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Universal Studios Singapore Reveals First Look Inside *Curse of the Naga* and *The Chalet Hauntings* Haunted Houses at Halloween Horror Nights 9



(Left) The elaborately adorned temple in *Curse of the Naga*, inhabited by the nefarious Serpentine Spirit herself. (Right) The bloodthirsty Langsuir awaits anyone unfortunate enough to venture into *The Chalet Hauntings*. PHOTO CREDITS: RESORTS WORLD SENTOSA.

SINGAPORE, 6 September 2019 – Universal Studios Singapore at Resorts World Sentosa today unveils first look images from two key Asian-inspired haunted houses set to raise the horror meter at Universal Studios Singapore’s Halloween Horror Nights 9: *Curse of the Naga* and *The Chalet Hauntings*.

From 27 September, fans will get to experience firsthand the terrors of the Serpentine Spirit in *Curse of the Naga*, an original haunted house from the directors of blockbuster Thai horror films *Shutter* and *4bia*. They can also expect spine-chilling encounters with their darkest fears – from the Langsuir to the Toyol – in *The Chalet Hauntings* which will feature the most extensive collection of Southeast Asian ghosts in a single house.

Drawing inspiration from Asian folklore and mythology, both haunted houses feature a combination of elaborate and authentic set designs, stunning special effects and original characters – all of which have been created to immerse guests in eerily-authentic environments.

***Curse of the Naga* – the Brainchild of Thai Masters of Horror**



Based on a man-versus-nature narrative, *Curse of the Naga* breathes life into the collective vision of Thai director duo Parkpoom Wongpoom and Gunn Purijitpanya, and the creative minds from Universal Studios Singapore. Conceptualised since December 2018, this haunted house marks the event's first-ever regional collaboration in the creation of an original haunted house, and promises to raise the horror meter for fans.

Curse of the Naga charts the journey of a foreigner who incurs the wrath of the malevolent Naga spirit and has to find a way to escape her clutches. Unfortunately, the path is paved with obstacles and dramatic environments, from bashing through dense undergrowth, to passing through an abandoned village, and navigating a labyrinth-filled house. Along the way, guests will come face to face with a plethora of original characters, including the iconic Serpentine Spirit who is covered in snake scales from head to toe and adorned with traditional brass fingernail extensions.

***The Chalet Hauntings* to Feature the Most Extensive Collection of Southeast Asian Ghosts in a Single House**



Singaporeans can relive some of their most commonly shared experiences of paranormal sightings when they visit *The Chalet Hauntings*, presented by Official Partner [Traveloka](#). Guests will put themselves in the shoes of a curious trespasser setting foot into a chalet that is off-limits, investigating the rumour that five teenagers have disappeared into the darkness. The possessed chalet will bring to life the most extensive collection of Southeast Asian iconic ghosts in a single house – a first in the history of Universal Studios Singapore’s Halloween Horror Nights. As brave fans navigate their way through the haunted corridors, dark living rooms and an ominous bathroom, expect to encounter the demonic Toyol, evil Hantu Galah, demented Pocong, beastly Hantu Raya, alongside the bloodthirsty Langsuir – the female terror that attacks her prey with sharp fingernails and rips them to shreds, only stopping after she has quenched her thirst for blood. The haunted house incorporates illusions, animatronics and special effects that will trigger all five senses, raising fears and anxieties and testing one’s limits along the way.

Leading Southeast Asia online travel company, [Traveloka](#), is the Official Partner for *The Chalet Hauntings*. Guests who have purchased Universal Studios Singapore’s Halloween Horror Nights tickets via the Traveloka app/website will enjoy priority entry into the theme park during event nights. In addition, Traveloka customers can also enjoy other on-the-spot benefits such as special edition Halloween Horror Nights souvenirs, or take part in exciting games and win prizes at Traveloka booths in the theme park. Traveloka offers customer service support around the clock, and comes equipped with six language options to facilitate and take care of any problems users may encounter. More information can be found on Traveloka app or at www.traveloka.com

Universal Studios Singapore’s Halloween Horror Nights 9 will run from 27 September till 31 October. Featuring all-new frights across 16 event nights, fans can experience five haunted houses, two scare zones and two killer shows. More information on the event can be found at www.halloweenhorrornights.com.sg

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