



USC Dornsife *East Asian Studies Center*

MONDAY, April 4, 2022



Congratulations to our 2022 EASC Graduate Fellowship Recipients!

Please join us in congratulating our twenty-three recipients of the **2022 EASC Graduate Fellowships!** Our EASC Grad Fellows represent diverse fields in East Asian Languages and Cultures, History, American Studies & Ethnicity, Economics, Sociology, Cinema & Media Studies, Political Science & International Relations, Public Policy, Communication & Journalism, and Music.

We are honored to be able to help USC graduate students advance their academic careers in Asian Studies and are excited to see what amazing research they conduct. Stay tuned to learn about our awardees' summer projects later this year!

EVENT TODAY Role of ASEAN in Japan's "Free and Open Indo-Pacific"

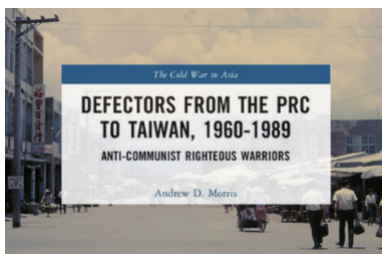
Talk by Kei Koga

Monday, April 4 | 12:00PM-1:30PM | **REGISTER**

What role does Japan expect ASEAN to play in the Indo-Pacific? Japan's "Free and Open Indo-Pacific" (FOIP) vision has drawn significant international attention in the context of the intensification of the US-China rivalry. Its fundamental objective is to maintain and enhance the existing rules-based order, but to do so requires diplomatic and political support from regional actors. Among them,



ASEAN is one of the most important players as the institution consists of 10 Southeast Asian states and has played a leading role in East Asia's multilateralism. However, it is still unclear what role Japan expects from ASEAN despite its repeated emphasis on the importance of ASEAN. **Kei Koga** (Assistant Professor in Public Policy and Global Affairs Programme, Nanyang Technological University) unpacks Japan's strategic vision toward the Indo-Pacific, its expectations of ASEAN, and the future prospect of Japan-ASEAN relations. This event is co-sponsored by the [East Asian Studies Center](#), [Korean Studies Institute](#), [Center for International Studies](#), and [Shinso Ito Center](#).



EVENT WEDNESDAY

EASC New Book Series: Sinophone Studies

Andrew Morris & Dominic Meng-Hsuan Yang

Wednesday, April 6 | 4:00PM-5:30PM | **REGISTER**

Join us for the last **EASC New Book Series on Sinophone Studies** this academic year! Register to attend this book

discussion on *Defectors from the PRC to Taiwan, 1960-1989: Anti-Communist Righteous Warriors* (Routledge, 2022) with author **Andrew D. Morris** (Professor of History at California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo) and discussant **Dominic Meng-Hsuan Yang** (Associate Professor of East Asian History, University of Missouri-Columbia). This monthly series is organized by **Li-Ping Chen**, Postdoctoral Scholar & Teaching Fellow in the [USC East Asian Studies Center](#), and is co-sponsored by the [Society of Sinophone Studies](#). We hope to see you on Zoom!

EVENT THURSDAY

Borrowed Recipes: Migrant Food

Worlds of the Silk Roads

Thursday, April 7 | 2:00PM-5:00PM | In-Person | **REGISTER**

Many of the foods we enjoy in Los Angeles arrived via long journeys along the ancient Silk Roads and are the result of countless exchanges between cultures in East and Central

Asia, Persia, Western Asia, North Africa, and the Mediterranean. Join us for a conversation about these often hidden—and delicious—culinary histories moderated by food historian **Joseph Nagy** of Harvard University, chef **Bughra Arkin** of **Dolan's Uyghur Cuisine**, food archaeologist **Farrell Monaco** of the blog *Tavola Mediterranea*, and Good Food producer **Elina Shatkin**. Presented by [USC Visions and Voices: The Arts and Humanities Initiative](#). Organized by the [USC Libraries](#), [USC Center for the Premodern World](#), [USC Archaeology Research Center](#), and [USC East Asian Studies Center](#). Co-sponsored by [Asian Pacific American Student Services](#).



USC Pacific Asia Museum Events in April

Please see below for some exciting events over at the USC Pacific Asia Museum! Museum admission is free for all USC faculty, staff and students. Please click [here](#) for directions to the museum.



Made in Fukushima: The Woodblock Prints of Saito Kiyoshi

Thursday, April 7 | 5:30PM - 7:00PM | Shinso Ito Center | **RSVP**

Free Second Sunday: Exploring Symbols in Chinese Art

Sunday, April 10 | 11 AM- 4 PM

Conversation@PAM: The Power and Eccentricity of Balinese Temple MasksThursday, April 14, | 6:30 PM | **RSVP****ArtNight@PAM**Friday, April 29 | 6:00PM | **RSVP****LIBERTY
IN
NORTH
KOREA****LiNK Up SoCal 2022****Wednesday, April 13 | 5:00PM | CPA 102 | RSVP**

The USC and UCLA **Liberty in North Korea** (LiNK) teams would like to cordially invite you to their hybrid event, **LiNK Up SoCal 2022**. This event features speaker **Seohyun Lee**,

a North Korean refugee currently based in Washington DC. There will also be a panel and workshop to discuss how to help North Korean refugees, the impacts of COVID on refugee journeys, human trafficking, and much more.

Global Health 2022 Fellowships**Deadlines: April 15 | Application**

The USC Institute on Inequalities in Global Health is offering 3 fellowships for the summer.

The **Breman Global Health Fellowship** offers up to \$5000 for 6 weeks of research-related travel to Africa, Asia and Latin America.

The **Anderson Family Global Health Immersion Fellowship** offers a \$3,000 award to support a 4-week research project in countries outside the United States.

The **JSI Fellowship** is awarded to two USC public health scholars who want to engage in global public health work.

**Events Around USC, CA & Beyond**

The Ceramics of Mino: 500 Years of Beauty and Innovation - Webinar by Morgan Pitelka

Tuesday, April 5 | 5:00PM - 6:00PM | Japan House | **RSVP**

The Role of Law: Interrogating the Contributions of Lawyers and Complexities of Legal Reform in Burma's Democracy's Movement

Wednesday, April 6 | 2:00PM - 4:00PM | UCLA CSEAS | **RSVP**

K-Startups: Empowering the Future of Young Entrepreneurs - Panel Discussion by Ryan Kim, Sol Park, and Jun Yoon

Wednesday, April 6 | 3:00PM | The Korea Society | **RSVP**

Hanbok: A New Lexicon of World Fashion - Webcast by Minjee Kim

Thursday, April 7 | 3:00PM | The Korea Society | **RSVP**

Reckoning with America's Long History of Anti-Asian Violence - Lecture by Erika Lee

Thursday, April 7 | 7:30PM - 9:00PM | The Huntington Museum | [RSVP](#)

Calligraphy Demonstration: Tang Qingnian 唐慶年 - Presentation by Tang Qingnian
Saturday, April 9 | 2:30PM - 4:00PM | The Huntington Museum

Buddhas, Bells, And The Legacies Of Japan's Medieval Metal Casters
Monday, April 11 | 5:00PM - 6:00PM | UCLA Terasaki Center | [RSVP](#)

Book Talk with Author Robert Hellyer: "Green with Milk and Sugar"
Monday, April 11 | 5:00PM - 6:30PM | Shinso Ito Center | [RSVP](#)

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