Academic Year 2016-17 FLAS Awardees

For academic year 2016-17, EASC has awarded FLAS fellowships to one graduate student and six undergraduate students. Please join us in congratulating our seven academic year FLAS fellows!

Noel Askins - Business Administration; East Asian Languages and Cultures
Edith Conn - East Asian Languages and Cultures; International Relations
Julia Harten (PhD) - Public Policy and Management
Melissa Kil - East Asian Area Studies
Grace Liu - Biochemistry
Chandler Toffa - East Asian Area Studies; Film and Television Production
Lauren Zattera - Global Health; International Relations
Event Wrap: **Spring 2016 EASC Grad Mixer**

EASC hosted its Spring 2016 Grad Mixer in our new location in CAS to celebrate our affiliated graduate students’ completion of another successful academic year. They came from various departments and schools such as Art History, Comp Lit, EAAS, EALC, English and Gender Studies, History, Public Policy, and Politics and Int’l Relations (POIR), but all share in their research focus on East Asia. Please look out for our student achievements issue in next week's eNewsletter where we will highlight some of their amazing accomplishments this past year.

PHOTOS

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**EASC Faculty Announcements**

Please join us in congratulating our affiliated faculty on their recent accomplishments!

**AWARDS**

- **Brian Bernards** - *Raubenheimer Junior Faculty Award*
- **Akira Lippit** – *Faculty Mentoring Faculty Award*
- **Sunyoung Park** – *Faculty Mentoring Graduate Students Award*

**GRANTS**

- **Brian Bernards** - *Transregional Research Junior Scholar Fellowship (SSRC)*
- **Youngmin Choe** - *Academy of Korean Studies Laboratory Grant; Korean*
Foundation Fellowship for Field Research
Hee Ju & Audrey Li – STARTALK for Korean Language (NSA)
Daniel Lynch – Chian Ching-kuo Foundation
Miya Mizuta - Meiss/Mellon Author’s Book Award
Satoko Shimazaki - Association for Asian Studies Book Subvention
Grant; Waseda University Book Subvention Grant

PROMOTIONS
Kyung Moon Hwang – Professor
Youngmin Choe – Associate Professor
Satoko Shimazaki – Associate Professor
Yi-Hsien Liu – Assistant Professor of Teaching

PUBLICATIONS
Brian Bernards - Writing the South Seas: Imagining the Nanyang in Chinese and Southeast Asian Postcolonial Literature (University of Washington Press, 2015)
Annette Kim - Sidewalk City: Remapping Public Space in Ho Chi Minh City (University of Chicago Press, 2015)
Sunyoung Park - The Proletarian Wave: Literature and Leftist Culture in Colonial Korea, 1910-1945 (Harvard University Asia Center, 2015)
Rhacel Parrenas - Intimate Industries: Restructuring (Im)Material Labor in Asia (Duke University Press, 2016)
Satoko Shimazaki - Edo Kabuki in Transition: From the Worlds of the Samurai to the Vengeful Female Ghost (Columbia University Press, 2016)

Event Wrap: Memorial for Prof. Eugene Cooper
Students, faculty, and community members gathered from all over the world at the University Club on Monday, March 28 to celebrate the life of Prof. Eugene Cooper. With Prof. Lutkehaus of Anthropology as the MC, colleagues and former students took turn to speak about their fond memories of a lively spirit that passed too soon. The memorial closed with Prof. Cooper's favorite Blue Grass music and even a recording of his own music. A collection of memories, tributes, stories, and condolences has been collected by Dr. Jennifer Cool and can be found on the event page. Also there, one could find information on an
East Asia Summer Courses
In addition to the USC East Asia summer course offerings abroad such as EASC Global East Asia China and Japan, EALC Beijing and Taiwan Chinese Language programs, and the new Business Japanese summer course, USC will offer a 4-unit upper division USC course on Politics and Film in China (POSC 469) taught by Prof. Stan Rosen open to both UGs and graduate students, and a non-credit USC Mellon Digital Humanities Summer Tutorial taught by Amanda Kennell, PhD Candidate in EALC, open to UGs only. The latter course offers a $1500 stipend and requires an application due on Monday, May 2, 2016.

Events Around LA
Zadankai: Class, Gender and Ethnicity in Postwar Japan
WEDNESDAY | MAY 4 | 1:00 - 3:00 PM | UCLA

Cave Temples Of Dunhuang: Buddhist Art On China's Silk Road
SATURDAY | MAY 7 | The Getty Center

Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

For more news and information about the USC East Asian Studies Center visit usc.edu/easc

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