Good Luck on Finals!
The EASC team wishes you all the best on your upcoming finals! We know you have studied hard throughout the semester and we are here to support you through the final push!

EVENT WRAP
EASC Graduate Fellowships
VIDEO
Thank you for your interest in the EASC Graduate Fellowships Info Session. We had an excellent turnout with lots of great questions from the audience! Please click here to watch the recording. The deadline to apply for EASC Graduate Fellowships is 5:00PM on Friday, February 4, 2022.

EASC Graduate Fellowships provide summer stipends, typically between $1,000-$3,000, depending on the proposed course of study. The purpose of the award is to advance understanding of East Asia and/or US-Asia relations. Awards are given based on the quality of
the proposed project and budgets submitted with the application. The award may be used for research, language training or area studies, and can also be used for research including Asia in a comparative context or as a case study.

**Japan in the Long 1940’s: A New History**

**SPEAKERS | SCHEDULE | PHOTOS**

Thank you for joining us last Friday! Early-career scholars from universities all over the country and renowned senior scholar discussants demonstrated the possibilities of thinking about an integrated history of war and defeat in the Japanese context. This workshop stimulated new research directions for both Japanese studies and the global history of war mobilization and military occupation in the 20th century.

Co-sponsored by the USC East Asian Studies Center and Shinso Ito Center for Japanese Religions and Culture, with additional support by the Center for International Studies and Korean Studies Institute.

**EASC Fall Faculty Feature Friday Wrap**

Thank you for your continuous support this semester! This Fall, we had the opportunity to interview our Visiting Scholars and EASC affiliated faculty. Please join us next semester in celebrating our amazing community!

**Mengxiao Wang** is an Assistant Professor of East Asian Languages and Cultures! Mengxiao has just started at USC in August 2021, so we want to welcome her as a new USC faculty and affiliated EASC member! Her research and teaching focuses on Late Imperial Chinese literature and religion. Please read more about Mengxiao [here](#).

**Phillip Bloom** is a specialist in the history of gardens, designed landscapes, and Buddhist art and ritual of China's Song dynasty and has worked as the Curator of the Chinese Garden and Director of the Center for East Asian Garden Studies at the Huntington Library, Art Museum, and Botanical Gardens for the past 4 years. Please read more about Phillip [here](#).

**Yuanfei Wang** is a scholar of Chinese literature and comparative literature with a focus on medieval and early modern globalism, Chinese historiography, travelogues of Southeast Asia and Japan, race and ethnicity, pirates, material and visual culture, late imperial women’s
literature, translation studies, and cross-cultural exchange in premodern times. Please read more about Yuanfei [here](#).

**Events around USC, CA & Beyond**

**Beasts of a Little Land with Juhea Kim - Book Talk**  
Tuesday, December 7 | 3:00PM | The Korea Society | Online | [Register](#)

**New Class Analysis: Perspectives from the Academy and Beyond**  
Thursday, December 9 | 4:00PM - 5:30PM | UCI Center for Asian Studies | Online | [Register](#)

**Art & Conversation: Shi Zhiying in Legacies of Exchange**  
Thursday, December 9 | 6:00 PM - 7:00PM | LACMA | Online | [RSVP](#)

**Conversation on Tule Lake Stockade Diary by Tatsuo Ryusei Inouye**  
Saturday, December 11 | 2:00PM - 3:30PM | JANM | JANM & Online | [RSVP](#)

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