

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

**KWOK KIAN-WOON**

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

Associate Professor Kwok Kian-Woon (Ph.D Sociology, University of California at Berkeley) is currently Associate Provost (Student Life). Since joining NTU in 2003 (after a stint in the private sector), he has had the privilege of contributing as a pioneer in various capacities. He was a founding member of the School of Humanities and Social Sciences (established in 2004), serving as its first Vice-Dean (2004-2007), Associate Chair (Academic; 2007-2011) and Head of the Sociology Division (2004-2013). He was a member of the Blue Ribbon Commission on Undergraduate Education (2007-2008) and co-author of its report, a blueprint for significant curricular and pedagogical changes and the precursor of NTU Education (2012). He was elected and served as the first Chair of the NTU Senate (2008-2010); he also initiated the creation of the NTU Museum (2008) and NTU's Cooperative Society (2014). Joining senior management in 2011, he assumed the newly-created Student Life appointment, which engendered new initiatives to transform learning beyond the curriculum in six key areas: health and wellbeing, leadership and community engagement, residential education, campus vibrancy, integration and intercultural learning, and student entrepreneurship.



Teaching, scholarship, and sociological practice form the core of his intellectual vocation, which encompasses institution-building and public involvement. His teaching areas include qualitative methodology, social theory, globalization and social change, and sociology of the arts. His research and publications cover areas such as the Chinese overseas, social memory, heritage and the arts, and mental health. Following his participation in the National Mental Health Sub-Committee on Research (2005-2006), he was Visiting Scientist at the Institute of Mental Health (2007-2008), collaborating with psychiatrists and medical researchers in conducting interdisciplinary and policy-oriented research. In particular, he was a key co-investigator in the inaugural baseline Singapore Mental Health Study (Jun 2008-Oct 2011; S\$6.9m grant), which is now followed by a second study (Aug 2014-Jul 2017; S\$4.8m). The national study has been reported in, among other co-authored articles, "A Population-based Survey of Mental Disorders in Singapore", *Annals, Academy of Medicine Singapore* (2012), which won the Academy's Best Publication Silver Award 2012. His other publications include the co-edited book (with Roxana Waterson), *Contestations of Memory in Southeast Asia*, published by NUS Press (2011) and numerous journal articles and book chapters. Currently, he is also a principal investigator in the interdisciplinary project "Psychological, Health & Social Parameters associated with Working in Underground Spaces" (Dec 2014-Nov 2017; S\$5.5m; Social Cluster S\$1.36m). In addition to regularly serving as research adviser and presenting at seminars, he is working on a book-length manuscript on Singapore and Asian modernity.

He was a Fellow in the Asia Leadership Program in Japan in 1996 and a recipient of the Fulbright Research Grant at Harvard University in 1998. He has been actively engaged in civil society and the public sector, including in a wide range of policy discussions on heritage and the arts. He is honorary chairman, National Archives of Singapore, past president, Singapore Heritage Society, and has been a member of National Heritage Board, Singapore Art Museum Board, National Art Gallery Steering Committee, and Singapore Biennale 2006 Steering Committee (co-chairman). At present, he serves as a member of National Arts Council, Centre for Contemporary Art Governing Council, Asian Civilisations Museum, the academic panels of the Institute of Policy Studies and National Population and Talent Division, National Collection Advisory Panel, and Heritage Advisory Board (as deputy chair). He is an external advisor to Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts (2015-2017) and serves on the boards of Intercultural Theatre Institute and Temenggong Arts Residency. As with his sustained commitment to scholarship, teaching, and student development, the cultivation of social responsibility lies at the heart of his engagement in public life.

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**ACADEMIC SPECIALIZATIONS**

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- Current Research:** Social aspects of underground environments; Mental health epidemiology and literacy in Singapore; War, trauma, and memories in Asia; Singapore and Asian modernity
- Research Areas:** Underground spaces; Mental health; Social memory; Chinese overseas; Culture and cultural policy (arts and heritage); Singapore studies
- Teaching Areas:** Qualitative social research; Classical social theory; Contemporary social theory; Sociology of the arts; Globalization and social change; Singapore society

**EDUCATION**

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PhD	University of California at Berkeley	1992
MA	University of California at Berkeley	1984
BSocSc(Hons) First Class	National University of Singapore	1981
BA	National University of Singapore	1980

**EMPLOYMENT & KEY APPOINTMENTS**

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**Nanyang Technological University**

1 Jul 2011 – Present	Associate Provost (Student Life)	President's Office
1 Apr – 30 Jun 2011	Associate Provost-Designate (SL)	President's Office

1 Jul 2007 – 30 Jun 2011	Associate Chair (Academic)	School of Humanities & Social Sciences
1 Jul 2004 – 30 Jun 2007	Vice Dean (Academic)	School of Humanities & Social Sciences
1 Jun 2004 – 30 Jun 2013	Head, Division of Sociology	School of Humanities & Social Sciences
2 Jan 2004 – Present	Associate Professor	School of Humanities & Social Sciences
10 Jan 2003 – 1 Jan 2004	Adjunct Associate Professor	School of Communication & Information

### **Cruxible Pte Ltd**

Jul 2000 – May 2004                      Managing Director & Sociologist

### **National University of Singapore**

May 1992 – Jun 2000	Lecturer/Assistant Professor	Department of Sociology
Jul 1981 – Apr 1992	Senior Tutor	Department of Sociology

### **RESEARCH GRANTS**

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1. **Psychological, Health & Social Parameters associated with Working in Underground Spaces** (L2NICCFP1-2013-2), Ministry of National Development, S\$5,521,188. (The project comprises four clusters – Integration & Education, Social, Psychological, and Health; A/P Kwok is Principal Investigator of the Social Cluster, sub-account \$1.36 million). Study period: Dec 2014 – Nov 2017.
2. **The Singapore Mental Health Study** (SMHS; second study) 2016, Ministry of Health and Singapore Millennium Foundation (Temasek Trust), S\$4.8 million. Study period: Aug 2014 – Jul 2017. (Co-Investigator)
3. **Perceptions and Beliefs of the Singapore Population about Mental Illnesses: A Study of Mental Health Literacy**, Ministry of Health - Health Services Research Competitive Research Grant; HSRG 12 May/004, S\$1 million. Study period: Jun 2013 – May 2015; extended till Mar 2016. (Co-Investigator)
4. **Mental Health and Illness in Singapore: General Practitioners and Mental Health**, funded by Ministry of Health, S\$28,735. Study period: Jun 2007 – Oct 2007. (Co-Investigator)
5. **The National Mental Health Evaluation Program** (SMHS; first baseline study), funded by Ministry of Health (MOH) & Singapore Millennium Foundation, S\$6,900,000. Study period: Apr 2008 – Mar 2011. (Co-Investigator)

6. **The Financial Needs of Mentally Ill Patients and their Caregivers**, funded by Ministry of Community Development, Youth and Sports (MCYS), S\$343,580. Study period: Nov 2007 – Jul 2009. (Co-Investigator)
7. **Economic Hardship and the Needs of Patients with Schizophrenia: The Perceptions of Patients and their Caregivers**, funded by National Medical Research Council of Singapore (NMRC), S\$5,250. Study period: Aug 2007 – Aug 2008. (Co-Investigator)

## **TEACHING & CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT**

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### **1. Establishment of the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, NTU**

- Task Force (Working Committee) for the Establishment of the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, March 2003-May 2004.

### **2. Revamp of Undergraduate Education, NTU**

- Blue Ribbon Commission on Undergraduate Education (BRC) – 8 Aug 2007-31 Mar 2008. Member of the Commission chaired by Professor Haresh Shah; Co-author (with Prof Shah), BRC Report.

### **3. Curriculum Development**

- i. Major in Sociology, BA (Hons) – AY 2005-06 to AY 2012-13
- ii. Minor in Sociology – AY 2004-05 to AY 2012-13
- iii. Renaissance Engineering Programme (REP) Committee – 2009-2011
- iv. Premier Engineering Programme (PEP) Task Force – May-Nov 2008
- v. Master of Arts in Contemporary China (MACC) – AY 2005-06
- vi. Minor in History – AY 2006-07
- vii. China Studies Syllabus Development Committee ('A' Levels), Ministry of Education – Jul 2004-Oct 2005

### **4. Research Supervision & Advising (from 2011; earlier records available)**

- i. Vinay Kumar – MA Thesis 2014-2015  
“Word Play: A Sociological Study of Slam Poetry in Singapore”
- ii. Izzah Binte Mohd Mokhti – MA Thesis 2011  
“Ethnicity in Everyday Life: A Case Study of Bajau in Sabah, Malaysia”
- iii. Humariah Binte Zainal – MA Thesis 2015  
“Ethnicization in Everyday Lives: Malaysian Undergraduate’s Engagement with Race Relations in Malaysian Films” (Chair, PhD Confirmation Exercise)

- iv. Joel Chong Zhi Quan – Undergraduate Research Experience on Campus (URECA) 2015-2016  
“State Building as Nation Building: A Comparative Study of Post-Independence Singapore and Reformist China”
- v. Sng Tiak – Final Year Project 2014  
“Law and Homosexuality in Singapore: An Exploratory Study”
- vi. Wen Yusi – Final Year Project 2014  
“Attitudes towards Three English Varieties in Singapore”
- vii. Nurliyana Binte Daros – Final Year Project 2013  
“Caring for Family Members with ‘Mental Illness’ in Singapore”
- viii. Nur Amin Shah Bin Hashim – Final Year Project 2012  
“Smelling like a Man: A Socio-Olfactory Analysis of Masculinity in Singapore”
- ix. Yap Si Hong – Final Year Project 2012  
“The ‘Government’ in Our Lives: An Exploratory Study of Ideology and the Singapore Middle Class”
- x. Ting Samantha – Final Year Project 2011  
“Gender Equality in Intimate Relationships: An Exploratory Study”
- xi. Tan Shan Ting, Caryn – Final Year Project 2011  
“‘Coming out’ as a Lesbian-Woman in Singapore”

## **5. Teaching and Development of Courseware**

- i. CO5214 Qualitative Research Methodologies  
Master of Clinical Investigation, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore (2009-2014)
- ii. HS401 Research Practicum I: Qualitative Social Research  
Semester 1 (AY 2007-08), Semester 2 (AY 2009-10)
- iii. HS301 Contemporary Social Theory  
Semester 1 (AY 2008-09, AY 2009-10, AY 2010-11)
- iv. HS7002 Contemporary Sociological Theory and Research (Graduate Course)  
Semester 1 (AY2010-11)
- v. HS490A Sociology of the Arts, Semester 2 (AY 2008-09, AY 2010-2011)
- vi. HS207 Globalisation and Social Change, Semester 2 (AY 2006-07)
- vii. HS9001 Classical Sociological Theory and Research (Graduate Course)  
Semester 1 (AY 2006-07)
- viii. HS201 Classical Social Theory, Semester 1 (AY 2006-07)
- ix. HS102 Singapore Society, Semester 2 (AY 2004-05), Semester 1 (AY 2005-06)
- x. HS100 Person and Society, Semester 1 (AY 2004-05)

- xi. CS214 Creative and Critical Thinking , WKW School of Communication & Information, (AY 2003-04)

## **FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

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**Annals, Academy of Medicine, Singapore**, Best Publication Silver Award, 2012 For outstanding contribution of article titled ‘A Population-based Survey of Mental Disorders in Singapore’

**National Heritage Board (NHB)**, Supporter of Heritage Award, 2006

**Ministry of Information, Communications and the Arts (MICA)**, Special Recognition Award, 2006

**Harvard University**, Fulbright Research Grant, 1998

**Japan Foundation & International House of Japan**, Asia Leadership Fellow, 1996 – 1997

**University of California at Berkeley**, Chancellor’s Dissertation Fellowship, 1987 – 1988

**National University of Singapore**, Overseas Graduate Scholarship, 1982 – 1987

**National University of Singapore**, Chng Heng Lay Memorial Prize, 1981

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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### **1. Books (university press; edited)**

Waterson, Roxana and Kwok Kian Woon, editors (2012) *Contestations of Memory in Southeast Asia*, Singapore: NUS Press.

### **2. Forthcoming / Articles under peer review**

“Recognition of Mental Disorders among a Multiracial Population in Southeast Asia”. Authors: Siow Ann Chong, Edimansyah Abdin, Louisa Picco, Shirlene Pang, Anitha Jeyagurunathan, Janhavi Ajit Vaingankar, Kian Woon Kwok, Mythily Subramaniam. Accepted by *BMC Psychiatry*.

“Stigma towards People with Mental Disorders and its Components– A Perspective from Multi-ethnic Singapore”. Authors: M. Subramaniam, E. Abdin, L. Picco, S. Pang, S. Shafie, JA. Vaingankar, KW. Kwok, K. Verma, SA. Chong. Revised and resubmitted to *Epidemiology and Psychiatric Sciences*.

“Beliefs about Help-seeking for Mental Disorders: Findings from a Singapore Mental Health Literacy Study”. Authors: Louisa Picco, Edimansyah Abdin, Siow Ann Chong, Shirlene Pang, Janhavi Ajit Vaingankar, Vathsala Sagayadevan, Kian Woon Kwok, Mythily Subramaniam. Revised and resubmitted to *Psychiatric Services*.

### **3. Journal Articles**

- Chong SA, Vaingankar JA, Abdin E, Kwok KW, Subramaniam M. 'Where do People with Mental Disorders in Singapore go to for Help?' *Annals, Academy of Medicine*, Singapore. 2012.
- Subramaniam M, Vaingankar J, Heng D, Kwok KW, Lim YW, Yap M, Chong SA. 'The Singapore Mental Health Study: An Overview of the Methodology'. *International Journal of Methods in Psychiatric Research*. 2012 (EPub Feb 13).
- Vaingankar JA, Subramaniam M, Lim YW, Sherbourne C, Luo N, Ryan G, Phua A, Shahwan S, Kwok KW, Brown J, Bradley M, Orlando Edelem M, Chong SA. 'From Well-being to Positive Mental Health: Conceptualization and Qualitative Development of an Instrument in Singapore'. *Quality of Life Research*. 2012 (EPub Jan 28).
- Chong SA, Abdin E, Vaingankar JA, Heng D, Sherbourne C, Yap M, Lim YW, Wong HB, Ghosh-Dastidar B, Kwok KW, Subramaniam M. 'A Population-based Survey of Mental Disorders in Singapore'. *Annals, Academy of Medicine*, Singapore. 2012; 41-49-66. Best Publication Silver Award 2012, Annals, Academy of Medicine, Singapore, for outstanding contribution of article.
- Janhavi Ajit Vaingankar, Fong Chee Weng, Kwok Kian Woon, Lee Kheng Hock, Lum Wai Mun Alvin, Mei Yen Phua, Chong Siow Ann, 'Managing Patients with Mental Illness in Primary Care: Apprehensions and Views of General Practitioners'. *The Singapore Family Physician*: Volume 36, Number 4 (Oct – Dec 2010): 22-25.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Stakes in Contemporary Art: Tang Da Wu's Artistic Practice as Exemplar'. *Moving Worlds*: Volume 10, Number 1 (2010): 72-92.
- Lum, Alvin WM, Kwok Kian Woon and Chong Siow Ann, 'Providing Integrated Mental Health Services in the Singapore Primary Care Setting – the General Practitioner Psychiatric Programme Experience'. *Annals Academy of Medicine*: Volume 37, Number 2 (Feb 2008).
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Remembering Kuo Pao Kun (1939-2002)'. *Inter-Asia Cultural Studies*: Volume 4, Number 2 (2003): 193-201.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Cultural Policy After September 11'. *International House of Japan Bulletin*: Volume 22, Number 2 (Autumn 2002): 62-73. (Also translated in the Japanese edition of the *Bulletin* as '9.11 Igo No Bunka Seisaku,' *Kokusai Bunka Kaikan Kaiho*: Volume 13, Number 2 (Autumn 2002): 62-75.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Chinese-Educated Intellectuals in Singapore: Marginality, Memory and Modernity'. *Asian Journal of Social Science*: Volume 29, Number 3 (2001): 495-519.
- Waterson, Roxana and Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Work of Memory and the Unfinished Past: Deepening and Widening the Social Study of Memory in Southeast Asia'. *Asian Journal of Social Science*: Volume 29, Number 3 (2001): 365-380.
- Bernard-Opitz, Vera, Kwok Kian Woon and Sharul Sapuan, 'Epidemiology of Autism in Singapore: Findings of the First Autism Survey'. *International Journal of Rehabilitation Research*: Volume 24 (2001): 1-6.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Social Transformation and the Problem of Social Coherence: Chinese Singaporeans at Century's End'. *Asiatische Studien / Etudes Asiatiques*, Volume XLIX, Number 1 (1995): 217-241. [Special Issue on Chinese Societies at the Dawn of the Third Millennium.]

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Singapore: Consolidating the New Political Economy'. *Southeast Asian Affairs* (1995): 291-308. [Published by Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore].

Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Moral Condition of Democratic Society'. *Commentary*, Volume 11, Number 1 (1993): 20-29. [Published by the National University of Singapore Society]

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Civil Religion, Public Discourse, and the Rise of New Prophets'. *Berkeley Journal of Sociology*, Number 30 (1985): 143-166.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Ideology in Singapore: a Textual Investigation'. *Southeast Asian Journal of Social Science*, Volume 11, Number 2 (1983): 70–80.

#### 4. Chapters in Books

Kwok, Kian Woon and Roxana Waterson (2016) 'Southeast Asia and the Politics of Contested Memories.' In *Routledge International Handbook of Memory Studies*, edited by Anna Lisa Tota and Trever Hagen. New York: Routledge, 329-344.

Kwok Kian Woon and Kelvin Chia (2012) 'Memories at the Margins: Chinese-educated Intellectuals in Singapore.' In *Contestations of Memory in Southeast Asia*, edited by Roxana Waterson and Kwok Kian Woon. Singapore: NUS Press, 230-269.

Waterson, Roxana and Kwok Kian Woon (2012) 'The Work of Memory and the Unfinished Past: Deepening and Widening the Study of Memory in Southeast Asia.' In *Contestations of Memory in Southeast Asia*, edited by Roxana Waterson and Kwok Kian Woon. Singapore: NUS Press, 17-50.

Waterson, Roxana and Kwok Kian Woon (2012) 'Introduction.' In *Contestations of Memory in Southeast Asia*, edited by Roxana Waterson and Kwok Kian Woon. Singapore: NUS Press, 1-13.

Kwok Kian Woon (2009) 'Introduction Locating and Positioning The Artists Village in Singapore and Beyond.' In *The Artists Village: 20 years on*, edited by Kwok Kian Woon and Lee Wen. Singapore: The Singapore Art Museum and The Artists Village, 1-3.

Kwok Kian Woon (2008) 'Singapore as a Cultural Hub and Creative City.' In *Social Subsumption and Exclusion in East Asia*. Seoul: Yonsei University Press.

Kwok Kian Woon and Caroline Pluss (2008) 'Singapore.' In *Encyclopedia of Race, Ethnicity, and Society*, edited by Richard Schaefer. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, 1228-1231.

Kwok Kian Woon (2006) 'A Glimpse of the Ineffable, the Uncanny, the Transcendent...' *Singapore Biennale Catalogue*.

Kwok Kian Woon (2007) 'Just What is *New* about the "New Politics of Identity"?' In *Singapore Perspectives 2007, A New Singapore*, edited by Tan Tarn How. Singapore: World Scientific Publishing, 57-68.

Kwok Kian Woon (2006) 'Chinese.' In Tommy Koh et al (eds) *Singapore: The Encyclopedia. Singapore*. Singapore: Editions Didier Millet and National Heritage Board, 103-105.

Kwok Kian Woon (2006) 'Kuo Pao Kun.' In *Singapore: The Encyclopedia*, edited by Tommy Koh et al. Singapore: Editions Didier Millet and National Heritage Board, 284-285.



- Kwok Kian Woon (2006) “‘Dreaming, Hoping, Searching, Struggling’: Remembering Kuo Pao Kun.’ In *The Community of Asia: Concept or Reality?*, edited by Karina Bolasco et al. Philippines: Anvil Publishing, 292-305.
- Kwok Kian Woon (2004) ‘The Bonsai and the Rainforest: Reflections on Culture and Cultural Policy in Singapore.’ In *Ask Not: The Necessary Stage in Singapore Theatre*, edited by Tan Chong Kee and Tisa Ng. Singapore: Times Editions, 1-25.
- Kwok Kian Woon (2002) ‘Sociology of the Chinese.’ In *The Making of Singapore Sociology*, edited by Tong Chee Kiong and Lian Kwen Fee. Singapore: Times Academic Press and Brill Academic Publishers, 247-288.
- Kwok Kian Woon and Low Kee Hong (2002) ‘Cultural Policy and the City-State: Singapore and the “New Asian Renaissance”.’ In *Global Culture: Media, Arts, Policy, and Globalization*, edited by Diana Crane, Nobuko Kawashima, and Ken’ichi Kawasaki. New York: Routledge, 151-168.
- Kwok Kian Woon and Chua Beng Huat (2001) ‘Social Pluralism in Singapore.’ In *The Politics of Multiculturalism: Pluralism and Citizenship in Malaysia, Singapore and Indonesia*, edited by Robert W. Hefner. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press, 86-118.
- Kwok Kian Woon (2001) ‘Singapore as Cultural Crucible: Releasing Singapore’s Creative Energy in the New Century.’ In *Singapore Exposed: Navigating the Ins and Outs of Globalisation*, edited by Lee Geok Boi. Singapore: Landmark Books, 21-32.
- Kwok Kian Woon (2001) ‘Singapore in 2000: A Review.’ In *Singapore 2001*, edited by Foo Siang Luen. Singapore, Ministry of Information and the Arts, 2-14.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1999) ‘Human Rights and Human Responsibilities.’ In *Human Rights Perspectives*, edited by Tan Ngoh Tiong. Singapore: United Nations Association, 70-79.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1999) ‘The Social Architect: Goh Keng Swee.’ In *Lee’s Lieutenants*, edited by Lam Peng Er and Kevin Tan. Sydney: Allen and Unwin, 45-69.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1999) ‘Asian Values versus “Asian Values”: The Asian Crisis as a Moral Crisis.’ In *Singapore: The Year in Review 1998*, edited by Ooi Giok Ling and Ram Kishen S. Rajan. Singapore: Institute of Policy Studies and Times Academic Press, 110-117. (Also in *The Sunday Times*, January 24 1999 (p. 45); fully translated into Japanese in *Sekai*, Number 669 (December 1999): 278-286; and excerpted in *Media Asia* Volume 26 Number 1 (1999): 30-32.)
- Kwok Kian Woon, Lily Kong, Kuo Pao Kun, Kwa Chong Guan, William Lim, Tan Beng Luan and Brenda Yeoh (1999) ‘Introduction – Our Place in Time: A Preliminary Reflection.’ In *Our Place in Time: Exploring Heritage and Memory in Singapore*, edited by K W Kwok, C G Kwa, L Kong and B Yeoh. Singapore: Singapore Heritage Society, 1-14.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1998) ‘Singapore.’ In *The Encyclopedia of the Chinese Overseas*, edited by Lynn Pan. Singapore: Editions Didier Millet, 200-217. (Published in North America by Harvard University Press.) Chinese edition published by Joint Publishers (Sanlian Chubanshe).
- Kwok Kian Woon (1998) ‘Being Chinese in the Modern World.’ In *The Encyclopedia of the Chinese Overseas*, edited by Lynn Pan. Singapore: Editions Didier Millet, 121-126. (Published in North America by Harvard University Press.) Chinese edition published by Joint Publishers (Sanlian Chubanshe).

- Kwok Kian Woon and Mariam Mohammed Ali (1998) 'Cultivating Citizenship and National Identity.' In *Singapore: Re-engineering Success*, edited by Lee Tsao Yuan and Arun Mahizhnan. Singapore: Oxford University Press, 112-122.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1998) 'Reflections on Memory and Identity in Singapore.' In *Memory and Identity*, edited by David Chan and Mary Chuah. Singapore: Gifted Education Branch and Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, 23-26
- Kwok Kian Woon (1996) 'Social Memory: Time, Place, Mind.' In *Mindscales and Landscapes*, edited by Yong Li Lan and Linda Wong. Singapore: Gifted Education Branch and Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, National University of Singapore, 2-7.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Chang Cheng Tung and Ko Yiu Chung (1995) 'The Use of the "Idealtpe" Approach in the Comparative Study of Chinese Childhood Socialisation.' In *Chinese Childhood Socialisation*, edited by David Y. H. Wu and Xue Suzhen. Shanghai: Shanghai Scientific and Technological Literature Publisher, 1995, 10-17.
- K W Kwok, Chang Cheng Tung, Ko Yiu Chung (1995) 'Early Childhood Socialisation of the Chinese in Singapore.' In *Chinese Childhood Socialisation*, edited by David YH Wu and Xue Suzhen. Shanghai: Shanghai Scientific and Technological Literature Publisher, 77-91.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1994) 'Singapore.' In *Living Traditions: Essays on the Revitalization of Asean CTM Forms*, edited by Nicanor G. Tiongson. Manila: ASEAN Committee on Culture and Information, 180-223.
- Kwok Kian Woon (1993) 'The Problem of "Tradition" in Contemporary Singapore.' In *Heritage and Contemporary Values*, edited by Arun Mahizhnan. Singapore: Times Academic Press, 1-22.

## 5. Edited Books (Singapore)

- Kwok Kian Woon and Lee Wen (2009) *The Artists Village: 20 Years On*, Singapore: The Singapore Art Museum and The Artists Village, 77 pp.
- Kwok Kian Woon and Teo Han Wue, editors (2002) *Kuo Pao Kun: And Love the Wind and Rain*, Singapore: Cruxible (published for the benefit of Practice Performing Arts Centre Ltd.), 228 pp.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Arun Mahizhnan, and T Sasitharan, editors (2001) *Selves: The State of the Arts in Singapore*, Singapore: National Arts Council, 267 pp.
- Kwok Kian-Woon, Indira Arumugam, Karen Chia, and Lee Chee Keng, editors (2000) 'We Asians': *Between Past and Future*, Singapore: Singapore Heritage Society and National Archives of Singapore, 301 pp.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Ho Weng Hin, and Tan Kar Lin, editors (2000) *Memories and the National Library*, Singapore: Singapore Heritage Society, 219 pp.
- Kwok Kian Woon, C.J. Wee Wan-Ling, and Karen Chia, editors (2000) *Rethinking Chinatown and Heritage Conservation in Singapore*, Singapore: Singapore Heritage Society, 88 pp.

Kwok Kian Woon, Kwa Chong Guan, Lily Kong, and Brenda Yeoh, editors (1999) *Our Place in Time: Exploring Heritage and Memory in Singapore*, Singapore: Singapore Heritage Society, 216 pp.

## 6. Book Reviews In Journals

Kwok Kian Woon, Review of *Emerging Civil Society in the Asia-Pacific*, edited by Tadashi Yamamoto. *Southeast Asian Journal of Social Science*, 24, 2 (1996): 134-135.

Kwok Kian Woon, Review of *Meanings of Multiethnicity: A Case-Study of Ethnicity and Ethnic Relations in Singapore* by Lai Ah Eng. *Southeast Asian Journal of Social Science* (1996): 153-155.

Kwok Kian Woon, Review of *Moral Perspectives*, edited by Chong Kim Chong. *Southeast Asian Journal of Social Science*, 21, no. 1 (1993): 120-122.

## 7. Published Reports

Kwok Kian Woon, Chan Sopheap, Heng Chinda, Kim Sedara, Neth Baromey and Thon Vimealea. *Scoping Study: Research Capacities of Cambodia's Universities: The Development Research Forum in Cambodia*, Phnom Penh, August 2010, 65pp. (Also in Khmer) Commissioned by the Cambodian Development Research Forum supported by the International development Research Centre (IDRC) jointly managed by the Cambodian Development Resource Institute (CDRI) and the Community Based Natural Resource Management (CBNRM) Learning Institute.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'APA and Globalization'. In *Challenges Facing the ASEAN Peoples: Report of the Second ASEAN People's Assembly*, Bali (Indonesia), 30 August – 1 September 2002. Jakarta: Center for Strategic and International Studies, 2003, 243-245.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Report on the Asia Leadership Fellow Program 1996' (pp 52-63) and 'Intellectual Concerns in Contemporary Asia: Crisis and Confluence' (pp.140-43). In *Intellectual Concerns and Critiques in Southeast Asia* (with roundtable discussion and research papers by Arnold Azurin, Kasian Tejapira, Ignas Kleden, and Kwok Kian Woon, p.144-49). Tokyo: International House of Japan/ Japan Foundation Asia Center, March 1998, 150 pp. [Asia Leadership Fellow Program, 1996 Program Report].

## 8. Conference Papers

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Asia, the Ambiguous and Ourselves: Thoughts on the Agenda of Humanizing Modernity'. Plenary presentation at the Humanities and The Social Sciences and Asia International Symposium, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Nanyang Technological University at The Regent, Singapore, 7 November 2014.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Meanings and Challenges of Social Responsibility in Higher Education in the Asia-Pacific Region: Country Case Study'. Presentation at the First International Forum on University Global Social Responsibility, Seoul National University, Korea, 24 – 25 March 2014.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Regarding: "Regardless of ..." and Managing "Multi-?". Singapore Perspective 2014: 'From Differences, Unity', organized by the Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore, 28 January 2014.

- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Ideals'. Conference on Civil Society, Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore, 11 November 2013.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Commentary on Chua Boon Huat's Ouvre'. Plenary Session: 'Power, Politics and Pop Culture' of the Inter-Asia Cultural Studies Society, Singapore, 3 July 2013.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Delineating Kuo Pao Kun's Philosophical Outlook: A Preliminary Attempt'. Paper presented at Kuo Pao Kun International Conference, Singapore, 14 September 2012.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'On Interpreting and Changing the World'. Paper presented at the 4th National Congress of Sociology: Same Land But Different Worlds: Future Research Agenda (Session No. 7), Bangkok, Thailand, 18 June 2012.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Technology and Socio-cultural Change, with Special Reference to University Education'. Paper presented at the WISDOM 2010 Yogyakarta, Indonesia, Gajah Mada University, 5 – 8 December 2010.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'What is at Stake in the Question of Dis-integration?' Session 3: Sources & Dimensions of Dis-integration. Paper presented at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, 14 September 2010.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Civilizations, Modernities, and Modes of Knowledge Product: Contemporary Higher Education in Southeast Asia, with Special Reference to Cambodia'. Paper presented at The Bright Dark Ages: Rethinking Needham's Grand Question, Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore, 20 – 21 May 2010.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on the Roles of the Universities in Cambodia'. Paper presented at The Cambodia Forum 2010, Cambodian Institute for Cooperation and Peace & Institute of Southeast Asian Studies, Singapore, 23 April 2010.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Research Capacities of Cambodia's Universities'. Paper presented at Symposium on "The Contribution of Research to National Development Strategies and Policies", Phnom Penh, Cambodia, 9 – 10 September 2009.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Cultural Diversity and Intercultural Dialogue: Towards a New Cultural Policy Profile (with Reflections and Lessons from Asia)'. Paper presented at *Expert Meeting - Towards a New Cultural Policy Framework*, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), Paris, France, 6 – 8 July 2009.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Media Consumption in Singapore: Facts, Trends, and Issues for Discussion'. Paper presented at the 2009 World Culture Contents Forum, Grand Hotel in Haeundae Beach, Busan, Korea, 14 May 2009.
- Kwok Kian Woon, '*Happiness and Innocence: Critical Sociological Reflections*'. Paper presented at the 2008 Symposium on Interdisciplinary Studies on Happiness, Centre for Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS), School of Humanities and Social Sciences, NTU, 20 – 21 Nov 2008.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Memories and Modernities: Evolving an Agenda for the Study of Collective Memory and Evildoing (with special reference to War Memories in Asia)'. Paper presented at the American Sociological Association 103rd Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, U.S.A., 1 – 4 August 2008.

- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Future of Culture in the Age of Commerce'. Paper presented at the 18<sup>th</sup> Asian Corporate Conference on "A New Era for Global Business: Sustainable Growth for China and the World", Renaissance Tianjin TEDA Hotel, Tianjin, China, 28 – 30 May 2008.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Mental Health in Singapore: Evolving an Agenda for Interdisciplinary Research'. Paper presented at the Symposium on Health Economics and Health Management, Centre for Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS), School of Humanities and Social Sciences, NTU, 14 April 2008.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Singapore as a Creative City? Culture, Cultural Policy, and Creativity'. Paper presented at the Innovative Asian Cities: An International Forum, Tamsui, Taipei County, Taiwan, 4 – 5 April 2008.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reviewing Disciplinary Agendas in Theatre Studies: Cultural Arenas, Policies, Institutions,' Panel 5: "Culture and Institutions: Performance, Cultural Arenas and Policies/ Inter-Asian Dimensions", Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi, India, 23 – 25 January 2008.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Japan's New Approach of Cultural Policy'. Invited presentation held at the Japanese Cultural Institute in Paris (Maison de la culture du Japon a Paris), 11 – 13 October 2007.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Re-imagining, Re-imaging and Remaking the City: Culture, Cultural Policy and Cultural Politics in Singapore'. Paper presented at the American Sociological Association 102<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting, Hilton New York & Sheraton New York, New York, U.S.A., 11 – 14 August 2007.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Culture, Religion and Modernity: Lessons from the Straits Chinese Reform Movement in Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century'. Invited presentation at the "International Conference on Culture and Social Development", held at Fu-Jen Catholic University, Taipei, Taiwan, 22 – 23 May 2007.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Singapore as a Cultural Hub and a Creative City'. Invited presentation at "The International Conference on Promotion Culture Cities", Executive Agency for Culture Cities, Seoul, Korea, 17 May 2007.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Religion and Modernity, with reference to the Straits Chinese Reform Movement in early 20<sup>th</sup>-century Singapore'. Presentation at The Sacred in a Global City: Symposium on Religion in Singapore, Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore, Singapore, 10 March 2007.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Roles of Culture for East Asian Community Building'. Invited presenter at the Asia Culture Forum Kyoto 2006: "Globalization and Asian Values", Boao Forum Asia and Japan Foundation, Kyoto, Japan, 10 November 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Universal Values, Religion and Human Rights'. Invited presenter at the "East-West Dialogue: A Call for Action", Casa Asia, Barcelona, Spain, 23 – 24 October 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Towards a Sociology of (Ir)responsibility'. Presentation at Irresponsibility Conference, Division of English, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, NTU, supported by Culture Ireland and the Irish Embassy, Singapore, 29 September 2006.

- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Asian Values'. Invited panelist at the "Human Rights in Asia Conference", The University of Chicago, Human Rights Program, Chicago, U.S.A., 12 – 13 May 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Remaking of Singapore: Fun Capital or Cultured City'. Invited keynote speaker at the Symposium on "The Remaking of Singapore: Fun Capital or Cultured City", Fringe Club, Hong Kong, 13 January 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Singapore as a Creative City: Past, Present, and Future'. Invited presenter at the International Symposium on the City 2005 "The Age of the City: Developing Creative Cities", International House, Osaka, Japan, 7 – 9 December 2005.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Current Trends in Cultural Policy Research, with Special Reference to Southeast Asia'. Invited keynote speaker at the first session of the "Conference on Cultural Policy Research", Graduate School of Cultural Policy and Management, Shizuoka University of Art and Culture, Hamamatsu, Japan, 12 – 13 November 2005. [Subsequently published and with Japanese translation in conference proceedings].
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Creative Clusters and Creative Industries in Singapore'. Paper presented at the International Conference on Creative Clusters, Osaka City University, Japan, 15 – 16 March 2005.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Social Order and Its Role in Human Security'. Paper presented at International Conference on "Human Security Now: Strengthening Policy Networks in Southeast Asia", Commission on Human Security and Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, 4 – 5 March 2004. [Published in the conference proceedings by Center for Social Development Studies, Chulalongkorn University, 2004, 34-39]
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Key Elements of Democratisation in Southeast Asia'. Paper presented at Panel on 'Democracy in Southeast Asia: Progress Report', ASEAN People's Assembly, Manila, Philippines, 25 – 27 September 2003.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Kuo Pao Kun and the Public Sphere in Singapore and the Asian Region'. Presentation at "Public(s) in Crisis" (Session III 'The Making of Translocal Publics: Market, Capital and the State')", Chiang Mai, Thailand, 12 – 14 October 2002.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'APA and Globalization'. Paper presented at Panel on "The Case For and Against Globalization: The Peoples' Perspectives Revisited", ASEAN People's Assembly, Bali, Indonesia, 30 August – 1 September 2002.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Rethinking Cultural Policy in the New Century'. Paper presented at the International Symposium on "Cultural Policy in the New Century – the Context of Glocalization", International House of Japan, Tokyo, 20 March 2002.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Concluding Remarks in "'We Asians': Between Past and Future' (Round-up Session by Chairpersons), Singapore, 21 – 23 February 2000. [Transcribed in Kwok Kian-Woon, Indira Arumugam, Karen Chia, and Lee Chee Keng, editors *'We Asians': Between Past and Future*. Singapore: National Archives of Singapore and Singapore Heritage Society, 2000, 283-287.]
- Kwok Kian Woon, Chair's Opening and Closing Remarks in Session 2, Part 2: Discussion: 'Post-war Construction of National Consciousness', ASEAN-Japan Cultural Dialogue, 10 – 11 March 1999. [Transcribed in *Beyond the Crisis: Reflections on Cultural Discourse in Asia*, Tokyo: The Japan Foundation Asia Center, 2000, 123-138]

- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Asian Values *versus* "Asian Values": The Asian Crisis as a Moral Crisis'. Paper presented at 'Singapore: The Year in Review 1998.' Institute of Policy Studies, Singapore, January 1999.
- Kwok Kian Woon and Chua Beng Huat, 'Social Pluralism in Singapore'. Paper presented at 'Southeast Asian Pluralisms: Social Resources for Civility and Participation in Malaysia, Singapore and Indonesia', Shah's Village Hotel, Petaling Jaya, Singapore, 5 – 6 August 1999.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'More Than America: The Question of Americanization / Globalization'. Paper presented at "Asia and America at Century's End: Cultures of Interdependence", American Studies Programme, National University of Singapore, RELC, Singapore, 26 – 28 May 1999.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Human Rights and Human Responsibilities'. Paper presented at The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, United Nations Association, Mandarin Hotel, Singapore, 15 August 1998.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Art(s) of the State: The State of the Art(s)'. Paper presented at the Research Workshop on Comparative Study of Cultural Policy Comparative Cultural Policy project initiated by Professor Ken'ichi Kawasaki, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore, 21 March 1998.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Historical Discontinuity and Cultural Dislocation: The (Non-) Problem of Social Memory in Singapore'. Paper presented at "Trauma and Memory: An International Research Conference", Family Research Laboratory, University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire, United States, 26 – 28 July 1996.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Myth, Memory, and Modernity: Reflections on the Situation of the Chinese-Educated in Post-Independence Singapore'. Paper presented at 'Identity: Crisis and Opportunity', Hwa Chong Alumni, 28 July 1996.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Humanization of Modernity: Reflections on Intellectual Life in Singapore and China'. Paper presented at Second ASEAN Inter-University Seminar on Social/Development, Cebu, Philippines, 28 – 30 November 1995.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Beyond Cultural Defensiveness and Cultural Triumphalism: Globalization and the Critique of Western Forms of Modernity in the Late Twentieth Century'. Paper presented at "Globalization: Local Challenge and Responses", Persatuan Sains Sosial Malaysia, Universiti Sains Penang, Penang, Malaysia, 19 – 21 January 1995.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Lily Kong, Kuo Pao Kun, Kwa Chong Guan, William Lim, Tan Beng Luan and Brenda Yeoh (1999), 'Our Place in Time: A Preliminary Reflection'. Paper presented at "Our Place in Time", The Substation, Singapore, 17 – 18 September 1994.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Effectiveness of ASEAN Traditional Media Forms: A Singapore Case Study'. Paper presented at ASEAN Committee on Culture and Information Meeting on the Comparative Assessment on the Effectiveness of ASEAN Cultural Traditional Media, Manila, Philippines, 24 – 26 May 1994.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Chang Cheng Tung, and Ko Yiu Chung, 'Chinese Childhood Socialization: Continuities and Discontinuities between Past and Present and across Different Socio-cultural Contexts'. Paper presented at Conference on Chinese Childhood Socialization, East-West Center, Honolulu, United States, 30 August – 4 September 1993.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Problem of "Tradition" in Singapore'. Paper presented at "Heritage and Contemporary Values", Institute of Policy Studies and the Singapore Heritage Society, Singapore, November 1992.

Kwok Kian Woon, Chang Cheng Tung, and Ko Yiu Chung, 'Childhood Socialization in Singapore: Preliminary Report on the Community Survey'. Paper presented at Workshop on Early Childhood Socialization in Asia and the United States, Hong Kong, 2 – 4 September 1992.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Religious Tradition and Public Discourse in the United States'. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, San Francisco, United States, 4 – 7 July 1987.

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Kwok Kian Woon, 'A Letter to Japanese Friends on Hiroshima Day,' *The Straits Times*, (Chinese version: *Lianhe Zaobao*), 6 August 2015.

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Kwok Kian Woon, Leon van Schaik, and Mok Wei Wei, 'A Dialogue.' In *Chinese More or Less*, Berlin: Kristin Feireiss, Hans-Jurgen Commerell, 2006.

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Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Cultural Exchange Policy in Asia.' (Japanese translation). In *Wochi Kochi*, Number 1 (Oct / Nov 2004): 40-42. [Formerly *Kokusai Koryu* (International Exchange), published by The Japan Foundation].

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Why Does "Identity" Matter at all?: Reflections on "Peranakan", "Chinese", and Other Identities,' *The Peranakan*, April – June 2004, p.5-6.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Last Time We Had Prata Together.' In *Fengzhi Yitiao Ziyi de Bai Nabei: Guo Baokun de Gushi / Stitch A Quilt of Memories: Stories about Kuo Pao Kun*, edited by Tan Beng Luan, Han Lao Da, and Lim Soon Lan. Singapore: Creative O Developers' Lab, 2003, pp.195-202.

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- Kwok Kian Woon, Liew Kai Khiun, and C-J Wee Wan Ling, 'MRT Stations: Get Names back on Track,' *The Sunday Times*, 28 July 2002.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Battle Lines: The Worlds of the War,' [Submitted as 'The Worlds of the War: Reflections on September 11.'] *The Straits Times* [Life! Cover Story], 31 December 2001.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Shallow Singapore?: The Art Beat of a Nation,' *The Straits Times* [Life! Cover Story], 20 December 2001.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Foreword.' In *Nutmeg, and a Touch of Spice: The Story of Cairnhill Road*, by Sharon Siddique. Singapore: Sembawang Properties Pte Ltd, 2000, p.5.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Asian Crisis as a Moral Crisis,' *The Sunday Times*, 24 January 1999. [Fully translated into Japanese in *Sekai*, Number 669 (December 1999): 278-286; and excerpted in *Media Asia* Volume 26 Number 1 (1999): 30-32.]
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Foreword.' In *Asian New Urbanism* by William S.W. Lim. Singapore: Select Books, 1998, pp.4-10.
- Kwok Kian Woon and Mariam Ali, 'Can Singapore Exist Without Singaporeans,' *The Straits Times*, 13 November 1998.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Being Chinese in the Modern World,' *The Straits Times*, 25 October 1998.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Constance Singam, Simon Tay, and Yang Razali Kassim, 'The Future of Civil Society in Singapore.' *Occasional Paper*, No. 4. Singapore: Association of Muslim Professionals, 1997, 42 pp.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Review of *Contemporary Vernacular: Evoking Traditions in Asian Architecture* by William S.W. Lim and Tan Hock Beng', *Singapore Architect* No. 196/97 (1998).
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Articulating the Intangible,' *Trends, Business Times*, 25 May 1996: 2. [Also reprinted in *Bangkok Post*.]
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Chinese Identity,' *Singapore*, July – August 1995, July 1995: 23.
- Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Rhetoric of "Asian Renaissance",' *Trends, Business Times*, no. 42 (26 February 1994): 2.

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- Kwok Kian Woon, *Tradition in the Making: Catholicism, Moral Economy and the Public Sphere in American Life*. PhD Dissertation, Department of Sociology, University of California at Berkeley, United States, 1992, 556 pp.
- Kwok Kian Woon, *Language Planning in Education: A Case Study of the 1980 'Speak Your School Languages' Campaign*. Honours Thesis, Department of Sociology, National University of Singapore, 1980/81.

## 11. Unpublished Reports

Report of the Blue Ribbon Commission on Undergraduate Education. (Co-author with Professor Haresh Shah)

Kwok Kian Woon and Vera Bernard-Opitz, Sociological Aspects of Autism. Research Report, RP950024, National University of Singapore. Singapore, March 1998, 44 pp.

Kwok Kian Woon, Arun Mahizhnan, Koh Tai Ann, Kuo Pao Kun, Joseph McNally, Soh Kay Cheng, and T Sasitharan, The Next Wave of Creative Energy: Report of the Committee on National Arts Education. Singapore, 1997. [Prepared for the National Arts Council, Singapore].

## 12. Public Presentations

Kwok Kian Woon, 'To Kill and be Killed: What's the Point?' *TEDxNTU*, 'Life - What's the point?', Nanyang Technological University, 17 October 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Commentary on Prof Thongchai Winichakul's paper: The Changing Landscape of Asian Studies.' Global Asia Roundtable: "The Changing Landscape of Asian Studies", Nanyang Technological University, 18 September 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'War, Trauma, and Memory in Asia: Toward a Comparative and Dialogical Approach.' *Global Asia Seminar Series*, Nanyang Technological University, 4 September 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Making Our Modern Past', Speech by Guest of Honour, Book Launch, *Our Modern Past: A Visual Survey of Singapore Architecture 1920s-1970s* by Ho Weng Hin, Dinesh Naidu, Tan Kar Lin and photography by Jeremy San, in conjunction with the Exhibition Opening of Moderns In Our Midst: A Photographic Tribute to Singapore's Modern Architectural Heritage, Singapore Heritage Society, 17 April 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'The Future of Education.' *SG50KITAx Future Envisioning/Thinking Series: Sensing 2065*, Costa Sands, Singapore, 14 March 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Values Change.' *Singapore Dreaming Conference 6 – 7 February 2015*, Asian Urban Lab and Theatreworks, Theatreworks, Singapore, 7 February 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, Panel Discussion on 'Freedom to Express vs Right to Retaliate', DebateIQ, Singapore, 16 January 2015.

Kwok Kian Woon, "'Science" or "Scientism"?: Values and Vocation in Our Scholarly Work.' *NTU World of Wisdom*, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 18 October 2014.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Contestations of Memory in Southeast Asia.' Co-presentation with Roxana Waterson at the Singapore Biennale 2013 Talk Series, Singapore, 23 November 2013.

Kwok Kian Woon, Panel Discussion at the Forum on Indicators of Racial and Religious Harmony, Institute of Policy Studies and OnePeople.sg, Singapore, 11 September 2013.

Kwok Kian Woon, Panelist, 'Let's Talk! Sustainability in the Arts? Get Real!', National Arts Council, Singapore, 24 July 2013.

- Kwok Kian Woon, Panel Discussion at the Plenary Session of the Art and Music Education Conference, Ministry of Education, Singapore, 29 July 2011.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘Educating for Knowledge or Wisdom?’ Presentation at 1<sup>st</sup> KI Symposium: One World, Two Views, Ministry of Education (Curriculum Planning & Development Division), Singapore, 1 November 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘Roles of Civil Society in Enhancing a Community of Caring Society.’ Presentation at Seminar on Building ASEAN + 3 Community by Strengthening the Roles of Civil Society, National Economic and Social Advisory Council (NESAC), and supported by Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Thailand, Bangkok, Thailand, 20 September 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘Social Memory: Remembering, Recollecting and also Reinterpreting?’ Presentation at seminar on Collective Memory-Capturing the Past and Preserving it for the Future, National Archives of Singapore, Singapore, 6 September 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘What Does it Mean to be Wise?’ Presentation at Educating for Wisdom Conference, News for Kids, Singapore, 4 September 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Speaker, ‘Singapore and the Challenges of Globalisation and Multiculturalism’, National Library, Singapore, 7 January 2006.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Commentary on Papers in Session 3A: ‘Chinese Social and Intellectual Movements.’ Symposium on ‘Paths Not Taken: Political Pluralism in Postwar Singapore’, Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore & Centre for Social Change Research, Queensland University of Technology, 14 – 15 July 2005.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Speaker, Bilingual Cultural Forum on ‘Art Museums & Contemporary Culture: What is at Stake?’, Singapore Art Museum, Lianhe Zaobao, and School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 13 March 2005.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Panel Member, Live Radio Forum: Campus on NewsRadio 938 – ‘Schools Could Do More to Prepare Students for Life’, Singapore, 11 March 2005.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Commentary on Professor Hsiung Ping-Chen’s presentation at “I Forget, Therefore I Am: Suggestions for the Therapy of Terminal Amnesia”, The Tangent and Singapore Art Museum, 21 August 2004. Published in *Tangent* 5 (1) 2005: 16-21.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘Why Does “Identity” Matter at all?: Reflections on “Peranakan”, “Chinese”, and Other Identities’, The Peranakan Association, Singapore, 23 April 2004.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘The Chinese in Singapore: The Disinterested Lot?’ Presentation at seminar on ‘Appreciating Ethnic Differences: Are We There Yet?’, Young Sikh Association (Singapore), Singapore, 20 March 2004.
- Kwok Kian Woon, ‘Public Space and New Politics’ Presentation at ‘Singapore Forum on Politics 2003,’ Department of Political Science, National University of Singapore, Singapore, 13 December 2003.
- Kwok Kian Woon, Panel Discussion on ‘ASEAN Cultural Values: Are they a Key Shaping Force in the Region’s Modernization?’ at the seminar “ASEAN Values and their Relevance to the Modern World”, The PR Academy and AMIC, Singapore, 12 November 2003.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Post-September 11 Currents.' Presentation at Young Singaporeans Conference, Institute of Policy Studies. (Session I "Currents in International Affairs: Singapore's Response and Image Abroad"), Singapore, 8 November 2002.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Memory and Identity in Singapore.' Paper presented at seminar "Memory and Identity", Gifted Education Branch, Ministry of Education and Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, National University of Singapore, National University of Singapore, Singapore, 20 September 1997.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Women and Development in Singapore: An Overview.' Paper presented at "Women and Development", Singapore Council of Women's Organizations in preparation for its participation at the Fourth United Nations Conference on Women in Beijing, National Council of Social Services, Singapore, 24 June 1995.

Kwok Kian Woon, 'Reflections on Modernization and Traditional Media Forms in Singapore.' Paper presented at ASEAN Cultural Traditional Media Festival, ASEAN Committee on Culture and Information, Surakarta, Indonesia, 6 – 11 August 1995.

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

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1. **University Senate**, Chair (Elected), First Senate, Aug 2008 – Oct 2010

2. **University Committees**

### **Standing Committees:**

- Provost and Deans' Group (PDG), 1 Jul 2011 – Present
- Alumni & Development Committee, Ex-Officio, 1 Jul 2011 – Present
- Policy Review Committee, Member, 1 Jul 2011 – Present
- Risk Review Committee, Member, May 2014 – Present
- University Health Services Board, Member, 1 Jan 2014 – 31 Dec 2015
- Campus Life Committee, Member, Jul 2012 – Present

### **Committees Chaired by Associate Provost (Student Life):**

- Network for Student Life Matters, Oct 2014 – Present
- Senior Middle (SM) Co-ordination Committee, May 2014 – Present
- Disability Services Advisory Group, Mar 2014 – Present
- Celebrate NTU Working Committee, Dec 2012 – Present
- Hall Delegacy, 1 Jul 2011 – Present
- Hall Fellows Selection Board, 1 Jul 2011 – Present
- Undergraduate Orientation Coordinating Committee (UOCC), Chair, Jul 2012 – Present
- NTU Museum Committee, Chair, Sep 2008 – Present

### **Ad Hoc Committees:**

- NTU Sub-Committees for the 18th ASEAN University Games 2016, Chair, 4 Jun 2015 – 31 Dec 2016
- NTU SG50 Organising Committee, Member, Oct 2014 – Dec 2015
- Quality Assurance for University (QAFU) Executive Committee, Member, Apr 2014 – Dec 2015
- Independent Committee of Investigation, Member, Mar – May 2013

- ASEAN University Network Thematic Network for University Social Responsibility & Sustainability (AUN USR&S) Steering Committee, Member, Sep 2012 – Present

### **3. Ministry of Education (MOE) Committees**

National Integration Working Group for Schools (NIWG-S), Member, 3 April 2012 – Present

Community Engagement Programme, NTU CEP Lead, 1 Jul 2011 – Present

MOE National Education Committee, Member, 1 July 2011 - Present

Inter-Autonomous Universities Work Group on Social Integration, Member, 29 Mar 2010 – Present

### **4. Centre, College, & School Committees**

Centre for Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS), Management Committee, Member, 2006 – Apr 2010

Centre for Asian Art and Design (CAAD), Advisory Committee, Member, Jan 2011 – 31 Dec 2012

Chinese Heritage Centre, Faculty Advisory Committee, Member, 1 Jun 2014 – 31 May 2016

Centre for Contemporary Art Governing Council, Member, 1 Mar 2014 – 31 Mar 2017

HSS Management Committee, Member, Jan 2004 – Jun 2013

HSS Chair's Advisory Committee, Member, 2007 – 2011

HSS School Review Committee for Promotion and Tenure, Non-voting Member, 2007 – 2009

HSS School Reappointment Committee, Member, 2007 – 2009

College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences, Executive Committee, Member, 2007, 2008

Dean's Advisory Committee (DAC), Member, 2007, 2008

School Review Committee for Promotion and Tenure, Chair, 2007

#### **Search Committees:**

- Sociology (8 positions, 2007 – 2013)
- School of Art, Design and Media (Art History, Digital Film-making, Digital Animation, Product Design, Visual Communication, Drawing and Painting), External Member (2011)
- Wee Kim Wee School of Communication and Information (Journalism Studies), External Member (2010)
- Chinese (Head Search, 2007)
- History (1 position, 2007)
- Linguistics and Multilingual Studies (2 positions, 2007)

## **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND SERVICE**

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Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts, External Advisor, 1 May 2015 – 30 Apr 2017

SOJOURN, Journal of Social Issues in Southeast Asia, International Advisory Committee, Member, 2014 – Present

National Population and Talent Division, Research Advisory Panel, Member, Sep 2014 – Jul 2016

Institute of Policy Studies, National University of Singapore, Institute of Policy Studies Academic Panel, Member, 1 Dec 2009 – Present

Editorial Committee for The Reader on Singaporean Contemporary Art, LASALLE College of the Arts, Member, Apr – Dec 2013

Australian National University, Degree of Doctor of Philosophy, External Examiner, Aug 2009 and Nov 2010

Singapore Management University (SMU), Faculty Mid-Term Review, External Reviewer, March 2010

Institute of Mental Health, Visiting Scientist, 1 Jul 2007 – 30 Jun 2008

American Sociological Association (ASA), Member, Aug 2005 – Present

The Encyclopedia of Singapore, Editorial Advisory Board, Member, Nov 2005 – Jul 2006

National Mental Health Sub-Committee on Research, Member, 1 Dec 2005 – 30 Apr 2006

National Mental Health Policy and Blueprint for Singapore, Member, 2005

National University of Singapore, External examiner for MA Thesis in Sociology, 2003

Technopreneurship 21 Private Sector Committee (Appointed by DPM Tony Tan and chaired by Mr Sim Wong Hoo), Member, 2000 – 2001

## **PUBLIC SERVICE**

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### **1. National Heritage Board**

Asian Civilisations Museum (ACM) Advisory Board, Member, 1 Jan 2016 – 31 Dec 2017

National Collection Advisory Panel (NCAP), Member, 1 Sep 2013 – 31 Dec 2017

Heritage Advisory Panel, Deputy Chairman, 31 Mar 2015 – 31 Mar 2017

National Heritage Fund Management Committee, Member, 1 Aug 2007 – 31 Jul 2009

National Heritage Board, Member, 1 Aug 2007 – 31 Jul 2009

Singapore Art Museum Board, Member, Aug 2005 – 31 Jul 2009

## **2. National Arts Council**

National Arts Council, Board Member, 1 Sep 2013 – 31 Aug 2017

Arts Advisory Panel, Member, 2010 – Present (Reappointment: 1 Apr 2014 – 31 Mar 2016)

National Arts Council, Resource Panelist, 1999 – Present

Singapore Biennale 2006 Steering Committee, Co-Chairman, 2005 – 2006

## **3. National Library Board**

Memories of Old Fort Factory Advisory Committee, National Library Board, Member, 1 Nov 2015 – 28 Feb 2017

National Archives of Singapore, Honorary Chairman, since 7 Apr 2006 (Lifetime appointment)

National Archives Board, Chairman, Aug 1999 - 31 Jul 2005

## **4. Ministry of Information, Communications & the Arts (MICA)**

Steering Committee, National Art Gallery, Museological Development Advisory, Chairman, 17 Nov 2005 – 31 May 2011

Steering Committee, National Art Gallery Implementation, Member, 28 Sep 2005 – 31 May 2011

Advisory Committee for Chinese Programmes (ACCESS), Member, 2002 – 2006

## **5. Civil Society and Arts Community**

Temenggong Artists-in-Residence Ltd, Board Member, Jul 2014 – Present

Intercultural Theatre Institute, Board Member, Jun 2010 – Present

Singapore Heritage Society, Member, 1995 – Present; President 1997 – 2001

Practice Performing Arts Centre Ltd, Board of Management, Member, 2005 – 2007; Chairman 2000 – 2004

## **6. Public Discussions (Invited as Chair)**

Singapore Writers Festival 2015: Island of Dreams, ‘Working around Censorship’, National Arts Council, 8 Nov 2015.

IPS Post-Election Conference, ‘GE2015: Media Use and Its Impact’, Institute of Policy Studies, National University of Singapore, 4 Nov 2015.

Conference on Singapore Studies from the Outside, Panel 4: ‘Singapore’s Constitutional Modernism: Space, Community and Practice’ and ‘The Singapore Grip: Asian Values and Political Theory’, Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore, 9 Oct 2015.

Singapore Writers Festival 2014, 'Why I Publish', National Arts Council, 2 Nov 2014.

'Controversial History Education in Asian Contexts – A Discussion', Singapore Heritage Society and National Library Board, 3 Dec 2013.

Singapore Writers Festival 2013: Utopia/Dystopia, Professor AC Grayling's lecture, 'A Good Life in a Bad World', National Arts Council, 2 Nov 2013.

Singapore Writers Festival 2013, 'The Writer in a Country's Intellectual Life', National Arts Council, 2 Nov 2013.

Cultural Medallion Speaker Series: 'Defining our Artistic Canon – What Makes Art Singaporean', National Arts Council, 4 Nov 2012.

University Museums & Collections (UMAC) Conference: 'Encountering Limits: The University Museum', Day 1 Session 2, 'Practices: Teaching Experimentation & the Exhibitionary', National University of Singapore Museum, 10 Oct 2012.

Sites of Practice: 'Here & Elsewhere – Artists' Dialogues on Performance Art', Embassy of Philippines, National University of Singapore Museum and the Philippine Art Trek, 4 Nov 2011.

Symposium on 'Law, Institutions, and Governance' (Session I, Day 2), Humanities and Social Sciences Research Centre, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, NTU, 6 – 7 Aug 2007.

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