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## EAST ASIAN STUDIES CENTER



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**APRIL 10, 2017**

### Upcoming Event: **EAAS Commencement 2017**

Join EASC faculty, staff, family and friends to celebrate the graduation of our East Asian Area Studies seniors & MA students and EASC graduating student staff and to wish them all the best in their future endeavors. The reception will begin immediately after the satellite ceremony.

**Friday | May 12 | 12:30 - 2:30 PM | CAS 100 | [RSVP](#)**



## Summer 2017 EASC Global East Asia Scholars

Last Tuesday, EASC hosted the General Orientation for the Summer 2017 EASC Global East Asia scholars. This summer, 18 students will travel to China and Japan with professors Brett Sheehan and Lon Kurashige. Congratulations to our 2017 China and Japan scholars! **PHOTOS**

### China

Piper Axtell - *International Relations and Spanish*  
Katie Wing Yan Chak - *Physics*  
Erick Chen - *East Asian Area Studies*  
Ursula Collins-Laine - *East Asian Area Studies and Cinema*  
Edith Conn - *International Relations and EALC*  
Connor Hudson - *Business Administration (Cinematic Arts)*  
Kenny Lin - *Economics*  
Biajani McEwen-Lopez - *Social Sciences with an Emphasis in Psych.*  
Breana Norris - *East Asian Area Studies and International Relations*  
Michael O'Krent - *Philosophy, Politics and Law and Comparative Lit.*

### Japan

Brenda Apreza - *East Asian Area Studies*  
Renee Cai - *Philosophy, Politics and Law*  
Kayanne Geyu Chen - *Mechanical Engineering*  
Felix Xiaofei Liao - *Neuroscience*  
Verdinand Ruelos - *International Relations and EALC*  
Rubi Tran - *Industrial Systems Engineering*  
Lauren Mika Zattera - *International Relations and EALC*  
Samuel Josephs - *Writing for Screen and Television*



### Wednesday: **Spring Faculty Luncheon Meeting**

This Wednesday, EASC affiliated faculty will have the opportunity to hear about the latest activities, events and news regarding EASC and its community, as well as a chance to meet and interact with colleagues from different disciplines and programs throughout USC.

**Wednesday | April 12 | 12:00-2:00 PM | [RSVP](#)**



### Event Reminder: **Spring 2017 EASC Grad Mixer**

Each semester, EASC invites graduate students focusing on East Asia to join us for delicious food and drinks and to meet with fellow students from various USC graduate programs. Graduate students from any field are welcome to attend. RSVP by Wednesday if you plan to attend.

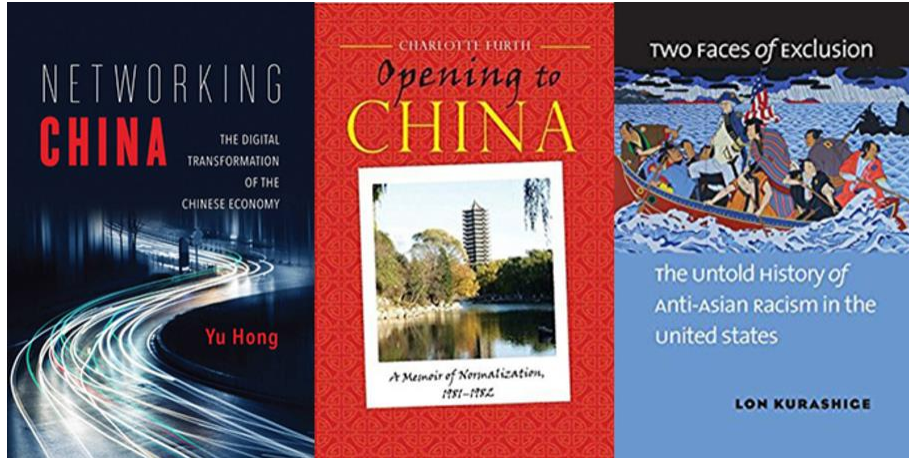
**Wednesday | April 19 | 4:00-6:00 PM | CAS 100 | [RSVP](#)**



## Event Reminder: **Grad Forum - Job Search**

The final **Grad Forum workshop** for the 2016-17 academic year will be **Job Search**, led by **Erin Baggott**, Assistant Professor of International Relations, and **Edgardo Perez Morales**, Assistant Professor of History. Speakers will draw from their recent experience in becoming tenure-track faculty at USC and address questions and concerns from graduate students regarding this process.

**Monday | April 24 | 12:00-1:30 PM | SOS B40 | [RSVP](#)**



## Event Reminder: **EASC Faculty Book Launch**

Join EASC in celebrating the recent publications of professors Yu Hong, Charlotte Furth and Lon Kurashige. The publications featured will be **Networking China: The Digital Transformation of the Chinese Economy** (University of Illinois Press, 2017) by Professor Yu Hong; **Opening to China: A Memoir of Normalization, 1981-1982** (Cambria Press, 2017) by Professor Emerita Charlotte Furth; and **Two Faces of Exclusion: The Untold History of Anti-Asian Racism in the United States** (University of North Carolina Press, 2016)

by Professor Lon Kurashige. Copies of the publications will be available for purchase.

**Wednesday | April 26 | 3:00-5:00 PM | CAS 100 | [RSVP](#)**

## Events Around USC & LA

### 23rd Annual Juried Exhibition

Monday | April 10 | 9:00 AM | Korean Cultural Center, Los Angeles

### Today's Oi Estate - Lecture by Prof. Motoo Endô

Thursday | April 13 | 4:00 - 6:00 PM | DML 110C

### Today's Oi Estate Workshop - Led by Prof. Motoo Endô

Friday | April 14 | 2:00 - 5:00 PM | DML 110C

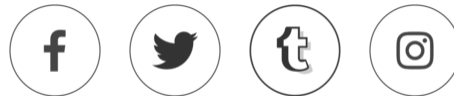
### War Without Blood: Death, Pollution and the Body in the Tale of Heike - Talk by Prof. Vyjayanthi Selinger

Monday | April 17 | 12:30 - 2:00 PM | UCLA

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