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Wu Yifang

Folklorist
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"Silver Butterflies:
Displaying Miao (Hmong)
Folklife in China"

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Wednesday. Oct. 25th, 2006
University Hall 014
3:30pm

Wu Yifang, the daughter of a Miao scholar and epic singer, Jin Dan, will present a multimedia lecture on Miao (Hmong) heritage and perform a short segment of a Miao antiphonal epic, recently translated by Professor Mark Bender. The Miao, a large ethnic minority group in China, hold strong traditions of folk song and story, folk dance, and a material culture which includes weaving and silverwork. Everyone is welcome to this exciting presentation which will enhance our understanding of diversity in China.