Upcoming Event

2023 East Asia Career Panel

Wednesday, March 22 | 5:00PM-6:30PM | SOS B40 | RSVP

We are excited to announce that we will be resuming the East Asia Career Panel with its ninth installment! The East Asia Career Panel is an annual event EASC organizes and is open to all undergraduate and graduate students interested in using East Asian language and area studies skills in their future professions and learning about the different career options available. Our impressive alumni panelists come from East Asia-related professions in fields such as business consulting, entertainment, journalism, non-profit, marketing, and education. The panel will be followed by a Q&A and networking opportunity. See below for the panelists and their bios!

Roc Su

Roc is Head of Cultural Consulting at Gold House, a non-profit organization that elevates Asians and Pacific Islanders to lead and thrive in culture and commerce through unity, investment, and promotion. Roc graduated from USC with a dual B.A. in Cinematic Arts Critical Studies and Economics. During his time as an undergraduate, he worked for EASC as a student staff! After graduating, he supported internal strategy and ops at PwC’s consulting business. In his current role, he works with partners to ensure respectful and authentic API storytelling in a variety of entertainment & media-focused fields.
**Teresa Watanabe**
Teresa is a staff writer for the *Los Angeles Times*. A Seattle native, she studied at Waseda University in Tokyo as an international student and graduated from USC in journalism and in East Asian languages and culture. After joining The Times in 1989, she served as Pacific Rim business reporter and Tokyo correspondent and bureau chief. She’s also covered immigration, ethnic communities, religion and currently serves as a higher education reporter.

**Tiara Wilson**
Tiara is pursuing a PhD in East Asian Languages and Cultures at USC and is currently working on a research project focused on Sinophone hip hop. Originally from Aurora, Colorado, Tiara earned a BA in International Studies from the University of Denver in 2018 and a MA in East Asian Area Studies from USC in 2021. In addition to her academic pursuits, Tiara works as a consultant specializing in educating community organizations and businesses on relevant local social justice issues and methods of organizing.

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**EVENT REMINDERS**

**Tomorrow! EASC UG Meet and Greet**
*Tuesday, March 7 | 4:00PM-5:00PM | CAS 100*
Join us tomorrow for our next EASC UG Meet and Greet! We will provide snacks and answer any questions you might have about our majors & minors, classes and Global East Asia Maymester. We look forward to reconnecting with you!

**Wednesday! EASC Grad Mixer**
*Wednesday, March 8 | 3:00PM-5:00PM | CAS 100*
Enjoy food, drink and conversation with fellow students across USC! Graduate students from any field are welcome to join, so it is a great opportunity to meet fellow students with East Asia-related research topics and interests.

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**OPPORTUNITIES**

**EASC Landscape and Sustainability Studies Initiative Research Assistant**
EASC welcomes applications for a Research Assistant to support its newly launched Landscape and Sustainability Studies Initiative. The RA will serve as a resource for the initiative as well as a liaison between EASC and partners at the Center for East Asian Garden...
Studies (CEAGS) at The Huntington. To apply, submit the application below where you can upload a cover letter, CV, a writing sample; and names of two references by Friday, March 31.

Apply Now!

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**East West Center in Washington Young Professional program**

**Deadline: March 12**

The East-West Center in Washington (EWCW) offers a paid summer program for undergraduates, graduates, as well as recent graduates, to gain first-hand training experience at a US-Indo-Pacific research and education organization in Washington, DC.

The program is full-time with a $2,000 per month stipend, subject to applicable taxes and withholding. Stipends are prorated for part-time participation and may count as university credits if your school permits.

EWCW strive to provide participants with a broad range of education and training opportunities during their time with EWCW. These may include acquiring and analyzing large datasets for our Asia Matter for America publications, writing articles for AsiaMattersforAmerica.org, attending webinars or seminars, and delivering briefs. Learn More >

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**Events Around USC, CA & Beyond**

**Immigrant Transnationalism and Homeland Development: Bangladeshi Migrants in Japan, Qatar, and the United States**

Mon, Mar 6 | 5:00PM-6:15PM | UCLA Asia Pacific Center | RSVP

**Eric Nam & Brian Nam - Mindset x USC: Identity in Mental Health**

Tues, Mar 7 | 6:30PM-7:30PM | Visions & Voices | RSVP

**JOM: Suara Southeast Asian Choir**

Tues, Mar 7 | 8:15PM | Thornton | MUS 106

**Morning Dew: The Stigma of Being Brainwashed**

Wed, Mar 8 | 11:00AM-1:00PM | UCI Center for Critical Korean Studies

**Songs for “Great Leaders”: Ideology and Political Agitation in the Music of North Korea**
Authoritarian Arming: Domestic Threats and the Origins of China’s Military Modernization

Wed, Mar 8 | 11:00AM-12:00PM | Van Hunnick History Department

Ming Dynasty Lives Inscribed in Stone and Bone

Thurs, Mar 9 | 3:00 PM-4:30 PM | UCLA Center for Chinese Studies

Pechka: A Korean Independence Story Adventure Set in the Russian Far East

Thurs, Mar 9 | 4:00 PM-5:00 PM | UCLA Center for Korean Studies | RSVP

ArtNight@PAM

Fri, Mar 10 | 6:00 PM-10:00 PM | Pacific Asia Museum | RSVP

Free Second Sunday@PAM - Celebrate Women Artists

Sun, Mar 12 | 11:00 AM-3:00 PM | Pacific Asia Museum

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