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East Asian Studies Center

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Welcome Back EASC Community!

We hope you had a relaxing and safe Winter Recess! Wherever you are returning from, we are happy to welcome you back to sunny Los Angeles and wish you a Happy New Year!

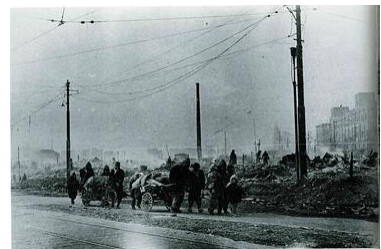
Upcoming Event

Special Guest Lecture: Sheldon Garon

Friday, January 27 | 4:00PM-5:30PM

| FLYER | RSVP

Prof. Benjamin Uchiyama invites the EASC community to an event with **Sheldon Garon**, Nissan Professor of History and East Asian Studies at Princeton University on "Morale on the Home Front from Europe to Japan: Its Transnational Construction and Deconstruction, 1914-1915." Sheldon Garon is a specialist in state-society



relations in modern Japan. He also writes transnational/global history that spotlights the flow of ideas and institutions between Asia, Europe, and the United States.

This event is co-sponsored by the [East Asian Studies Center](#), [Center for Advanced Genocide Research](#), [Center for International Studies](#) and the [Shinso Ito Center for Japanese Religions and Culture](#).



Spring 2023 Events!

EASC has a full calendar and invites you to join us at our upcoming [Spring 2023 events](#)! We will kick off the semester by co-sponsoring an event with [Sheldon Garon on Civilian Morale](#) during wartime periods around the world in January and the [Grad Professionalization Series](#) will begin again in February (see details below). We are bringing back the [East Asia Career Panel](#) and [Grad Mixer](#) in March for our undergraduate and graduate student communities. If you are an undergraduate, we are excited to continue our [Undergraduate Meet and Greet](#) sessions that take place on the first Tuesday of every month in the EASC office (CAS 100) with the first one happening **Tuesday, February 7**.

Look out for an interesting talk on [trafficking data in China](#) with **Aynne Kokas** in February, a panel on [cheese rituals and the colonial history of cheese making in the Himalayas](#) with **Kalzang Bhutia** (EASC Visiting Scholar) in March, and an online workshop with **Sonya Lee** on the Silk Road/Himalayan material culture with the Dunhuang Academy in April. We will continue our [EASC Guest Speaker Series](#) with an event on the [Nak Chung Thun Archive](#) at the USC libraries and a talk on the history of [nuclear energy in Japan](#). Also, be on the lookout for our annual [EASC Faculty Dinner and Book Launch](#) in April. Lastly, we will end the semester with a commencement celebration for all of our graduating students in May. We look forward to seeing you at our events this Spring!



EASC Grad Professionalization Series

EASC is excited to continue our **Grad Professionalization Series**! We will be hosting two in-person workshops for PhD and Masters students this semester in SOS B40. Take-out lunch boxes will be available following the workshop, so please make sure to mark your calendars and RSVP!

Navigating Grad Life: Funding & Building Networks

Thursday, February 23 | 11:30AM-12:30PM | RSVP

Youngmin Choe, Associate Professor of East Asian Languages and Cultures

Adrian De Leon, Assistant Professor of American Studies and Ethnicity

Job Search: Succeeding in Academia

Thursday, April 20 | 11:30AM-12:30PM | RSVP

Jenny Lin, Associate Professor of Critical Studies

Wayne Sandholtz, Professor of International Relations and Law

Audrye Wong, Assistant Professor of Political Science and International Relations

LAST CALL!

USC Student Journal of Asian Studies

There is still time to join the **USC Student Journal of Asian Studies** (SJAS@USC)! SJAS is a student-run journal created by **Emmy Austin**, **Dione Simmons** and **Atharva Tewari** to publish undergraduate and graduate research in various disciplines in Asian studies. They are currently looking for peer reviewers and publication submissions. Applicants from any major/minor or department are welcome to apply! For more details on formatting guidelines and expectations, please see the **SJAS website** and find them on Instagram **@uscsjas**.



Peer Reviewer Applications are due **January 10, 2023!** **Apply Here** ►

Paper Submissions for 2022-23 are due **January 15, 2023!** **Submit Here** ►



EASC Graduate Fellowships

Deadline: February 3

There is less than a month left to start your application for an EASC graduate fellowship! **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. The deadline to apply is **5:00PM Friday, February 3!** To learn more about the EASC Graduate Fellowships, please see our [informational video](#) from last year!

OPPORTUNITIES



Getty Marrow Undergraduate Internship Program

Deadline: February 1

The goal of the **Getty Marrow Undergraduate Internship program** is to diversify the staff of museums and visual arts organizations in LA County to better reflect the communities they serve. The program offers paid internships in core areas of museum work such as curatorship, conservation, education, publications, and public programming. No prior work experience or educational background in the arts is required. [Learn More](#) ►

Events Around USC, CA & Beyond

The Five Directions: Lacquer Through East Asia - Gallery Tour

Tues, Jan 10 | 1:30PM-2:00PM | Los Angeles County Museum of Art

The Space Between: The Modern in Korean Art - Gallery Tour

Tues, Jan 10 | 2:00PM-3:00PM | Los Angeles County Museum of Art

South Korea's Demographic Challenge
Thur, Jan 12 | 5:00AM | Korea Society | [RSVP](#)

Art Break with Miye Sugino
Thur, Jan 12 | 6:00PM | Japanese American National Museum | [RSVP](#)

Lunar New Year Festival
Sat, Jan 15 | 11:00AM-3:00PM | Bowers Museum

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