FRIday, OcTober 4

9:00 - Welcome & Introduction

I 9:15-10:30 - Religion

Discussants: Mark Peterson (BYU) and Duncan Williams (USC)

1. Maya Stiller (U of Kansas), “Kumgangsan: Regional Practice and Religious Pluralism in Pre-Modern Korea”
2. Paul Cha (Samford), “United through Separation: Articulating a Place for ‘Korean’ Christianity, 1884-1942”

II 10:45-12:00 - Protest Culture

Discussants: Namhee Lee (UCLA) and Jeffrey Wasserstrom (UCI)

1. Sun-chul Kim (Emory), “Self-immolation and the Culture of Protest in South Korea”

12:00-1:30 - Lunch

III 1:30-2:45 - Roundtable on Publishing

Nancy Abelmann (Korea Journal Editorial Advisory Board); David Kang (USC KSI Director); Jeffrey Wasserstrom (editor, Journal of Asian Studies)

IV 3:00-4:15 - Transnational Cultural Flows

Discussants: Ted Hughes (Columbia) and Tim Tangherlini (UCLA)

5. Eun-Young Jung (UCSD), “Polarized Responses to Korean Pop Culture in Japan: Hanryu and Anti-Hanryu”

5:00 - Reception & Dinner | Ahn House (USC Korean Studies Institute)
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V 9:00-10:15 – Late Chosŏn
Discussants: John Duncan (UCLA) and Ross King (UBC)
2. Franklin Rausch (Lander), “Executing Heaven’s Will: An Chunggun, Religion, Violence, and Empire in Late Chosŏn Korea”
3. Sonja M. Kim (Binghamton), “Moralizing Health in Late Chŏson Korea”

VI 10:30-11:45 – Social Science
Discussants: Nancy Abelmann (U of Illinois) and David Kang (USC)
7. Saeyoung Park (Davidson), “One Mind, One People under Nicotine: Patriotic Smoking in North-South Korea Relations”

VII 12:00-1:00 – Working Lunch | Roundtable on Work-life Balance
Nancy Abelmann and David Kang

6:00 – Informal Dinner for Participants