News & Events

Binod Khadria Delivers Talk at ASU on Migration Conflicts
On January 10, Professor Binod Khadria of Rutgers University delivered a talk entitled "The Trinity of Migration Conflicts" in COOR Hall. The talk focused on increasing international migrations of labor and how such phenomena affect immigration and border controls of destination countries.

Upcoming Events

The Interdisciplinary Committee on Linguistics presents:

Dr. Hideko Abe: Associate Professor, Colby College.
"Be Natural": Linguistic Practices of Japanese Transgender Speakers
January 26, 2018, 2 pm, 117 RBH
This talk demonstrates how transgender speakers present their subject position in the Japanese language.

CAR Visiting Lectures, Spring 2018

Fabio Lanza: Associate Professor, University of Arizona.
The Politics of Concern: Global Maoism and Asian Studies in the Long Sixties
February 8, 2018, 12pm, COOR 4403
This talk will retrace the history and legacy of the Committee of Concerned Asian Scholars to explain a moment of transition in Cold War politics when Maoist China influenced activists and intellectuals worldwide.

Christian Sorace: Assistant Professor, Colorado College.
Extracting Affect: Televised Cadre Confessions in Contemporary China
February 15, 2018, 3 pm, COOR 4403
Abstract: As part of our UISFL-sponsored Asia Mediated lecture series, Professor Sorace will discuss the revelations arising from recent televised confessions of Chinese Communist Party cadres, regarding China's political order and its underlying mechanisms.
Sheldon Simon: Professor, Arizona State University.
See Seng Tan: Professor, Nanyang Technological University-Singapore

The South China Sea Conflicts: Is There a Solution?
March 1, 2018, 12 pm, COOR 6761

ASU Professor Sheldon Simon and See Seng Tan, Professor at Singapore Rajaratnam Institute of International Studies (and an ASU alumnus of distinction) present a colloquium on the origins and possible solutions of the South China Sea conflicts. This colloquium is sponsored by the ASU Center for Asian Research, School of Politics and Global Studies, and the Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law. Lunch will be provided.

Conferences

Conference on InterAsian Connections VI: Hanoi
Proposal Deadline: February 28, 2018

The Social Science Research Council is looking for research participants from various social science and related disciplines for their 2018 conference on InterAsian Connections, which will be held in Hanoi, Vietnam in December. See the provided link for more details about the workshops that will be held:

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Inaugural Theravada Studies Conference 2018- Registration

There will be a conference on Theravada cultures and civilizations held on March 21, 2018, at the Marriott Wardman Park Hotel, Washington DC. Participants and attendees please register on the Theravada website through the following link:


Study Abroad Opportunities

International Summer School for Jain Studies (ISSJS) in India
Application Deadline: March 1, 2018

ISSJS is currently accepting applications for three, four, and six week study programs in India. The study program offers a unique opportunity to study Nonviolence and Jainism. It is designed for undergraduate and graduate students, Post-Doctoral Fellows, full-time faculty, and others. For program details and application, visit the website: www.isjs.in
Internship Opportunities

Katzenberger Foundation Art History Internship

Application Deadline: February 15, 2018

The Smithsonian Institution is offering six paid summer internships for undergraduate students. One of the projects focuses on the collection of Japanese illustrated books at the Freer Gallery of Art and the Arthur M. Sackler Gallery in Washington, DC. There is a stipend of $6000, and the internship dates go from June 4, 2018 to August 10, 2018 (some projects may require weekend duty; interns must be available for the entire 10 weeks, 40 hours per week). For more information regarding the Katzenberger Internship, see: https://www.smithsonianofi.com/internship-opportunities/katzenberger-art-history-internship/

Questions about the program can be directed to Karen Carter, Program Specialist: Carterk@si.edu

Scholarships & Grants

Sage Family Southeast Asian Studies Scholarship

Application Deadline: February 15, 2018

The Sage Scholarships allows full-time, undergraduate students of all majors the opportunity to be awarded $3,000 for summer or academic year travel to Laos and Southeast Asia. Students who receive the scholarship must 1) spend at least half of their scholarship-funded trip in Laos; 2) submit, within three months of completing the scholarship, a trip report of approximately six pages (c2,000 words) reflecting on their trip and its lessons; and 3) make at least one public or classroom presentation at ASU about their experiences.

For more information and application, please email James Rush: James.Rush@asu.edu