Lecture by Dr. Francoise Pommaret: 
A fascinating and little-known part of Bhutan, Ngangla Trong on the southern edge of Bhutan (Zhemgang district)

Date: July 5, 2012  
Time: 19.00 – 20.30  
Venue: Pädagogische Hochschule Zürich, Sihlhof, Lagerstrasse 5, Zürich (Room LAD 019)

A cultural study was carried out in March 2012 by a team from The Institute of Language & Culture Studies (ILCS) of the Royal University of Bhutan, headed by Dr. Francoise Pommaret, on behalf of Helvetas and the EU in the framework of a LCD (“Leveraging the cultural diversity”) project.

ILCS’s mission was to document the community life and culture of this remote place.

This lecture will present the most striking and unique cultural features of this remote community in its environment (landscapes, jungles, bamboo houses, food, religious life, crafts) as well as the challenges it faces today.

The lecture will be illustrated with photos of team member Yannick Jooris and a 26’ film.

Bhutan map with Ngangla Trong location: