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UPCOMING EVENT

Every Talk is a Job Talk: Even on Zoom

Monday, February 22 | 12:00PM - 1:00PM (PST) | [Register for Zoom Meeting](#)

The [2020-21 Grad Professionalization Series](#) is back for the spring semester and the first virtual workshop will be on [Every Talk is a Job Talk: Even on Zoom](#). Moderated by EASC Director **Sonya Lee**, professors **David Kang** (POIR and EALC) and **Ketaki Pant** (HIST) will lead this workshop to help graduate students improve their public speaking skills for giving lectures, conference presentations or job talks. They will also address the importance of preparing for public speaking whether it is in person or over Zoom. Please register with your USC email address if you would like to attend and the Zoom link will be sent to you before the day of the event.

The Grad Professionalization Series is sponsored and organized by the [Center for International Studies](#), [East Asian Studies Center](#), and [Korean Studies Institute](#).



EVENT TUESDAY - FRIDAY
EASC IG Takeover - Career Fest
Follow on Instagram | February 2-5, 2021

Follow along on our [EASC Instagram](#)! EASC will be participating in the 2021 [USC Career Fest's Instagram Takeover for USC](#)! Tune in this week for advice and information on everything from networking, interviewing, personal branding, navigating virtual recruiting and more! Hear this advice from EASC alumni who will share their experiences utilizing their East Asian languages and area studies skills in their careers.

EVENT FRIDAY
EASC New Book Series: Modern Japan
Fri, February 5 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | Zoom | Register

You can still register for the next session of the [EASC New Book Series: Modern Japan](#) on **February 5 at 4:00PM (PST)**. In this session, **Katsuya Hirano** (Associate Professor of History, UCLA) will discuss *Arbiters of Patriotism: Right-Wing Scholars in Imperial*

Japan (University of Hawaii Press, 2020) with the author **John Person** (Associate Professor of East Asian Studies, University at Albany, State University of New York). We hope to see you there!



EVENT REMINDER
Regulatory Science: East Asian Perspectives
Eunjoo Pacifici and Terry Church on "Eastern Medicines, Western Regulation"
Thurs, Feb 11 | 5:00-6:00PM (PST) | Register

Join us for the next [EASC Regulatory Science: East Asian Perspectives](#) series event on Traditional Chinese

Medicine (TCM). Do you use TCM? Have you tried acupuncture? Both are commonly practiced in China and other Asian countries, based on traditions that go back thousands of years. [Register](#) for this discussion on the current state of Eastern medicines in the context of Western regulations with USC professors **Eunjoo Pacifici** and **Terry Church**.

EVENT WRAP
EASC New Book Series: Modern China

We want to thank everyone who attended the first session of the [EASC New Book Series: Modern China](#) last Friday. It was a great discussion with **Ying Qian** (Assistant Professor of EALC, Columbia



University) and author **Andrew F. Jones** (Professor and Louis B. Agassiz Chair in Chinese, University of California, Berkeley) on [*Circuit Listening: Chinese Popular Music in the Global 1960s*](#) (University of Minnesota Press, 2020). Visit the [main page](#) to view the rest of the sessions this semester!

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Princeton US-China Coalition Global Governance Forum

Deadline: February 15, 2021

Applications are open for the Global Governance Forum 2021, hosted by the [Princeton US-China Coalition](#), which will take place virtually from April 17-18, 2021. The forum invites thirty promising students from around the world onto Princeton's campus to hear from top journalists, leaders, and politicians, engage in dialogue and discussion on pressing issues, and network with future leaders in the China field. Visit their [website](#) for more information and contact puccuschina@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Virtual Events Around USC, CA & Beyond

[Crossing Borders via Music & Literature: A Conversation on Creative Works as Promoters of U.S.-China Cross-Cultural Understanding - Conversation with Wu Fei and Te-Ping Chen](#)

Tuesday, February 2 | 9:30AM-10:30AM | UCI Center for Asian Studies | [Register](#)

[Healing as Resistance: Queen Taytay and the 1905 Cholera Outbreak in the Philippines - Talk by Christine Peralta](#)

Tuesday, February 2 | 10:00AM-11:30AM | UCLA Center for Southeast Asian Studies | [Register](#)

[Valuation of Long-Term Property Rights under Political Uncertainty - Talk by Zhiguo He](#)

Tuesday, February 2 | 11:00AM-12:30PM | USC Marshall China Research Group | [Register](#)

[An Untold Past: Chinese in the Caribbean Conference](#)

Tuesday, February 2 | 5:00PM-6:30PM | Chinese American Museum | [Register](#)

[From Japanese American Redress to Black Reparations: A Conversation with John Tateishi, William Darity and A. Kirsten Mullen](#)

Wednesday, February 3 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | USC Shinso Ito Center | [Register](#)

[9th Annual USC KSI Virtual Graduate Symposium: Korea, East Asia, and/or Asian Diasporas](#)

Thursday, February 4 | 1:00PM-5:00PM | USC Korean Studies Institute | [Register](#)

[Toward a Religio-Environmental Ethics through Heritage Conservation in Postsocialist China - Talk by Sonya Lee](#)

Thursday, February 4 | 4:00PM-5:00PM | USC Center for the Premodern World | [Register](#)

[Invisible China: How the Urban-Rural Divide Threatens China's Rise - Book Talk by Scott Rozelle](#)

Thursday, February 4 | 4:00PM-5:15PM | USC U.S.-China Institute | [Register](#)

[Giraffes and Elephants: Circulation of Exotic Animals in the Longue Durée History of the Indian Ocean Webinar - Talk by Tansen Sen](#)

Thursday, February 4 | 5:00PM-6:00PM | University of Chicago CEAS | [Register](#)

[Moving Tastes: Rethinking Taiwanese Food in the New Global - Talk by Hsiung Ping-Chen](#)

Thursday, February 4 | 5:00PM-6:00PM | UCLA Asia Pacific Center | [Register](#)

[Transgender in Imperial China: Three Qing Case Studies - Talk by Matthew Sommer](#)

Friday, February 5 | 5:00PM-6:30PM | Berkeley Institute of East Asian Studies | [Register](#)

[Sangha in Pandemic Times - Workshop with Levi McLaughlin, Jeff Wilson and Jun Hamamoto](#)

Saturday, February 6 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | USC Shinso Ito Center | [Register](#)

[UC Berkeley-UCLA Southeast Asia Studies Conference Panel 1](#)

Monday, February 8 | 10:15AM-12:00PM | Berkeley Institute of East Asian Studies | [Register](#)

[Chinese Film Market: 2021 and Beyond - Talk by Stephen Saltzman and Josh Hu](#)

Monday, February 8 | 5:00PM-6:00PM | Asia Society | [Register](#)

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