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2013 Kambun Workshop on Late Medieval Materials
July 15 – August 9, 2013

The Project for Premodern Japan Studies in the History Department of the University of Southern California announces this summer’s Kambun Workshop, which will focus on the reading and translation of late medieval materials. We are pleased that Professor Noriko Kurushima and Professor Shin’ichiro Takahashi, both of the University of Tokyo Historiographical Institute (Shiryō Hensanjo), will co-lead the workshop with Professor Joan Piggott of the USC History Department. The primary language of the workshop will be Japanese, but translation into English will also be emphasized. Morning and afternoon sessions will be held Monday through Friday from July 15 to August 9 in the USC East Asia Library Seminar Room. Participants must be fluent in Japanese, and they must have completed basic coursework in classical Japanese and either classical Chinese or Kambun. The cost of the workshop, including lodging in apartments conveniently located on the USC campus, is $5000. Applications can be downloaded from the Project for Premodern Japan Studies website at http://dornsife.usc.edu/ppjs/kambun-workshop/. Applications are due March 15, 2013, and registration deposits are due at that time.

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