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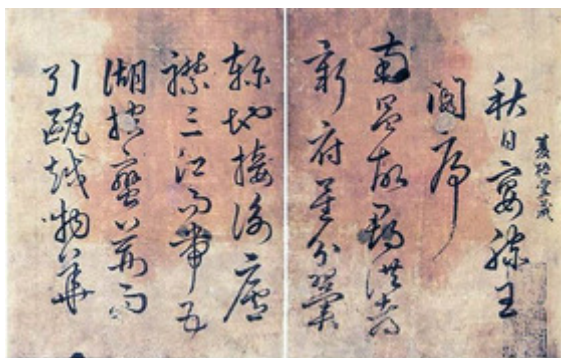
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Event Wrap: Fall 2015 EASC Faculty Luncheon Meeting

Last Thursday, about 40 faculty and staff members gathered for the semesterly EASC Faculty Luncheon Meeting, the first led by Brett Sheehan, the new EASC Director. They shared some exciting news regarding their latest projects and activities, including new works by Brian Bernards, Bettine Birge, Nansong Huang, Lon Kurashige, Sunyoung Park, Gary Seaman and Satoko Shimazaki. The East Asian Library will soon be staffed with a new Japanese Studies Librarian who will begin in January, and several faculty members are putting forth exciting events that EASC is co-sponsoring--please be on the lookout for their announcements! PHOTOS

Wednesday: EASC FLAS Fellows Mixer

To celebrate the achievements of FLAS fellows and to promote networking, EASC has



invited current and past FLAS fellows to join us and enjoy food, drink, and conversation with fellow FLAS awardees across USC. The mixer will be held this Wednesday at the College House.

WEDNESDAY | OCT 7 |

College House (CLH) 101



Upcoming Event: The Assassin: Film Screening and Q&A with Hou Hsiao-Hsien

Join fellow students and faculty at the Ray Stark Family Theatre (SCA 108) for a screening of renowned filmmaker Hou Hsiao-Hsien's latest work, *The Assassin*, his first full-feature film in 8 years. Then after the screening, stay for an in-person Q&A session with the famed director. The screening begins at 3:30 PM on Friday, October 16, immediately followed by the Q&A that runs until 6:30

PM.

FRIDAY | OCT 16 | 3:30 - 6:30 PM | SCA 108

Upcoming Event: EASC Grad Mixer

It is that time of the semester again! EASC will host its semesterly tradition--the EASC Grad Mixer, at which graduate students studying East Asia across all departments and schools gather for food, drink, and good times. This round of the EASC Grad Mixer takes place on **Wednesday, October 21 @ 4:00-6:00 PM**. Please RSVP at least a week in advance.



WEDNESDAY | OCT 21 | College House (CLH) 101 | RSVP

Call for Papers

The 19th Annual Harvard East Asia Society Conference: [Re]imagining

Asia

The theme of this year's conference is "[Re]imagining Asia" and will be held from **February 20-21, 2016**. Participants should plan to arrive on or before **February 19, 2016**. The HEAS Conference Board invites papers examining Asia from fresh perspectives that go beyond conventional frameworks. Whether it is an expansion of geographical boundaries, discoveries of silenced histories or a redefinition of cultural norms, the conference seeks to encourage a re-imagination of what Asia means and encompasses.

Deadline for abstract submission: NOVEMBER 15, 2015

The 25th Annual Columbia Graduate Student Conference on East Asia

It welcomes applications from students engaged in research on all fields in East Asian Studies, including but not limited to: history, literature, art history, religion, sociology, archaeology, law, environmental studies, media studies, anthropology, political science, and economics. It especially encourages work that crosses national, temporal, and disciplinary boundaries to critically rethink the categories that both bind and sub-divide area studies. It will be held from **Friday February 26th to Saturday February 27th, 2016**.

Applications are due November 30th, 2015.

Job and Internship Opportunities

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF JAPANESE STUDIES

The Department of East Asian Studies at New York University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the beginning or advanced assistant professor level in Japanese Studies. The initial appointment begins September 1, 2016.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN MODERN JAPANESE LITERATURE AND CULTURE

The Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures at the University of Notre Dame invites applications for the position of assistant professor in modern Japanese literature and culture, beginning August 2016. Area of specialization is open but preference will be given to candidates who can offer courses on modern fiction, film, and/or popular culture.

U.S. EMBASSY TOKYO INTERNSHIP

The U.S. Embassy Tokyo is now looking for interns for the winter and summer cycles.

Funding Opportunities

JAPANESE STUDIES FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Application deadline: **Monday, November 2, 2015**

U.S.-SOUTHEAST ASIA-JAPAN COLLABORATION AND EXCHANGE INITIATIVE

Full applications must be received by the Japan Foundation, New York by post no later than **Monday, November 16, 2015**

Events Around USC & LA

Film Screening: *Little Voices from Fukushima*

MONDAY | OCTOBER 5 | 4:00 - 7:00 PM | UCLA

Corruption Investigations in Korea

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 6 | 10:30 - 11:45 AM | UCLA

The Politics of Defense: Lawyers and Criminal Justice in China

THURSDAY | OCTOBER 8 | 4:00 - 5:30 PM | UCLA

Things Left Behind

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 10 | 11 AM, 1 PM, 3 PM | Getty Center

Painting Enlightenment: The Art and Science of the Heart Sutra

MONDAY | OCTOBER 12 | 4:15 - 5:45 PM | DML 110C

Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

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