

PERSONAL PARTICULARS
Name: Dr. Peter MAROLT
EDUCATION
Ph.D. (Geography) University of Southern California (2003-2008)
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (academic only)
17 May 2010 –16 May 2014 Research Fellow, Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore
17 November 2008 – 16 May 2010 Postdoctoral Fellow, Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore
SHORT BIOGRAPHY
<p>Peter MAROLT has been a Research Fellow at the National University of Singapore's Asia Research Institute. He received his PhD in Geography from the University of Southern California. He co-edited "Online Society in China: creating, celebrating, and instrumentalising the online carnival" (Routledge, 2011 and 2013) and "China Online: locating society in online spaces" (Routledge, forthcoming), and is currently writing a book on "Cyber China: making space for change."</p> <p>In his research and writing, Peter explores the frontiers of New Media-augmented urbanity and the political significance of artistic aspirations and practices. In particular, he strives to better understand the intertwining between the virtual and the physical and the dramatic effects this has on individual autonomy, social cohesion, cultural politics and urban place-making processes in and of Asia.</p> <p>For updates, please visit Peter's website at http://www.marolt.net .</p>
COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS WHILE AT ARI
<p>Newsletter and Outreach Committee (2009-May 2014, Chair from August 2010 to July 2013) Editorial Committee (ARI Working Paper Series) (2009-May 2014) ARI Steering Committee (August 2009 to August 2010) Asian Graduate Student Forum Committee (December 2008 to August 2010)</p>
CONFERENCES ORGANISED WHILE AT ARI
<p>January 2014 (with Asha Rathina Pandi) *Conceptualizing Cyber-Urban Connections in Asia and the Middle East ARI Seminar Room</p> <p>December 2012 (with Mike Douglass and Rita Padawangi) *Global Insurgencies: Remaking the Public City in Asia ARI Seminar Room</p> <p>August 2012 (with Chua Beng Huat, Sun Jun and Jonathan Benney) *Inter-Asia Roundtable 2012: Methodological and Conceptual Issues in Cyber Activism Research ARI Seminar Room</p> <p>April 2012 (with Jonathan Benney) *Modes of Activism and Engagement in the Chinese Public Sphere ARI Seminar Room</p> <p>September 2011 (with Rita Padawangi) *Asia's Civil Spheres: New Media, Urban Public Space, Social Movements ARI Seminar Room</p>

August 2011 (with Tim Bunnell, Michelle Miller and Wang Shuyi)

*Inter-Asia Roundtable 2011: Recycling Cities
The Vista, University Hall, NUS Kent Ridge Campus

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS for the last 5 years including forthcoming publications

Edited Books and Special Journal Issues

Forthcoming

*China Online: locating society in online spaces (with David K. Herold). Forthcoming with Routledge.

*Modes of Activism and Engagement in the Chinese Public Sphere (with Jonathan Benney).
Special issue section forthcoming in Asian Studies Review.

2014

*Insurgencies, Social Media and the Public City in Asia (with Rita Padawangi and Mike Douglass).
International Development Planning Review (IDPR) vol 36 (1), January.

2011

*Online Society in China: Creating, celebrating, and instrumentalising the online carnival (with David K. Herold). New York: Routledge. (Paperback in 2013.)

****Two other co-edited book projects and two sole-authored monographs are in preparation.***

Book Chapters

Forthcoming

*Grounding Online Spaces. In: Marolt, P. and Herold, D.K.: Online China: locating society in online spaces. Forthcoming with Routledge.

2011

*Grassroots agency in a civil sphere? Re-thinking Internet Control in China. In: Herold, D. K. and Marolt, P.: On-line Society in China. Routledge.

Refereed Articles and Book reviews

Forthcoming

*Cities and their Grassroutes (with Tim Bunnell). Forthcoming in EPD Society & Space.

*Introduction: Modes of Activism and Engagement in the Chinese Public Sphere (with Jonathan Benney).
Forthcoming in Asian Studies Review.

*Book review: Manuel Castells' Networks of Outrage and Hope. Forthcoming in Singapore Journal of Tropical Geography.

2014

* On the Origins and Reflexivity of Autonomy and Social Movements in CybUrbia. Asia Research Institute Working Paper Series No. 220, May 2014.

*Cyberzomia. Asia Research Institute Working Paper Series No. 214, February 2014.

*Introduction to the Special Issue: Insurgencies, Social Media and the Public City in Asia (with Rita Padawangi and Mike Douglass). International Development Planning Review (IDPR) vol 36 (1).

2013

*Rethinking virtual/physical boundaries. Localities (International Journal for Humanities and Locality

Studies), vol 3 (November 2013), pp. 63-101.

2008

Critical Responses to the Los Angeles School of Urbanism (with Michael J. Dear, et al.). Urban Geography 29 (2), pp. 101-112.

* : achievements and key outcomes during my stay with ARI