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Southeast Asian Archaeology, Culture and Fine Arts News

November 28- December 4, 2020

Country	Headline
Cambodia	UNESCO to help with heritage site list Tonle Sap Biosphere Reserve is the only UNESCO Biosphere Reserve in Cambodia. Date: December 2, 2020 Source: The Phnom Penh Post Author: Nov Sivutha Link: https://www.phnompenhpost.com/national/unesco-help-heritage-site-list
	Lkhon Khol of Wat Svay Andet of Cambodia is celebrating its second inscription anniversary on UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage List UNESCO Phnom Penh Office has a great pleasure to join Cambodian people and the Royal Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia, the Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts, especially the Svay Angdet Community, in celebrating the second anniversary of the inscription of the Lkhon Khol of Wat Svay Andet being listed on the UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage on November 28, 2018. Date: December 1, 2020 Source: India Education Diary Author: Link: https://indiaeducationdiary.in/lkhon-khol-of-wat-svay-andet-of-cambodia-is-celebrating-its-second-inscription-anniversary-on-unesco-intangible-cultural-heritage-list/
	Foreign visitors to Cambodia's famed Angkor down 80 pct in 11 months In 2019, Cambodia's famed Angkor Archeological Park received 399, 720 international visitors but the number of visitors declined nearly 80 percent in 11 months.

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	<p>Date: December 1, 2020 Source: XinhuaNet Author: Link: http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2020-12/01/c_139556269.htm</p> <p>Locals flock to ceramics hub for traditional Khmer artwork</p> <p>The educational and entertaining pottery class by the Khmer Ceramics Center of the sacred land of Angkor in Siem Reap province has become the most cultural experiences for travellers.</p> <p>Date: November 30, 2020 Source: The Phnom Penh Post Author: Hun Sopheara Link: https://www.phnompenhpost.com/lifestyle-arts-culture/locals-flock-ceramics-hub-traditional-khmer-artwork</p> <p>15th anniversary of the inscription of Sbek Thom as UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage</p> <p>The Sbek Thom is a Khmer shadow theatre that dates back from the Angkorian period. This year marks the 15th anniversary of the inscription of the Cambodian puppet shadow theatre being listed on the UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage list.</p> <p>Date: November 30, 2020 Source: India Education Diary Bureau Author: Link: https://indiaeducationdiary.in/15th-anniversary-of-the-inscription-of-sbek-thom-as-unesco-intangible-cultural-heritage/</p> <p>PM celebrates second anniversary of Lakhon Khaol's inclusion in UNESCO heritage list</p> <p>Prime Minister Hun Sen posted a message to celebrate the second anniversary of the inclusion of Lakhoan Khaol in the UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity list.</p> <p>Date: November 29, 2020 Source: Khmer Times Author: Khann Chanvirak Link: https://www.khmertimeskh.com/50787156/pm-celebrates-second-anniversary-of-lakhoan-khaols-inclusion-in-unesco-heritage-list/</p>
Indonesia	<p>Design competition celebrates beauty of Batik and Seshweshwe</p> <p>A competition with the theme <i>The Beauty of Batik and Seshweshwe: A Collaboration of Creativity in South Africa Bride Fashion Design</i> was recently hosted by the Indonesian Embassy in Pretoria in collaboration with the North Pretoria</p>

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	<p>Vocational College.</p> <p>Date: November 30, 2020 Source: iol.co.za Author: Link: https://www.iol.co.za/lifestyle/style-beauty/fashion/design-competition-celebrates-beauty-of-batik-and-seshweshwe-9c3bbc08-6847-4f70-a086-614dfaf2ad60</p>
Malaysia	<p>How a Bahasa Malaysia arts journal is breaking barriers, attracting a crossover audience</p> <p>The main founders of the Svava journal in Bahasa Malaysia which focuses on culture, are also gearing up for a translated ‘best of’ English anthology next year.</p> <p>Date: December 1, 2020 Source: The Star Author: Darly Goh Link: https://www.thestar.com.my/lifestyle/culture/2020/12/01/how-a-bahasa-malaysia-arts-journal-is-breaking-barriers-attracting-multiracial-readers</p>
Philippines	<p>Art All Around: ‘The Divine Feminine’</p> <p>Divine feminine explores what may be the source of a woman’s power, the female spirit which thrived in the more women-oriented goddess cultures, only to be superseded by the patriarchal way of life.</p> <p>Date: December 1, 2020 Source: Manila Bulletin Author: Link: https://mb.com.ph/2020/12/01/art-all-around-the-divine-feminine/</p>
Thailand	<p>Spotlight on Nan</p> <p>Northern province winning recognition for creative preservation of its unique lifestyle and crafts.</p> <p>Date: November 30, 2020 Source: Bangkok Post Author: Nareerat Wiriyapong Link: https://www.bangkokpost.com/business/2027563/spotlight-on-nan</p>
Vietnam	<p>Art exhibition bridges Vietnam and Egypt</p> <p>The Vietnamese Embassy in Egypt on November 30 held a photo exhibition on Vietnamese landscapes and people together with art performances and culinary showcase in Cairo. This is part of activities to mark the 57th founding anniversary of the Vietnam-Egypt diplomatic ties.</p>

Date: December 2, 2020
Source: Vietnam Plus
Author:
Link: <https://en.vietnamplus.vn/art-exhibition-bridges-vietnam-and-egypt/191347.vnp>

Film week celebrates 76th anniversary of Vietnamese People's Army

A film week will be held from December 19 to 25 to celebrate the 76th founding anniversary of Vietnamese People's Army and welcome the 13th National Party Congress.

Date: November 30, 2020
Source: Nhan Dan Online
Author:
Link: <https://en.nhandan.org.vn/culture/item/9350302-film-week-celebrates-76th-anniversary-of-vietnamese-people%E2%80%99s-army.html>

Vietnam again named world's leading heritage destination

Vietnam has been named the world's leading heritage destination for a second time in a row at the 2020 World Travel Awards held in Russia on Sunday.

Date: November 30, 2020
Source: VN Express
Author: Nguyen Quy
Link: <https://e.vnexpress.net/news/travel/places/vietnam-again-named-world-s-leading-heritage-destination-4198988.html>

Set of books on ethnic groups in Vietnam launched

The National Political Publishing House held a book exhibition and a book presentation ceremony at 19/12 Book Street in Hanoi on November 28 to introduce a series of books on the ethnic groups of Vietnam.

Date: November 28, 2020
Source: Nhan Dan Online
Author:
Link: <https://en.nhandan.org.vn/culture/item/9344202-set-of-books-on-ethnic-groups-in-vietnam-launched.html>

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