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## EASC Staff Attend Department of Education Title VI Workshop in Washington, D.C.

In preparation for a major Title VI National Resource Center federal grant proposal, EASC staff **Grace Ryu** (Associate Director) and **Eva Luc** (Program Specialist) were in Washington, D.C. last week to attend the [Department of Education's International and Foreign Language Education \(IFLE\) Technical Assistance Workshop](#). With over 550 participants from universities across the nation, the conference addressed such topics as international education competencies for K-16 instruction; collaborations with professional schools and community colleges to increase foreign language and area studies from elementary to postsecondary education levels; and use of technology for teaching, learning and dissemination. They also met with David Brown, Executive Director of the **USC Federal Relations Office**.

Also in attendance were our **UCLA Asia Institute** partners, with whom we form the consortium [UCLA-USC Joint East Asian Studies Center \(JEASC\)](#). Since our designation as a Title VI National Resource Center in 1975, JEASC has been the driving force behind a remarkable expansion in training, research and outreach related to East Asia and its languages, making a significant contribution to meeting the national need for citizens knowledgeable about the world while dedicating itself to serving the people of Los Angeles and southern California.

A full report about the Title VI proposal and our efforts to address national need for international competencies in education will be forthcoming.

## Internships

[Project Bridge Group Leaders](#)  
Pacific Century Institute

## Fellowships

[Japan Foundation Japanese Studies Fellowship Program](#)  
Deadline: November 1, 2013

[Kobe College Corporation Japan Education Exchange Graduate Fellowship](#)  
Deadline: December 20, 2013

## Around LA

[Fraternization: Delineating Boundaries of Expression in US-Occupied Japan](#)  
Monday, September 30, 2013 / 4:00 - 7:00pm

[Mid-Autumn Moon Celebration](#)  
Sunday, October 6 / 12:00 - 6:00pm

## Headlines

[Japanese and American Academics Discuss Asian Environmentalism](#)  
Ecoseed featured the 2013 Joint Symposium on Buddhist Environmentalism held at USC, where Japanese and American scholars analyzed the history of Asian Buddhist environmental advocacy.

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Comments? Questions? Promotion requests?

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