

HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS IN CAMBODIA: A CALL FOR SUPPORT



IN 2014, HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS IN CAMBODIA CONTINUE TO BE THE TARGET OF INTIMIDATION, ARBITRARY ARRESTS AND SPURIOUS CRIMINAL CHARGES, PARTICULARLY WHEN THEIR ACTIVISM RELATES TO LAND AND LABOUR RIGHTS. THIS SIDE EVENT WILL PRESENT THE PERSPECTIVE AND OUTLOOK OF HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS WITH A VIEW TO EXPLORE WAYS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY TO SUPPORT THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS IN CAMBODIA. DURING THE SIDE EVENT THE DOCUMENTARY "THE RIGHTS OF OTHERS" WILL BE SCREENED.

PANELISTS

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