Upcoming Event: Grad Forum - Dissertation Writing

Join CIS/EASC/KSI at the next Graduate Student Professionalization workshop on Monday, February 27. The theme of this presentation will be Dissertation Writing and it will feature Prof. Brett Sheehan, Director of East Asian Studies Center. This workshop is designed to provide USC graduate students with essential tools to help them in their Dissertation Writing process. All USC graduate students are welcome.

Monday | February 27 | 12:00-1:30 PM | SOS B40 | RSVP
Global East Asia Application Deadline

EASC is accepting applications for the Summer 2017 Global East Asia Problems without Passports program. Undergraduate students from any USC major are welcome to apply. Global East Asia is a 4-week summer research-driven study abroad course. Scholars conduct research projects while traveling in China and Japan. The deadline to apply is Wednesday, March 1, 2017 at 5:00 PM.

Global East Asia China - Brett Sheehan, Professor of History
Global Consumer Culture and China

Global East Asia Japan - Lon Kurashige, Professor of History
Foreigner and Gaijin: International Understanding in a Global Age

For more information about the program, application, and available funding, please watch the video of last week's Global East Asia Info Session or contact us! VIDEO

Event Wrap: Interdisciplinary Symposium on East Asian Business - Digital East Asia

Scholars from USC, Hong Kong and Singapore met at the first annual Interdisciplinary Symposium on East Asian Business last Friday. The
presentations addressed the question of Digital East Asia focusing on "Emerging Trends in Public Policy and Regulation." This event was co-sponsored by the Center for International Studies at USC Dornsife, Center on Public Diplomacy at USC Annenberg, International Initiatives at USC Sol Price School of Public Policy and IBEAR at USC Marshall School of Business.  

PHOTOS

Upcoming Opportunities

2017 Leadership in Action
Leadership in Action (LIA) is an eight-week, paid summer internship program. LIA provides an opportunity for students to work in the Asian Pacific Islander (API) community and gain leadership and workforces development training. For more information or to apply, please visit www.leap.org/empower_lia.

Bridging Cultures Initiative 2017
Bridging Cultures offers American secondary school teachers the opportunity to establish relationships with international teachers that will stimulate partnerships and coordinated activities in their classrooms. The program consists of an intense collaboration between participating American teachers and 20 visiting internationals secondary educators from the Global Institute for Secondary Educators. For more information or to apply, please visit http://www.afrst.illinois.edu/outreach/cultures/.

Fictions of History: An Interdisciplinary Conference on Critical Theory
The Critical Theory Certificate Program at the Graduate Center of the City University of New York in conjunction with the Center for the Humanities and the New York Public Library presents the sixth annual interdisciplinary conference on Critical Theory to be held May 5th-6th, 2017. This year’s conference will be devoted to a theory of historio-poetics, the confluence of fiction and history. For more information or to submit an abstract, please email fictionsofhistoryconference@gmail.com.  
**Abstracts Due: Wednesday, March 1, 2017**

MEI Chinese Summer Language Program
Massachusetts Education International, in partnership with Salem State University, is offering a 5-week Chinese language program for high school students and university undergraduate students interested in an intensive Chinese language program. The program will take place in Chengdu, China. USC students who use the code MM50 will receive $50 off of the registration fee. For more information, please visit the website.

NESE Language Immersion Program at NYU Shanghai
NYU Shanghai Chinese Language Program is a 9-week summer program that enables students to learn two semesters of material and to earn eight NYU Shanghai credits. This language program allows students
to have first-hand experience in using Chinese in real world situations as well as studying and practicing it in the classroom. For more information or to apply, visit shanghai.nyu.edu/immersion.

**Application Deadline: Wednesday, March 1, 2017**

Unpaid Internship Opportunity at Wong MNC Center
The Mr. & Mrs. S.H. Wong Center for the Study of Multinational Corporations, a California-based non-profit organization dedicated to advancing knowledge about the politico-economy of multinational corporations (MNCs) in/from East Asia, seeks motivated and responsible interns to assist with various Wong MNC Center daily operations. For more information or to apply, please see the attached flyer.

**Events Around USC & LA**

**KSI Book Proposal Workshop**
Monday | February 13 | 3:00-5:00 PM | AHN 100

**Waste Reduction in Taiwan: Music, Love, and the Great Garbage Assemblage - Nancy Guy**
Monday | February 13 | 4:00-5:30 PM | UCLA

**Asia Pacific American Heritage Festival Extravaganza**
Tuesday | February 14 | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM | Tommy Trojan

**Artist Talk - Takahashi Hiroko**
Tuesday | February 14 | 3:45-5:00 PM | Otis College of Art and Design

**Behind Bayonets and Barbed Wire Screening**
Thursday | February 16 | 4:00-6:15 PM | ASC 204

**5th Annual Korean Studies Undergraduate Research Exchange**
Saturday | February 18 | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM | AHN 100

**Hapa Japan Festival**
Wednesday-Sunday | February 22-26 | JANM & USC

Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?
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For more news and information about the USC East Asian Studies Center visit usc.edu/easc