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Summer 2019 ACE-Nikaido Fellows

Congratulations to our Summer 2019 [Association for Japan-U.S. Community Exchange \(ACE\) - Nikaido Fellowship](#) awardees! This summer, EASC awarded graduate students to conduct research and interviews in Japan, present original research at international conferences and study intensive Japanese language.

Awardees

Jillian Barndt (PhD) - History

Li-Ping Chen (PhD) - Comparative Literature

Victoria Davis (PhD) - East Asian Languages and Cultures

Minwoo Jung (PhD) - Sociology

Rio Katayama (PhD) - East Asian Languages and Cultures

Matthew Keller (PhD) - Religion

Alex Yu-Ting Lin (PhD) - Political Science and International Relations

Brooke McCallum (PhD) - Comparative Literature

Emily Warren (PhD) - History



EVENT REMINDER Spring 2019 EASC Commencement Reception

Fri, May 10 | 12:00-1:30PM | CAS 100 | **RSVP**

As a reminder, please **RSVP** to join **EASC** faculty, staff, family and friends at the **Spring 2019 EASC Commencement**

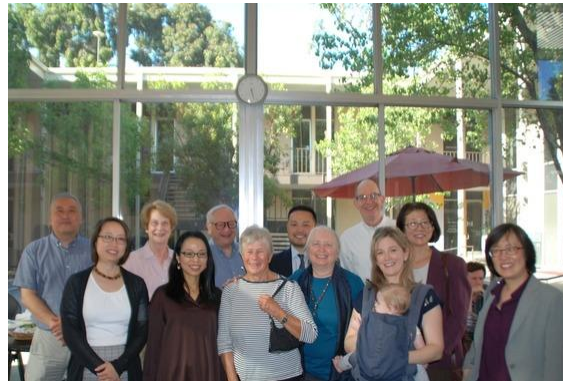
Reception. We will celebrate our **East Asian Area Studies** graduating seniors, **MA students** and EASC graduating staff on Friday, May 10, 2019. The reception is from 12:00PM-1:30PM in CAS 100 preceding the USC Dornsife Group 2 Satellite Ceremony!

EVENT WRAP Spring 2019 EASC Faculty Book Launch

PHOTOS

Last Wednesday, USC faculty, staff and community members joined EASC in celebration of the recent publications of seven affiliated faculty members! Congratulations to professors **Bettine Birge, Kyung Moon**

Hwang, Saori Katada, Miya Mizuta, Joan Piggott, Ben Uchiyama and Duncan Williams on their publications.



Commentators, **Joan Piggott, Sunyoung Park, Robert Dekle, Sonya Lee, Sachiko Kawai, Gordon Berger** and **Lori Meeks** presented on the significance of our faculty's publications and their contributions to East Asian studies. You can view photos from the event on our **EASC Facebook** page.

Internship Opportunity Asia Society Southern California

ASSC is looking for interns to help with program development as well as marketing and communications. This is a great opportunity to be involved in all aspects of researching, marketing and implementing Asia Society programs. Apply today if you are interested! The positions will be open until filled. If interested, email Li Huang at lihuang@asiasociety.org.

Events around USC & LA

Asia's Global Influence in the 21st Century - Talk by Parag Khanna

Tuesday, April 30 | 8:00AM-9:30AM | Akasha Cafe & Restaurant

Mountain Movers: Student Activism and the Legacy of Asian American Studies - Lecture by Karen Umemoto

Wednesday, May 1 | 6:00PM-7:15PM | CSULB USU Ballroom

Old Man Mad About Painting: An Introduction to the Art of Katsushika Hokusai - Lecture by Meher McArthur

Wednesday, May 1 | 7:00PM-9:00PM | The Japan Foundation

The Fate of a Novel Amid China's Reform - Talk by Xue Yiwei

Thursday, May 2 | 3:00PM-5:30PM | UCLA Bunche Hall

The Twentieth-Century Life of Poet Xu Zhimo - Lecture by Tony S. Hsu

Thursday, May 2 | 4:00PM-6:30PM | UCI Humanities Gateway

Can Rap Bridge the US-China Culture Gap?

Thursday, May 2 | 2:00PM-9:00PM | WeWork Building

Chasing Passion - Opening Exhibition by Hyesook Park and David B. Jang

Thursday, May 2 | 7:00PM | Korean Cultural Center

2019 ChinaWeek Program: China.wav - Chinese Culture Music Concert

Friday, May 3 | 10:00PM-2:00AM | El Cid

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