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## Event Wrap: EASC Global East Asia China Reunion Dinner

Last Thursday, the 2015 EASC Global East Asia (GEA) China cohort joined Professor Brett Sheehan, TA Yunwen Gao and EASC staff for a festive reunion dinner at LA Live. Each GEA scholar shared his/her favorite moments while on the program, including a successful search for a grandfather's home in Kaifeng, birthday celebrations and experiencing new foods, a nighttime Shanghai yacht ride down Huangpu River thanks to a fellow GEA scholar, and witnessing Prof. Sheehan schooling line-cutters in Mandarin Chinese. Congratulations to the entire GEA China cohort for their hardwork during the summer and we wish everyone a productive and fun school year!

PHOTOS

Thursday: Fall 2015 EASC Faculty Luncheon Meeting

A reminder that the fall semester faculty luncheon meeting for affiliated EASC faculty will be this Thursday. Faculty will have the opportunity to hear about the latest activities and other news regarding EASC and its community, as well as a chance to interact with colleagues from across USC .



**THURSDAY | OCT 1 | University Club**



### Event Reminder: USC Workshop on Japanese Extensive Reading

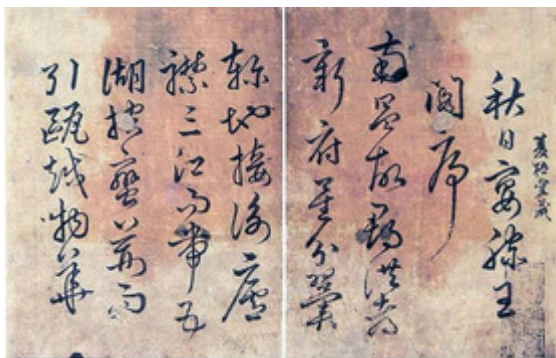
Participants will learn the theory and the benefit of Extensive Reading in the process of second language acquisition. They will also learn how to establish a book collection for Japanese Extensive Reading and how to organize and conduct Japanese Extensive Reading courses, clubs, and student organizations.

**SAT-SUN | OCT 3-4 | Taper Hall**

### Event Reminder: EASC FLAS Fellows Mixer

To celebrate the achievements of FLAS fellows and to promote networking, EASC invites current and past FLAS fellows to join us and enjoy food, drink, and conversation with fellow FLAS awardees across USC. FLAS fellows from all award years are welcome to join, so it will be a great opportunity to meet students with similar East Asia-related language and area studies skills in a variety of different fields. Please RSVP by this Wednesday if planning to attend.

**WEDNESDAY | OCT 7 | College House (CLH) 101 | RSVP**



### Job Opportunity

#### East Asian History - Sam Houston State University

The Department of History at Sam Houston State University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor in the history of East Asia, to begin Fall 2016. Chronological

and geographical specializations are open, though they are especially interested in candidates with expertise in China and/or Japan and whose research and teaching incorporate cross-cultural, transnational, comparative, and/or interdisciplinary approaches. Teaching responsibilities include undergraduate and graduate courses in East Asian history and the World History survey. Ph.D. must be completed before the start of the appointment.

To apply, go to <https://shsu.peopleadmin.com/postings/13685> and upload a letter of application addressed to Dr. Stephen Rapp, Chair of Search Committee; CV; unofficial graduate transcripts; and two sample syllabi (undergraduate and graduate, both addressing some aspect[s] of East Asian history). Submit the syllabi as one file to the "Writing Sample" link. In addition, three letters of recommendation are to be sent to: [historysearch@shsu.edu](mailto:historysearch@shsu.edu). Review of applications will begin on November 8, 2015 and continue until the position is filled.

## Scholarship for High School Study Abroad

The [National Security Language Initiative for Youth \(NSLI-Y\)](#) offers merit-based scholarships to study one of seven critical foreign languages: Arabic, Chinese, Hindi, Korean, Persian (Tajiki), Russian, and Turkish.

## Events Around USC & LA

[The Social Logics of Chinese Rural Welfare Practices](#)

MONDAY | SEPTEMBER 28 | 2:00 - 4:00 PM | UCLA

[Mid-Autumn Moon Celebration](#)

TUESDAY | SEPTEMBER 29 | 5:30 - 9:00 PM | The Huntington

[East West Players: A Writers' Gallery Reading](#)

WEDNESDAY | SEPTEMBER 30 | 7:30 PM | Japanese American National Museum

[Nudes in Early Republican China: Editorial Agency, Popular Press and Transcultural Production](#)

THURSDAY | OCTOBER 1 | 4:00 - 5:30 PM | UCLA

[The Afterlives of Han Historiography](#)

FRIDAY | OCTOBER 2 | 2:00 - 4:00 PM | UCLA

[Rengapoi: Hyper-Arts Innovation Japan Style](#)

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 3 | 7:00 - 9:00 PM | TCC Grand Ballroom

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Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

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