

Past Events – 2020

[“Because You Grew Up Here!”](#)

Lecture by: Monique Macias – Writer; Postgraduate student, SOAS, University of London)

Monday, November 30, 2020 – 1:30pm to 3:00pm – Lecture via Zoom

[Beyond Hard Power: Ten Years of Academic Engagement with North Korea, Pyongyang’s Motives and its Implications](#)

Lecture by: Kyung-Ae Park – Director, Canada-DPRK Knowledge Partnership Program (KPP)

Thursday, November 12, 2020 – 4:00pm to 5:15pm – Lecture via Zoom

[EALL & EAST Major Information Session](#)

Information session for Yale undergraduates interested in becoming an East Asian Languages & Literatures or East Asian Studies Major.

Wednesday, November 4, 2020 – 1:00pm to 2:00pm – Via Zoom

[Dictator’s Modernity Dilemma: Development and Democracy in South Korea, 1961-1987](#)

Lecture by: Joan Cho – Assistant Professor of East Asian Studies, Assistant Professor of Government, Wesleyan University

Friday, October 30, 2020 – 12:00pm to 1:30pm – Lecture via Zoom

[Learning from Monastic Litigation](#)

Lecture by: Philip Gant – Postdoctoral Associate in East Asian Studies and Lecturer in Religious Studies, Yale University

Wednesday, October 28, 2020 – 12:00pm to 1:30pm – Lecture via Zoom

[Bridging Language and Content: Making Interdisciplinary Connections in Higher Education – Focus on Advanced Korean Curriculum Development](#)

Conference featuring: Mijeong Kim (Washington University in St. Louis), Sun Hee Lee (Wellesley College), Hi-Sun Kim (Harvard University), Joowon Suh (Columbia University), Young-mee Yu Cho (Rutgers University), Ho Jung Choi (Princeton University), Hae Young Kim (Duke University), Haewon Cho (University of Pennsylvania), and Angela Lee-Smith (Yale University)

Saturday, October 24, 2020 – 10:00am to 4:30pm – Conference via Zoom

[K-Romanizer, An Automation Tool for Korean Romanization](#)

Workshop led by: Jee-Young Park (The University of Chicago), Hyoungbae Lee (Princeton University), and Jude Yang (Yale University)

Thursday, October 22, 2020 – 2:00pm to 3:00pm – Workshop via Zoom

[More on Korean Romanization: Its Complexities and Problems](#)

Workshop led by: Jee-Young Park (The University of Chicago), Hyoungbae Lee (Princeton University), and Jude Yang (Yale University)

Thursday, October 15, 2020 – 2:00pm to 3:00pm – Workshop via Zoom

[Introduction on Korean Romanization](#)

Workshop led by: Jee-Young Park (The University of Chicago), Hyoungbae Lee (Princeton University), and Jude Yang (Yale University)

Thursday, October 8, 2020 – 2:00pm to 3:00pm – Workshop via Zoom

[Unearthing Written Cultures of Ancient Korea and Japan \(lecture\)](#)

Lecture by: Marjorie Burge – Assistant Professor of Japanese, University of Colorado Boulder

Monday, October 5 – 4:00pm to 5:30pm – Lecture via Zoom

[Fantasies of Resistance: Plastic Surgery, Feminisms, and K-Pop's "Bad Bitch"](#)

Lecture by: S. Hejin Lee – Assistant Professor in Social and Cultural Analysis, New York University

Wednesday, September 30 – 4:00pm to 5:30pm – Lecture via Zoom

[Japanophone Literature in the Age of Three Worlds](#)

Nayoung Aimee Kwon – Associate Professor of Korean and Japanese Cultural Studies, Duke University

Monday, February 17, 2020 – 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM – 202 Henry R. Luce Hall

[1K for NK: ThiNK Benefit Concert](#)

Benefit concert to raise \$1,000 for North Korean refugees. See the link above for details on performances.

Friday, February 14, 2020 – 8:00 PM to 10:00 PM – Sudler Recital Hall at WL Harkness Hall

[The Emotional Topography of the Zainichi Memoryscape: Korean Ghettos in Postwar Japan Revisited](#)

Sayaka Chatani – Assistant Professor and Presidential Young Professor at the Department of History, National University of Singapore

Wednesday, February 12, 2020 – 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM – 301 Rosenkranz Hall

Korean Millennials Annual Meeting 2020: Challenges to the Transition to Adulthood in Korea and Beyond

Saturday, February 7 – Sunday February 8, 2020 – 203 Henry R. Luce Hall

2020 Lunar New Year Celebration

Friday, January 24, 2020 – 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM – DOW 100 (370 Temple St.)

Korean food will be served!