 80 VOICES, ONE SHARED VISION Presentation of selected photographs and messages	
7.30 pm	End of UNESCO80 Celebration	