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2020 Global East Asia Maymester

Thank you to all students who applied to our **2020 Global East Asia Maymester Programs!** Our application is now closed. The deadline to apply was last Wednesday, November 13 and we received over 125 applications for our three programs to China (taught by Prof. **Brett Sheehan**), Japan - Tokyo (taught by Prof. **Benjamin Uchiyama**) and Japan - Kyoto (taught by Prof. **Jason Webb**)! We appreciate all the departments, advisors, faculty and students who helped us promote Global East Asia this year. We look forward to announcing the 2020 Global East Asia scholars for the three programs soon! Please contact us at easc@usc.edu if you have any questions.

EVENT TODAY

Navigating Grad (PhD) Life

Mon, Nov 18 | 12:00-1:00PM | SOS B40

| **FLYER**

We look forward seeing you at **Navigating Grad (PhD) Life** today! **Jane Junn**, Associates Chair in Social Sciences and Professor of Political Science and Gender Studies, and **Brett Sheehan**, Professor of History and EALC, EASC Director and Chair of EALC will focus on important topics to help organize and manage

one's graduate career, such as academic portfolio management, time-management and work/life balance. The Grad Professionalization Series is sponsored and organized by the **Center for International Studies, East Asian Studies Center, and Korean Studies Institute.**



EVENT WEDNESDAY

Fall 2019 EASC Undergraduate Mixer

Wed, Nov 20 | 5:00-6:00PM | CAS 100

We look forward to seeing our new and continuing undergraduate cohort at the **Fall 2019 EASC Undergraduate Mixer** this Wednesday! This gathering is designed to give all undergraduate students pursuing EAAS Major and Minors the opportunity to engage with their East Asian Area Studies peers and

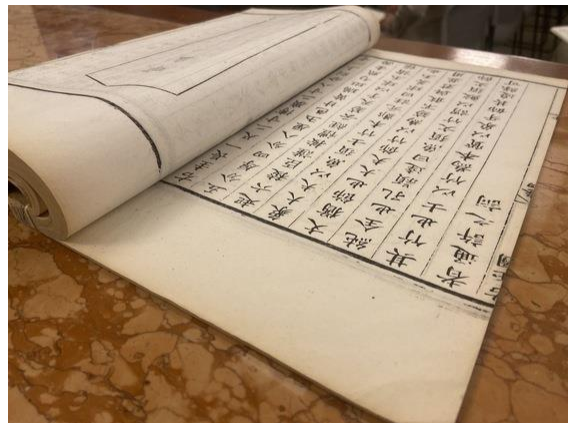
meet EASC Director Professor Brett Sheehan and the rest of the EASC team.

EVENT WRAPS

Chinese Rare Books: Lecture and Workshop

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Last Wednesday and Thursday, Dr. Sören Edgren, renowned Chinese rare book specialist from Princeton University, presented his lecture on "Facsimiles, Forgeries and Mistaken Identity among Chinese Rare Books" and led a hands-on Chinese Rare Books at USC workshop to students, faculty and community members. You can view all photos from the event on our **EASC Facebook page.**



Harvard-Yenching Library Travel Grant

Deadline: December 23, 2019

The Harvard-Yenching Library is pleased to announce its Travel Grant Program for the 2019-2020 academic year. The purpose of the grant is to assist scholars from outside the Boston metropolitan area in their use of the Harvard-Yenching Library's collections for research. There will be nineteen grants of \$600 each (seven in Chinese studies, seven in Japanese studies, and five in Korean studies) to be awarded on a merit basis to faculty members and to graduate students engaged in dissertation research. Please see the [program announcement](#) for more information on how to apply.

EYFF Modern Chinese History/Archaeology Foundation Grant

Deadline: January 3, 2020

The [Esherrick-Ye Family Foundation](#) is pleased to announce its fourth annual competition for small grants of up to \$5,000 to support projects in modern Chinese economic, social, and political history or in archaeology. Grants will support travel to China for research or field work and are available for graduate students and untenured faculty. Detailed application procedures and eligibility guidelines can be found on their [website](#).

Events Around USC & LA

[International Education Week 2019 - USC Office of International Services](#)
Mon-Fri, November 18-22 | USC

[U.S.-China Relations and Global Uncertainty – Discussion with Jeffrey A. Bader and Zhang Ping](#)
Tuesday, November 19 | 5:00PM-6:00PM | ASC G26

[Shanghai Jazz: A Culture Mix at USC - USC Visions and Voices](#)
Tuesday, November 19 | 7:30PM | Bovard Auditorium

[The Four Immigrants: From Manga to Musical - USC Visions and Voices](#)
Wednesday, November 20 | 7:00PM | BCI

[Peace Economy on the Peninsula - Talk by Yeon Chul Kim](#)
Thursday, November 21 | 11:00AM-11:50AM | THH 212

[APSIA Online Graduate School Fair](#)
Thursday, November 21 | 11:00AM-1:15PM | Online

[Individualism, Collectivism, and Advaita – Discussion with Sej Saraiya](#)
Thursday, November 21 | 7:00PM | USC Pacific Asia Museum

[Horizons of \(Mis\)communication between Chinese Chan and Japanese Zen – Talk by Prof. Jason Protass](#)
Friday, November 22 | 12:30PM-2:30PM | DML 110C

Rethinking Cultural Relation: Sinophone and Anglophone Poetry Translation – Talk by Jacob Edmond

Friday, November 22 | 2:00PM-3:30PM | UCLA

Rice Lecture & Tasting National Agricultural Research Organization of Japan (NARO) – Workshop led by NARO

Saturday, November 23 | 2:00PM-3:00PM & 4:00PM-5:00PM | Japan House

Volatile Nationalism: Measuring Nationalism with Social Media Data and its Application to Vietnam and the Philippines - Talk by Xinru Ma

Monday, November 25 | 12:00PM-1:00PM | AHN 100

A Lecture of the Natural Physical Poetry: Move as own Breathing Rhythm – Butoh Workshop by Mushimaru Fujieda

Monday, November 25 | 6:00PM-9:00PM | Japan Foundation

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