

# USC Dornsife *East Asian Studies Center*

eNewsletter

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*Puppy Playing with a Pheasant Feather*, Attributed to Yi Am, Korean, 1499 - 1566, Philadelphia Museum of Art

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## HAPPY LUNAR NEW YEAR!

The [East Asian Studies Center](#) would like to wish you a happy, kind and prosperous Year of the Dog! Check our [Upcoming Events](#) page for a complete list of the EASC events.

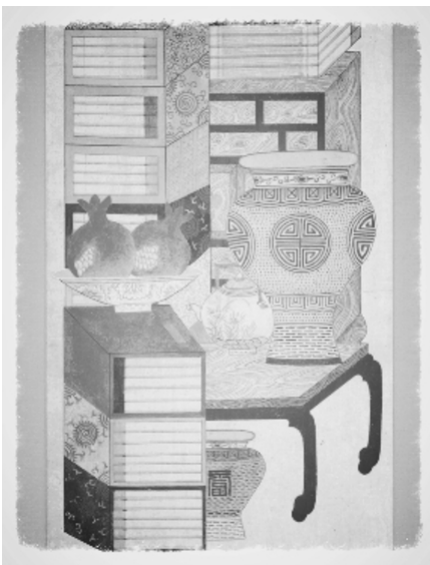
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## EVENT WRAP

### Space and Place

The second annual **Interdisciplinary Symposium on East Asian Business** took place last Friday. Scholars from China and across USC discussed a range of issues; from Japan's use of geothermal energy to waste incineration, informal housing markets, real estate and urban design in China, as well as government efforts to stem the migration into China's largest cities. Faculty from schools of architecture, business, engineering, history, international relations, public policy and NGOs participated in a lively discussion providing new insights to important discussions on energy and space. This symposium is co-sponsored by the **Center for International Studies**. Pictures from the event can be viewed [here](#).



## EVENT REMINDER

### Resources: Funding, Archives, Networks

**Mon, Feb 26, 2018 | 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM | SOS B40 | **RSVP****

The next workshop in the **Grad Professionalization Series** will be **Resources: Funding, Archives, Networks**. This session will be led by **Patrick James**, Professor of International Relations and **Sonya Lee**, Associate Professor of Art History, East Asian Languages & Cultures and Religion. Speakers will advise graduate students and provide tips on accessing archives, securing funding for research and developing academic and professional networks.

*The Grad Professionalization Series is sponsored and organized by the **Center for International Studies**, **East***

***Asian Studies Center**, and **Korean Studies Institute**.*

## EVENT REMINDER



## EASC Manuscript Review for Prof. Lori Meeks

Fri, Mar 2 | 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM | DML 110C | **RSVP** | **FLYER**

Leading scholars in the fields of Religious Studies and History will discuss a new book manuscript by **Lori Meeks**, Associate Professor of Religion, entitled *Bloody Hell: The Problem of Women's Salvation in Late Medieval and Early Modern Japan*. Discussants include **Barbara R. Ambros**, Professor of Religious Studies at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and **Amy Stanley**, Associate Professor of History at Northwestern University.

**Please RSVP by Friday, February 16 to allow for adequate time to read the manuscript.**

## Funding Opportunity

**Deadline: March 15, 2018**

The Korean Collections Consortium of North America (KCCNA) announces research travel grants for researchers and educators in Korean Studies. This grant program was created to assist Korean Studies students and scholars in their use of specialized library resources at the thirteen member universities of the KCCNA. Funded by the Korea Foundation, this annual program aims to promote scholarship in Korean Studies through the Consortium member libraries' resources. For inquiries, please contact Joy Kim at [kccnatravelgrant@umich.edu](mailto:kccnatravelgrant@umich.edu). Please visit [goo.gl/HUhpNY](http://goo.gl/HUhpNY) for additional information and how to apply.

## Job Opportunity

**AAS Executive Director | Ann Arbor, Michigan**

The Association for Asian Studies (AAS) seeks a new Executive Director (ED) to serve as the chief administrative officer of the Association beginning in the first months of 2019. The Executive Director manages the AAS Secretariat in Ann Arbor, Michigan; oversees the administrative and financial affairs of the Association; is responsible for the continuing smooth functioning of the Association; and shares with the Board of Directors the work of representing the Association to its members and to the public at large. All application materials should be sent to Michael Paschal @ [mpaschal@asian-studies.org](mailto:mpaschal@asian-studies.org) by 5 p.m. E.D.T. on 25 April 2018. Click [here](#) for details.

## Events Around USC & LA

**China and Mongolia Since 1990 - Talk by Morris Rossabi**

Monday | February 12 | 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm | ASC 207

**Displacement of Borders Among Russian Koreans in Northeast Asia - Talk by Hyun-gwi Park**

Tuesday | February 13 | 8:00am | UCI

**Chinggis' Descendants: Mongolia's Wild Ride, 1990-2017 – Lecture by Morris Rossabi**

Wednesday | February 14 | 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm | UCLA

**Screening: Neko Ninja**

Wednesday | February 14 | 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm | Japan Foundation

**Chinese New Year Midnight Temple Ceremony**

Thursday | February 15 | 8:00 am - 5:30 pm | Thien Hau Temple

USC-Meiji University Research Exchange, Japan's History and Archaeology

Thursday - Friday | February 15-16 | 11:00 am - 5:30 pm | TBD

Korean Ethnography Now: Building on the Legacy of Nancy Abelmann

Thursday - Friday | February 15-16 | 12:00 pm | UCI

Rethinking Women and Visual Culture in Late Imperial China

Friday | February 16 | 9:00 am – 5:00 pm | UCLA

Third International Conference on Heritage/Community Languages

Friday | February 16 & 17 | 4:00 pm | UCI

Chinese Brush Painting: The Year of the Dog

Saturday | February 17 | 9:30 am – 12:30 pm | The Huntington Library

Film Screening and Discussion: Digital Storytelling Videos

Saturday | February 17 | 5:30 pm -8:00 pm | JANM

Lunar New Year Festival

Saturday | February 17 | 11:00 am. – 5:00 pm | USC Pacific Asia Museum

Chinese New Year Festival

Saturday – Sunday | February 17 - 18 | 10:00 am – 5:00 pm | The Huntington Library

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Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

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