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UPCOMING EVENT

Dissertation Research and Writing

Monday, February 24, 2020 | 12:00-1:00PM | SOS B40 | [FLYER](#) | [RSVP](#)

The next workshop in the Grad Prof. Series is on Dissertation Research and Writing which will be led by Prof. **Youngmin Choe** of East Asian Languages and Cultures and Prof. **Benjamin Graham** of International Relations. They will provide advice on fieldwork and archival research and the dissertation writing process.

REMINDER: We look forward to seeing you at today's workshop on [Public Speaking](#) in SOS B40 from 12:00-1:00PM. This workshop will be led by **Saori Katada**, Professor of IR and co-Chair of POIR, **Steven Lamy**, Professor of IR and Director of the Dornsife Global Policy

Institute and **Jonathan Markowitz**, Assistant Professor of IR. They will address the challenges of public speaking for both native and non-native English speakers.

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



EVENT TUESDAY

EASC at Spring Study Abroad Fair

Tues, Jan 28 | 10:00-2:00PM | Trousdale Pkwy

Join EASC on Trousdale Parkway tomorrow, January 28, 2020 for the Spring Study Abroad Fair! Learn more about our [Global East Asia Maymester](#) programs which gives students the opportunity to conduct research and travel to China or Japan. We will be promoting our

2021 **GEA China**, **GEA Japan-Tokyo** and **GEA Japan-Kyoto** programs so drop by to learn more about our intensive Maymester programs!

EVENT THURSDAY

East Asia Career Panel - Career Fest 2020

Thurs, Jan 30 | 5:00-6:30PM | STU B3 | [FLYER](#) | [RSVP](#)

Thank you for your RSVP! We look forward to seeing you on Thursday, January 30, 2020 for the 8th annual [East Asia Career Panel](#) as part of [USC Career Fest 2020](#). Students will have the opportunity to network and learn about different career options from our EASC panelists who will discuss how they utilized their East Asian languages and area studies skills in their careers. They come from a variety of professions in documentary and media production, non-profit organizations and sports management. The panel will be followed by a Q&A and networking opportunity. You can view our EASC panelists' bios [here](#).



Grace Dewson
Anita Borg Institute
DO SMTG INC.

Christopher Carpenter
NGO Dream a Dream

Jordan Lee
Paradigm Sports Management



EVENT REMINDER **Spring 2020 EASC UG Mixer**

Mon, Feb 10 | 12:30-1:30PM | CAS 100

| [RSVP](#)

EASC invites its undergraduate cohort to the [Spring 2020 EASC Undergraduate Mixer](#) on Monday, February 10. This luncheon mixer is designed to give our undergraduates pursuing the EAAS major, EAAS minor and KRNS minor the opportunity to enjoy food and conversation with their East Asian Area Studies peers as well as meet with the EASC

Director, Brett Sheehan, and the amazing EASC team. Food and refreshments will be provided so please [RSVP](#) if you can attend. We hope you will join us!

ACE-Nikaido Fellowship

Application Deadline: Friday, February 14, 2020

[WEBSITE](#) | [HOW TO APPLY](#) | [FLYER](#)

The Association for Japan-U.S. Community Exchange (ACE) - Nikaido Fellowship provides stipends of up to \$5,000 to awarded graduate students, depending on the proposed course of study. The purpose of the award is to advance understanding of Japan and/or US-Japan relations and may be used for research,

Japanese language training or Japanese area studies. Please view the website for [eligibility](#), [a sample application](#), [samples of previously awarded projects](#) and more information. As a reminder, the deadline to complete the online application is **by 5:00 PM on Friday, February 14, 2020**.



Call for Papers

2020 ASPAC Conference - Asia: Our Global Future

Submission Deadline: February 29, 2020

The Organizing Committee of Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast (ASPAC) 2020 at University of Hawai'i at Hilo invites college and university faculty, K-12 schoolteachers, independent scholars and graduate and undergraduate students with an interest in Asian or Asian diaspora studies to submit proposals for organized panels, roundtable discussions, individual papers or poster presentations on historical or contemporary topics in the humanities, arts,

social sciences, education, health, law, business, environmental sciences or other disciplines related to Asia and the Asian diasporas. Submissions and questions can be sent to 2020aspac@gmail.com and more information can be found on their [website](#).

Events Around USC & LA

[The Ding-tripod and Cultural Memory: An Aspect of Daily Life in Ancient China – Talk with Mu-Chou Poo](#)

Thursday, January 30 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | UCLA

[Confusion Over Cathay: Attitudes to Chinese Material in Mediaeval Japanese Poetic Criticism – Lecture by Thomas E. McAuley](#)

Thursday, January 30 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | DML G28

[Imagining the Impossible: The DMZ as a Proving Ground – Talk by Dongsei Kim](#)

Thursday, January 30 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | UC Irvine

[International Student Appreciation Week - Trojan International Film Night](#)

Thursday, January 30 | 7:30PM-10:00PM | TCC 227

[BTS: The Evolution and the Revolution of Korean Popular Music - Lecture by Youngdae Kim](#)

Friday, January 31 | 3:00PM-5:00PM | UCLA

[Moving Tastes: Fashioning Taiwanese Foods in the Postwar Era – Lecture by Ping-Chen Hsiung](#)

Saturday, February 1 | 2:00PM-4:00PM | UCLA

[ALTERNATIVE FACTS: The Lies of Executive Order 9066 Film Screening](#)

Saturday, February 1 | 2:00PM-4:00PM | Japanese American National Museum

[Transcendents: Heroes at Borders - Exhibition by Taiji Terasaki](#)

February 1 - March 29 | Japanese American National Museum

[Hong Kong 2020: Perspectives on an Ongoing Crisis - Panel Discussion](#)

Monday, February 3 | 12:15PM | UCLA

[Symposium on Sinophone Theater](#)

Monday, February 3 | 2:00PM-5:00PM | UC Irvine

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Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

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