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[2015 East Asia Career Panel](#)

Please join us for the third annual East Asia Career Panel, organized by EASC as part of the [USC Career Fest 2015](#). Come learn about different career options from our impressive alumni panelists coming from cinematic visual effects, international trade, international academic admissions, and marketing and communications. The panel will be followed by a Q&A and networking opportunity. **All students are welcome.**

A video of last year's panel can be found [here](#).

Panelists:

Amy Duan - Co-founder and CEO, Chihuo Inc.

Daniel Jia - International Trade Analyst, Edwards Lifesciences Corporation

Matthew Steidl - VFX Coordinator, Encore Hollywood

Adam Wu - Director of International Admissions, University of La Verne

WEDNESDAY | JANUARY 28 | 6:00 - 8:00 PM | STU B3 [RSVP](#)



Event Wrap: [Korean Shaman Performance and Screening](#)

There was a full house at the Friday screening of the film *Manshin: Ten Thousand Spirits* at the Ray Stark Theatre on campus. The screening was immediately followed by a Q&A session with the Korean Shaman Kim Keum-hwa, on whose life the film was based. The Q&A was moderated by Pacific Asia Museum Director Christina Yu Yu in front of over 200 audience members.

The Sunday performance by Ms. Kim also completely filled the Pacific Asia Museum courtyard with more than 100 people who enjoyed this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to see her perform live. In addition to the shamanic performance, Ms. Kim has generously loaned artifacts from her performances, which are on view in the museum's permanent Gallery of Korean Art.



Upcoming Event: Ideas of Asia in the Museum-An International Symposium

This event will bring together a group of distinguished scholars and museum curators to examine the collecting and display of Asian art in relation to different conceptualizations of Asia that gained currency in the cultural and geopolitical milieu of the modern world. The dual focus allows for in-depth discussions of how ideas of Asia have contributed to the formation of specific museum collections and, conversely, how museums have helped generate new ideas about the region in the public domain through exhibition, education, and research.

FRI-SAT | JANUARY 23-24 | USC & LACMA [EVENT POSTER](#)



Upcoming Event: EASC Grad Forums

Public Speaking for Non-Native Speakers

Saori Katada, Associate Professor of International Relations, and **Meiling Cheng**, Associate Professor of Theatre/Critical Studies and English, will lead a workshop on professional public speaking for graduate students who are non-native speakers of English. Good public speaking skills are important for a career in academia, and non-native English speakers often face unique challenges when giving presentations. This talk will address these issues and provide advice specifically to graduate students who are not native English speakers on how to present well in an academic setting.

MONDAY | JANUARY 26 | 12:00 - 1:30 PM | **THH 102* (New Location)**

Work-Life Balance and Time Management

It can sometimes seem as if professional success can only come at the price of personal sacrifice. Academia in particular has a set of unique dynamics and demands that can make it appear difficult to navigate both work and life. This seminar will introduce some basic time management and work-life balance skills that can help ameliorate those tensions. Priorities, publishing, tenure and beyond, and the issue of family and children are among the topics to be covered. This seminar will be presented by Prof. **David Kang**, EASC & KSI Director.

MONDAY | FEBRUARY 2 | 12:00 - 1:30 PM | Ahn House [RSVP](#)

Upcoming Application Deadline:

2015 Global East Asia as PwP

January 30, 2015

Fellowship Opportunity

[Mosaic Taiwan Fellowship](#), cultural exchange program sponsored by

the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of China (Taiwan)

Due Date: February 20

Employment Opportunity

International Education Research Foundation (IERF) is seeking an entry-level analyst to research and evaluate foreign academic credentials in terms of the U.S. educational system. The evaluator will also advise colleges and universities, state boards and related professionals on matters concerning international education. Training will be provided. [MORE INFO](#)

Learn and Practice Korean

[Korean Drama Club](#)

THURSDAYS | 3:30 - 4:50 PM | WPH 202

[Korean Reading Club](#)

THURSDAYS | 3:00 - 4:00 PM | DML 109C

Around USC & LA

["Uniting the World through Art" with 798 Arts District of Beijing](#)

TUE-SUN | JANUARY 20-25 | Downtown Los Angeles Arts District

[Restricting Driving for Better Traffic and Clearer Skies: Did It Work in Beijing?](#)

WEDNESDAY | JANUARY 21 | 12:00-1:30 PM | RGL 219

[KSI Special Lecture: Colonialist Historiography in Modern Korea by Professor Yun Haedong, Hanyang University](#)

THURSDAY | JANUARY 22 | 3:00 PM | AHN 100

[David Zweig - The Victors and the Vanquished in Hong Kong's Umbrella Movement](#)

THURSDAY | JANUARY 22 | 4:00 - 5:30 PM | SOS B40

[Macau Films Screening - *Roulette City*](#)

FRIDAY | JANUARY 23 | 5:00 - 8:00 PM | TCC 227

[Transpacific Re-Orientations: Religion, Spirituality and the Invisible Connections Between Asia and the Americas](#)

FRI-SAT | JANUARY 23-24 | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM | SOS B40

[Intercollegiate Taiwanese American Students Association \(ITASA\)](#)

[2015 West Coast Conference: "To Infinity & Beyond"](#)

THU-SUN | MARCH 5-8 | University of Southern California

Headlines

[Pacific Asia Museum: Signs of progress after first year under USC](#)
January 16, 2015

LA Time featured USC Pacific Asia Museum, which recently announced its first acquisition since joining USC and two public events.

[Jason Squire Turns in Masterful Work Overseas](#)

January 13, 2015

USC News featured USC Associate Professor of Cinematic Arts Jason

Squire, who was recently inducted as a Master of Entertainment Industry Studies at the DeTao Masters Academy in Shanghai.

[USC Price Signs Global Pact with Korea's Oldest Private University](#)
January 6, 2015

USC News detailed the newly established partnership between the USC Price School of Public Policy and Seoul's Yonsei University.

[BBC Radio 5 Live "Up All Night"](#)
January 3, 2015

USC Professor David Kang comments on the significance of US sanctions on North Korea following Sony hack.

Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

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