

Special Panel - Sanskrit Studies in Thailand

Saturday 5 September: Morning

room III

Chair:

- 9:15 - 9:45 Samniang Leurmsai: Aśvaghōṣa's world of simile as reflected in *Saundarananda* and *Buddhacarita*
- 9:45 - 10:15 Amarjiva Lochan: Scientific knowledge of water in ancient India as reflected in the Sanskrit literature
- 10:15 - 10:45 Chirapat Prapandvidya: Vajrayāna Buddhism in Early Thailand from 8th to 13th Century CE as evidenced by inscriptions and archaeological artefacts