Funding Support for Presenters at "The Fourth International Hmong Studies Consortium Conference: Memories, Networks and Identities of Transnational Hmong"

The Hmong Studies Consortium is pleased to announce that some limited and pending funding is expected to become available to support some of the travel and accommodation costs of presenters at the upcoming conference, which will be held in Chiang Mai, Thailand on January 4-5, 2017.

Those who meet all of the following criteria are eligible to apply for travel and accommodation support:
1) Those who have had their abstracts accepted to present at the conference.
2) Those who are either graduate students in the United States, or are graduate students or other scholars from Asia (especially Thailand, Laos, Vietnam and China) will be prioritized.
3) Those who do not have sufficient funding to participate in the conference.

Anyone who would like to be considered for funding support should (1) submit an abstract of the proposed presentation (see conference call for papers for more details), and (2) submit a short proposal for funding support. The funding proposal should outline travel and accommodation needs (per diems cannot be funded), including the expected budget being requested. The applicant should note if partial funding has already been secured, and explain what additional funding is still required. Those who are able to raise part of their funding, and are able to keep their request budget low, will receive special consideration for support from the Hmong Studies Consortium.

Please send applications for funding and direct any inquiries to Prasit Leepreecha (prasit.lee@cmu.ac.th) and Ian Baird (ibaird@wisc.edu). Applications for funding should be submitted no later than September 30, 2016. A committee will review all submissions and respond as soon as funding is confirmed.