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Documentation Center of Cambodia
Calendar of Events: March-May 2009

Date/Location	Event	Partners	Media Coverage	Description of Event/Project
MARCH				
February-April: Los Angeles, California, USA.	A three month internship for core members of DC-Cam's film team.	Shoah Foundation Institute, University of Southern California	VOA	Three members of DC-Cam film team will receive training in filming techniques provide by the Shoah Foundation Institute at the University of Southern California. These three members will also have the opportunity to share their experience of interviewing genocide victims with members of the foundation.
March 2-5: Takeo March 9-12: Kampot March 16-19: Kandal March 23-26: Kandal	Training for community leaders and mental health education for villagers	Community leaders and villagers	Reasmei Kampuchea	VOT staff members and mental health experts travel to the countryside to train community leaders and educate local villagers about mental health.
March 2-6: various provinces	Deliver acknowledgement letters from the ECCC's Victim's Unit and Office of the Co-Prosecutors to villagers who filed complaints and a civil party suit to these offices	Villagers who filed complaints against Khmer Rouge atrocities and filed civil party suits through DC-Cam to the ECCC	Tentative	VPA staff will visit complainants and civil party applicants to deliver their acknowledgement letters from the ECCC offices. While there, the VPA will work with villagers on the following issues: missing information, protective measures, legal representation, and consent to historical research. The team will also assist other villagers in filing complaints to the ECCC.
March 3-6: Svay Rieng	Film screening and subsequent discussion. Distribution of DC-Cam's magazine, <i>Searching for the Truth</i> .	Villagers and sub-district offices	DC-Cam's Film Team	PIR team will screen Khmer Rouge related documentary films and hold discussions with villagers. The team will also update villagers about the latest ECCC developments (part of the discussion topic).

March 4-6: Kampong Chhnang March 10-20: Prey Veng	Village forum in several villages regarding the Khmer Rouge tribunal.	Villagers and sub-district offices	DC-Cam's Film Team	Living Documents team travels villagers whose members attended the court hearings to hold forums. Forum participants include those who attended the trial and other villagers in the community. The topics discuss include their experiences at the trial, trial updates, tribunal developments, and reactions.
March 16-20: Takeo	Local tour of mass graves and killing sites	Local high school students, teachers, and local officials	Reasmei Kampuchea and RFA	The Student Outreach team will organize and implement a local tour of the province's mass grave and other important sites related to the genocide for local high schools students and their teachers. These are sites that have been documented by DC-Cam in the past.
March 7-8: Takeo March 10-11: Kandal	Local tour of mass graves, and performance of the play, " <i>Breaking the Silence</i> "	Theatre teachers at the Secondary School of Fine Arts, Amrita Performing Arts, Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts, and local villagers	Reasmei Kampuchea and RFA	The play "Breaking the Silence" is about seven stories of relationships between Khmer Rouge survivors, both victims and perpetrators. The play is performed by four theatre arts teachers. The performance will take place in two provinces. While there, the Outreach team will also organize local tours of documented mass graves sites and other important genocide sites.
March 29-31: Phnom Penh	Tour of important genocide related sites in the capitol including the ECCC courtroom and the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum	US Peace Corps volunteers, local high school students from Kampot, Kampong Cham, Battambang, and Siem Reap provinces	Tentative	Working with US Peace Corps volunteers, the Student Outreach team will bring together a group of high school students from four provinces for a tour of the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, Choeung Ek Genocide Memorial Center, the ECCC courtroom, meet with members of Parliament, and visit the Royal Palace in Phnom Penh.
APRIL				
April 6-9: Kandal April 20-23: Takeo April 27-30: Kampot	Identify and interview trauma victims.	Villagers and community leaders	Tentative	After conducting mental health education the previous month, VOT staff members and mental health experts will identify and interview new trauma victims.

April 6-9: Kratie	Film screening and subsequent discussion. Distribution of DC-Cam's magazine, <i>Searching for the Truth</i> .	Villagers and sub-district offices	DC-Cam's Film Team	PIR team will screen Khmer Rouge related documentary films and hold discussions with villagers. The team will also update villagers about the latest ECCC developments (part of the discussion topic).
April 6-10: Various provinces	Deliver acknowledgement letters from the ECCC's Victim's Unit and Office of the Co-Prosecutors to villagers who filed complaints and a civil party suit to these offices	Villagers who filed complaints against Khmer Rouge atrocities and filed civil party suits through DC-Cam to the ECCC	Tentative	VPA staff will visit complainants and civil party applicants to deliver their acknowledgement letters from the ECCC offices. While there, the VPA will work with villagers on the following issues: missing information, protective measures, legal representation, and consent to historical research. The team will also assist other villagers in filing complaints to the ECCC.
April 14-24: Phnom Penh	▪ Daryn Reicherter, MD, provides training at DC-Cam	Members of other NGOs	No	Dr. Reicherter will provide training to DC-Cam staff and other NGO staff regarding mental health education and interviewing trauma victims.
April 20-30: Prey Veng	Local tour of mass graves and killing sites	Local high school students, teachers, and local officials	Reasmei Kampuchea	The Student Outreach team will organize and implement a local tour of the province's mass grave and other important sites related to the genocide for local high schools students and their teachers. These are sites that have been documented by DC-Cam in the past.
April: Phnom Penh (the exact date depends on when the trials take place)	Attend Duch's (the leader of S-21) trial hearing	Villagers and sub-district officials	DC-Cam's Film Team	Living Documents team will bring a select group of villagers (those who participated in the previous month's village forums) to Phnom Penh to attend the trial of Duch (Kang Keuk Eav), the leader of the notorious S-21 where at least 15,000 were imprisoned and tortured. The villagers will sit in the 600-seat courtroom and observe the trials proceedings.
MAY				
May 4-7: Kandal May 18-21: Takeo May 25-28: Kampot	Conduct follow-up interviews with trauma patients	Villagers and community leaders	Tentative	After VOT staff members and mental health experts interviewed trauma patients in the prior month, follow-up

				interviews will be conducted for assessment purposes.
May 4-8: Various provinces	Deliver acknowledgement letters from the ECCC's Victim's Unit and Office of the Co-Prosecutors to villagers who filed complaints and a civil party suit to these offices	Villagers who filed complaints against Khmer Rouge atrocities and filed civil party suits through DC-Cam to the ECCC	Tentative	VPA staff will visit complainants and civil party applicants to deliver their acknowledgement letters from the ECCC offices. While there, the VPA will work with villagers on the following issues: missing information, protective measures, legal representation, and consent to historical research. The team will also assist other villagers in filing complaints to the ECCC.
May 25-28: Kampong Thom	Film screening and subsequent discussion. Distribution of DC-Cam's magazine, <i>Searching for the Truth</i> .	Villagers and sub-district offices	DC-Cam's Film Team	PIR team will screen Khmer Rouge related documentary films and hold discussions with villagers. The team will also update villagers about the latest ECCC developments (part of the discussion topic).

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