

## Heritage Speaker Series talk

# GIVING A FUTURE TO OUR PAST

**Don't miss this opportunity!**

A special talk by guest speakers **Dr Chua Ai Lin** and **Mr Fauzy Ismail**, from the **SINGAPORE HERITAGE SOCIETY** this Thursday **11<sup>th</sup> April starting at 6pm (doors open at 5:30pm)** at the **Old Court House**. Admission is free for SHS members and invitees; a donation of RM10 is suggested for others.

Under the theme of "Giving a Future to Our Past", Dr Chua will discuss the role of placemaking, communities and civil society in sustainable heritage conservation, with examples from Singapore. Placemaking is the process through which we work together to shape our public spaces, using community participation to plan, design, manage and programme the shared use of spaces. Mr Fauzy Ismail will present an educational programme, "Heartland Explorers: intangible spaces of our neighbourhood".

The speakers will introduce the approach used by the Singapore Heritage Society which combines cultural mapping research, policy recommendations, community development and socially-engaged art to create a future for living heritage sites.

These talks could provide ideas and insights for Sarawak heritage conservation and management.

**Dr Chua Ai Lin** is a well known figure in the Singapore heritage protection scene. She is currently Executive Director and Vice President of Singapore Heritage Society, having served as its President (2013-2017). PhD in History from the University of Cambridge (UK). former Assistant Professor in the Department of History, National University of Singapore (NUS) and independent researcher and consultant on academia, public sector, private enterprise and civil society matters.

**Mr Fauzy Ismail** is an architect, tutor and researcher at NUS Department of Architecture, artist-in-residence at *The Substation* (a Singapore independent contemporary art centre) and volunteer with the Singapore Heritage Society.



**All are welcome. Do register early to help the organisers manage the logistics. Contact us by sending a whatsapp/sms to +6018 988 2343 or email to [sarawakheritagesociety@gmail.com](mailto:sarawakheritagesociety@gmail.com)**

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**Old Court House**

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Chapter Four  
'Giving a Future to  
our Past' - Reflections  
on Developing  
the Heritage  
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Chua Ai Lin