Upcoming Event
EASC New Book Series: Modern Japan
Timothy Yang and Susan Burns
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4 | 4:00PM-5:30PM (PT) | REGISTER

Join us for the next EASC New Book Series on Modern Japan on Friday, February 4! Register to attend this book discussion on *A Medicated Empire: The Pharmaceutical Industry and Modern Japan* (Cornell University Press, 2021) with author Timothy M. Yang (Assistant Professor of History, University of Georgia) and discussant Susan L. Burns (Professor of History and East Asian Languages and Civilizations, University of Chicago).

This monthly series is organized by Benjamin Uchiyama, USC Assistant Professor of History, and introduces recent publications by first-time authors in modern Japanese studies to the USC community and the wider public. We hope to see you on Zoom!
EVENT REMINDER
EASC Undergraduate Mixer
TUE, JAN 25 | 3:30PM - 4:00PM | REGISTER

EASC invites its undergraduate cohort to the Spring 2022 EASC Undergraduate Mixer. This gathering is designed to give all undergraduate students pursuing the EAAS Major and Minors an opportunity to engage with your East Asian Area Studies peers and meet the EASC team! Please register here to join us next week.

UPCOMING DEADLINES
EASC 360: Global East Asia Japan
Deadline to register is this Friday, January 21!

This intensive program is a research course for USC undergraduate students, made possible by EASC and USC Dornsife. Students from all majors, schools and language backgrounds are encouraged to register.

EASC 360 Tokyo - Japanese Society and Design Thinking
EASC 360 Kyoto - Heritage, Culture, and Identity in Japan's Ancient Capital

Due to the latest news regarding the COVID-19 Omicron strain and Japan’s latest travel restrictions, EASC 360: Global East Asia Maymester program has transitioned to in-person local travel courses at USC. Local site visits will include the Huntington Library, Japan House, and LA area museums and cultural destinations. These courses do not require an application or D-clearance for 2022.

Student Journal of Asian Studies @ USC
Website | Submit a paper

The USC Student Journal of Asian Studies (SJAS@USC) is a student-run journal created by Emmy Austin, Dione Simmons, Atharva Tewari and Hannah Skinner to publish undergraduate and graduate research in various disciplines in Asian studies. They are currently looking for publication submissions from different disciplines and the applications are not restricted to any particular major/minor/department. Publication submissions will be considered on a rolling basis until January 28, 2022. For more details on formatting guidelines and expectations, please see the SJAS website and find them on Instagram @uscsjas. This journal is supported by the East Asian Studies Center.

EASC Graduate Fellowships

There is less than a month left to apply for the EASC Graduate Fellowship! These 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.

The deadline to apply for EASC Graduate Fellowships is **5:00PM on Friday, February 4, 2022.**

**Events around USC, CA & Beyond**

**Cryptocurrency and Esports: The Future of Finance Meets the Future of Sports and Entertainment**
Tuesday, January 18 | 5:00PM - 6:00PM | Asia Society | Online | RSVP

**The Making of China’s Wolf Warrior Diplomacy: A Fireside Chat with Peter Martin**
Thursday, January 20 | 5:00 PM - 6:00PM | Asia Society | Online | RSVP

**From Lingguang Palace to Wu Liang Shrine: Cross-disciplinary Conversations**
Friday, January 21 | 5:00PM – 7:00PM | UCLA Center for Chinese Studies | Online | RSVP

**Art, Identity, and Power: An Evening with MC Rocky Rivera and Muralist Audrey Chan**
Friday, January 21 | 7:00PM - 8:30PM | USC Pacific Asia Museum | Online | RSVP

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