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Ruby Lectures (3) in Commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History - The Virtue and Cruelty of History: The Unforgetting of the 1976 Massacre in Bangkok

歷史系四十周年誌慶講座(三) (2018.10.3)



2018 marks the 40th Anniversary of the Department and with the generous support of the Institute of Creativity and Hung Hin Shiu Charitable Foundation, the Department of History is proud to present the Ruby Lectures, an important highlight of our celebration which feature a series of 6 distinguished lectures.

The third Ruby Lecture was successfully held on 3 October. The speaker, Prof. Thongchai Winichakul is Professor Emeritus of the University of Wisconsin-Madison and Chief Senior Researcher of the Institute of Developing Economies. Prof. Thongchai Winichakul is a leading scholar in History and Southeast Asian Studies and he specializes in Thai History which provides sources of inspiration for scholars working on nation and nationalism, intellectual history, cultural history, religion, politics, geography, and historical knowledge.

Prof. Thongchai Winichakul delivered a lecture entitled “The Virtue and Cruelty of History: The Unforgetting of the 1976 Massacre in Bangkok”. The lecture attracted a full house of 150 audience.

Miss Soo-ei Yap served as the MC of the lecture. First, Dr. Oiyan Liu provided a brief introduction of Prof. Thongchai Winichakul. Prof. Rick Wong, Vice-President (Research and Development) and Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho presented a souvenir to Prof. Thongchai Winichakul on the university's behalf.



Prof. Winichakul discussed how various factors, including the state's suppression and censorship, shame, and historical ideology contributed to the limited discourse on the massacre at Thammasat University in Bangkok on 6 October, 1976 for over four decades. Although, in his viewpoint, history is cruel and hurtful, studying history is also a virtue, allowing him to analyze the complexity of the incident and develop a sense of morality towards different situations. Prof. Thongchai Winichakul's lecture led the audience to recall the truth through studying history.





A Q&A session was arranged after the lecture. Dr. Oiyen Liu and Dr. Noriaki Hoshino served as the moderators.

For details of the Ruby Lectures, please refer to: https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/24a3f3_dc19f8b68bfa494589da8a41b477114b.pdf

2018年是歷史系重要而精彩的一年，其中很榮幸得到創意研究院及孔憲紹慈善基金的大力支持，使本系得以舉辦一連六場的誌慶講座。我們有幸邀請六位國際知名史學家於本學期親臨浸大演講，他們是來自美國、歐洲及亞洲對歷史研究舉足輕重的權威歷史學家。

第三場「四十周年誌慶講座」於10月3日舉行，由威斯康辛大學麥迪遜分校榮休教授、現任日本貿易振興機構亞洲經濟研究所（IDE-JETRO）上席主任調查研究員Prof. Thongchai Winichakul主講，題為“*The Virtue and Cruelty of History: The Unforgetting of the 1976 Massacre in Bangkok*”，吸引超過150人出席。

Prof. Thongchai Winichakul在講座中回顧1976年10月6日在曼谷發生的法政大學大屠殺事件，反思這場殘酷可怕的歷史回憶。他剖析了政權鎮壓和審查、人民內心的不安和羞恥及歷史意識形態如何令屠殺事件在四十年來成為一段被噤聲的過去。縱然歷史是殘酷的，但透過學習歷史令他了解不同事情的關係和複雜性，從而建立一套有益於世道人心的價值觀，彰顯德善。



有關「四十周年誌慶講座」之詳情，請瀏覽：https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/24a3f3_dc19f8b68bfa494589da8a41b477114b.pdf

Ruby Lectures (4) in Commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History - When Global History and Women's History Meet

歷史系四十周年誌慶講座(四) (2018.10.24)



The fourth Ruby Lecture organized by the Department of History and co-sponsored by the Gender Studies Concentration was successfully held on 24 October. The speaker, Prof. Bonnie G. Smith is Board of Governors Distinguished Professor Emerita at Rutgers University. Prof. Smith is a widely-recognized scholar and pioneer in women's history. She inserts tremendous efforts in representing the historical experience of women not only in the Western world, but across the globe. She also demonstrates how the practices of history have been shaped by gender.

Mr. Kwai-hin Tam served as the MC of the lecture. First, Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho provided a brief introduction of Prof. Smith. Dr. Albert Chau, Vice-President (Teaching and Learning) and Prof. Ho presented a souvenir to Prof. Bonnie G. Smith on the university's behalf.



RUBY LECTURES


IN COMMEMORATION OF THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

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About the Speaker

Bonnie G. Smith is Board of Governors Distinguished Professor Emerita, Rutgers University. She is the author, co-author, and editor of seven books, twenty books in world, European, and women's and gender history and historiography. She has taught world, regional, and gender courses in three fields. She is also the author and co-author of three books on which she was general editor. She is also the editor and co-editor of three books on which she was general editor. She is also the editor and co-editor of three books on which she was general editor. She is also the editor and co-editor of three books on which she was general editor.



When Global History and Women's History Meet


Professor Bonnie G. SMITH (Rutgers University)

October 24, 2018 (Wednesday)
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Dr. & Mrs. Hung Hin-shu Lecture Theatre (SCM012), Jockey Club School of Chinese Medicine Building, Baptist University Road, Kowloon Tong





Abstract

Global History and Women's and Gender History are two contemporary recent subjects, whose joint historiography has long granted the research in the study of events, regions, and nations through security some have turned to look at global phenomena and interactions, including wars, cross-border migration, trade, technology, travel, world religions, and cultural exchange—is rare in U.S. courses in the field from the history of women's rights globally about the world and global history enterprises. The change is that they did not come together in the same, whether explicitly, and the special spread of subject. Instead they sat of, none. Even in generating the field, world history curriculum have been decided has against the inclusion of women. It was said that world history was about "big processes and global figures, as Prof. Mercedes Gorich could appear in textbooks that individual women's rights globally about the world and global history and the history of women. More to the point, the historiography requires the rights to historical narrative to be generated from this enterprise.



Co-sponsor: Gender Studies Concentration

ALL ARE WELCOME



Prof. Smith delivered a lecture entitled “When Global History and Women’s History Meet.” Global History and Women’s and Gender History are two comparatively recent subfields whose paths increasingly cross. Seeing that women’s history is often being excluded and placed at the margin in the basic world history, Prof. Smith discussed the integration of women into world history and the history of women from the global perspective. She urged people to invest in the studies on ordinary people, as margins are places of creativity and thus take women’s history into the spotlight.

A Q&A session was arranged after the lecture. Dr. Bettina Dietz and Dr. Rebecca Robinson served as the moderators.

For details of the Ruby Lectures, please refer to: https://docs.wixstatic.com/ugd/24a3f3_dc19f8b68bfa494589da8a41b477114b.pdf



歷史系於10月24日舉辦第四場「四十周年誌慶講座」，由羅格斯大學校董會傑出榮休教授 Prof. Bonnie G. Smith主講有關全球史和女性史的融合。是次講座由性別研究專修課程共同贊助。

全球史和女性與性別歷史是兩個新興而頗多交會的研究範疇。過往女性的歷史經常被排除在世界歷史的邊緣，Prof. Smith從全球視角討論了女性融入世界歷史和女性史的方向。她希望學者投放精力增加對普通人的相關研究，因為被忽略的邊緣往往能引發新的研究命題，因此期望對女性的歷史激發更豐盛的討論。

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HKBU Homecoming Day 2018 2018 校友日 (2018.10.20)



The “Back to BU, Re-live your Youth: HKBU Homecoming Day 2018” organized by the Alumni Affairs Office was held on 20 October 2018 (Saturday). The event aimed at inviting HKBU alumni to return to their alma mater and to reconnect with former classmates and teachers. History alumni from the Classes of 1978, 1983, 1994 and 2015 joyfully returned to HKBU and participated in the Homecoming activities.

This is the first time for Faculties, Schools, Academies, and Departments to join the Open House Session on Homecoming Day. Alumni were first invited to join the sharing by Prof. Adrian J. Bailey, Dean of the Social Sciences Faculty at AAB 1312. Prof. Bailey introduced the recent achievements of different departments and encouraged alumni to get involved in the activities organized by their home department. Alumni from the Classes of 1978, 1994, and 2015 visited the Department at AAB to have a reunion in the afternoon before the Investiture Ceremony.



Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho expressed her warm welcome to alumni. Prof. Kai-wing Chow joined the gathering to meet their former students. While enjoying some refreshments, alumni chatted happily and shared their memories of the good old days at the campus.

As the Department is celebrating its 40th Anniversary in 2018 and the Alumni Reunion will take place on 1 December, Prof. Ho took the opportunity to invite alumni who joined the gathering to return to their home department with more classmates and friends.



Some members from the Classes of 1978 and 1983 attended the Alumni Investiture Ceremony in celebration of their graduation anniversaries at AAB.



List of Participating Alumni 出席校友名單

《1978 紅寶石禧》											
文學院	中文	蔡賜福	商學院	商管	招家楠	商學院	秘書管理	曾惠珍	社會科學學院	史地	許浩先
文學院	中文	李再唐	商學院	商管	劉國芳	商學院	秘書管理	謝小玲	社會科學學院	史地	關鏡光
文學院	英文	馮國強	商學院	商管	梁金棠	理學院	化學	盧子聰	社會科學學院	史地	林逸慧
文學院	英文	梁永祥	商學院	商管	謝佳炎	社會科學學院	傳理	程寶嫻	社會科學學院	史地	莫頌平
文學院	音樂	趙雪虹	商學院	商管	王克勤	社會科學學院	傳理	周美亮	社會科學學院	史地	吳民傑
文學院	音樂	何露玲	商學院	商管	黃志堅	社會科學學院	傳理	陸季嫻	社會科學學院	史地	楊世光
文學院	音樂	林永權	商學院	商管	黃定能	社會科學學院	傳理	倫潔瑩	社會科學學院	社工	陳雲龍
文學院	音樂	廖愛倩	商學院	商管	游樂	社會科學學院	傳理	麥振江	社會科學學院	社工	鄭東玲
文學院	音樂	黃佑新	商學院	秘書管理	覃慧貞	社會科學學院	傳理	戴巧珠	社會科學學院	社工	謝麗玲
商學院	會計	甘愛蘭	商學院	秘書管理	梁志瑩	社會科學學院	傳理	徐國楡	社會科學學院	社工	黃瑜心
商學院	商管	陳寶正	商學院	秘書管理	穆斐文	社會科學學院	傳理	葉焯德	社會科學學院	社工	邱婉英
			商學院	秘書管理	張慧敏	社會科學學院	傳理	袁志偉	社會科學學院	社會	陳俊泰

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社會科學學院	社會	陳偉華	社會科學學院	社會	李潔然	商學院	商管	周惠玲	理學院	生物	勞錦輝
社會科學學院	社會	朱活平	社會科學學院	社會	陸耀文	商學院	商管	李錦全	理學院	生物	麥雨玲
社會科學學院	社會	何志從	社會科學學院	社會	彭品智	商學院	商管	曾清華	理學院	土木	簡志成
社會科學學院	社會	韓靜嫻	社會科學學院	社會	王紀康	商學院	商管	黃宗耀	理學院	物理	范俊傑
社會科學學院	社會	許保榮	社會科學學院	社會	黃玉蓮	商學院	經濟	陳文昆	理學院	物理	林麗貞
社會科學學院	社會	郭品瑤	社會科學學院	社會	黃志卿	商學院	經濟	蔡偉民	理學院	物理	凌俊毅
社會科學學院	社會	林坤儉	社會科學學院	社會	黃莉玲	商學院	經濟	周俊華	理學院	物理	鄧國良
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社會科學學院	社會	劉惠芬	社會科學學院	社會	黃維豐	商學院	經濟	徐聯安	社會科學學院	地理	陳炎華
社會科學學院	社會	劉煥瓊	《1983 珊瑚禧》			商學院	經濟	黃文驥	社會科學學院	歷史	周瑞萍
社會科學學院	社會	劉楚貞				商學院	會計	雷兆和	商學院	經濟	楊達光
社會科學學院	社會	李國強	商學院	會計	雷兆和	理學院	生物	關耀榮	基礎課程		黃碧琴

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Class of 1983



Class of 1978



A Grand Reunion Dinner was held at SCC 201, Madam Kwok Chung Bo Fun Sports and Cultural Centre in the evening.



Public Lecture on Big History and Student Conference on Humanity, Sustainability & Artificial Intelligence (2018.9.29)



The Department of History supported a Public Lecture on Big History organized by the Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education, HKUST and Division of Environment and Sustainability. The lecture was delivered by Prof. David Christian, Distinguished Professor of History at Macquarie University, Australia.

Prof. Christian discussed the story of the universe from the Big Bang to complex modern societies by drawing insights from disciplines such as astronomy, physics, biology, archaeology, history, and economics and how different knowledge disciplines are connected. Prof. Christian also described some of the resources now available to people interested in teaching big history, including a new online site being built at Macquarie University.



香港資優教育學苑 The Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education
Advanced Learning Experiences Division 進階學習體驗部

PROF. DAVID CHRISTIAN IN HONG KONG

- Public Lecture on Big History
- Student Conference on Humanity, Sustainability & Artificial Intelligence

Introduction (9/23/2018)

Big History, an emerging discipline introduced by Prof. David Christian:

- tells the story of the universe from the Big Bang to our complex modern societies by drawing on insights from disciplines such as astronomy, physics, biology, archaeology, history, and economics.
- analysis how different knowledge disciplines are connected, and helps us reflect on the big questions: Why does our universe exist? Where do we come from? What challenges will the future hold for our planet and ourselves?
- provides a powerful framework to address complex real-world problems.

Big History and Collective Learning, first introduced in 2016/17, aims to introduce this emerging discipline to educators and students in Hong Kong. This project develops with an ambitious further purpose and create a Big History learning community in Hong Kong.

As an extension to Big History and Collective Learning 2017/18, this event gives you an opportunity to meet the Big History Founder introducing the story and hear what the young generation has to say about the challenges and opportunities ahead of them at this threshold moment in history.

Speakers Prof. David Christian
Distinguished Professor of History at Macquarie University, Australia
Director of Big History Institute at Macquarie University, Australia
Co-founder of Big History Project

Student Speakers
Secondary school students selected at Big History and Collective Learning 2017/18
Students Formed by a panel of Professors

Target Participants
Interested secondary school teachers and students
Capacity: 150 (first come, first served)

Language English

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Schedule & Programme

Date	29 September 2018 (Saturday)
Time	1:30pm – 6:00pm (Registration begins at 1:00pm)
Venue	Mrs. Padma Harika Lecture Theatre V&E104, 1/F, The Wing Lung Bank Building for Business Studies, Shau Campus, Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU), Kowloon Tong
Organized by	Centre for the Development of Science and Technology (CDST), HKUST and Department of History of Hong Kong University (HKU)
Programme	Public Lecture on Big History by Prof. David Christian Student Presentation on Humanity, Sustainability and Artificial Intelligence
Application Deadline	21 September 2018
Enquiries	For enquiries, please contact Advanced Learning Experiences Division (Ms. Queenie Choh) by phone at 2942-0191 or by email at al@hkae.edu.hk

Acknowledgement
This event is organized by Advanced Learning Experiences Division of the Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education (HKAEGE) and supported by the Centre for the Development of Science and Technology (CDST) and Department of History of the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST) and Department of History of Hong Kong University (HKU).

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The lecture was followed by a student conference on Humanity, Sustainability and Artificial Intelligence. Students from the Gifted Programme divided into groups and presented their projects.

Dr. Albert Chau, Vice-President (Teaching and Learning), Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho and Dr. Man-kong Wong attended the event and showed their support.



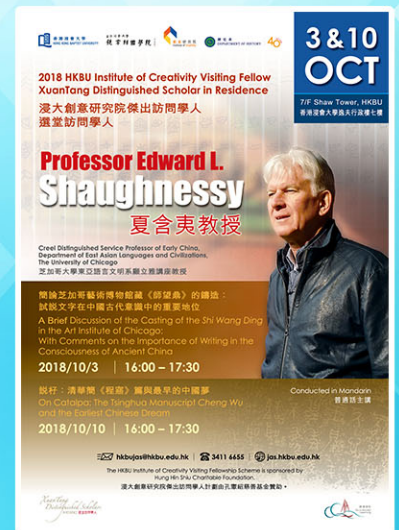
夏含夷教授主講「《鄭文公問太伯》與中國古代文獻抄寫的問題」 2018 HKBU Institute of Creativity Visiting Fellow cum XuanTang Distinguished Scholar in Residence: A Public Lecture by Prof. Edward L. Shaughnessy (2018.10.10)

Reported by Dr. Kin-sum (Sammy) LI



2018浸大創意研究院傑出訪問學人暨選堂訪問學人夏含夷教授（芝加哥大學東亞語言文明系顧立雅講座教授）於10月3日及10日分別主講兩場公開講座，第二場講座由饒宗頤國學院與歷史系合辦，題為「《鄭文公問太伯》與中國古代文獻抄寫的問題」。

夏含夷教授在講座中討論了古代中國抄寫文獻的歷史。《鄭文公問太伯》是清華大學收藏戰國時期竹簡文書的其中一篇，分為甲、乙兩個版本。夏含夷教授通過分析兩個版本的內容、書寫字體的異同等方面，回應了柯馬丁教授關於古代中國文獻抄寫的設想問題，論證了在古代中國，基於現有文本抄寫出新文本應為普遍通行之法。夏含夷教授精彩的演講內容，吸引了諸多與會者提出問題，為出席人士留下了廣潤的思考空間。



HKBU Information Day 2018 (2018.10.13)



The HKBU Information Day 2018 for Undergraduate Admissions was held on 13 October 2018 (Saturday). The event attracted more than 25,000 applicants and visitors to obtain the latest information about different departments and programmes. Introductory Booths of SOSC Faculty were located at the 3/F pavilion of the Academic and Administration Building (AAB).



Dr. Wing-chung Fan, Dr. Yuen-han Law, Dr. Jie Ding, Dr. Raymond Kwun-sun Lau, and Dr. Kam-chau Kwok, members of the Information Day Committee, supported the whole-day event together with the General Office team and student helpers, including Ching-chung Tong (BA/HIST, Year 3), Lok-him Li (BA/HIST, Year 3), Sze-wan Kwan (BA/HIST, Year 2), and Kim-ming Pak (BA/HIST + BEd, Year 3).

Panel displays were set up to introduce different programmes and features of the Department. Leaflets were distributed to visitors to gain a better understanding on course offerings, structures, admission requirements, and future careers. All supporting members made great efforts in handling enquiries and promoting the Department.

Dr. Wing-chung Fan, Dr. Yuen-han Law, and Dr. Kam-chau Kwok served as representatives to support the briefing sessions organized by the SOSC Faculty and China Studies Programme.



Refugee Walk 考察活動 HIST 3106 Field Trip (2018.10.13 & 15)

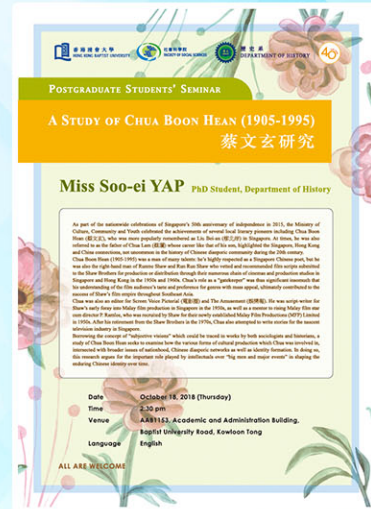
Reported by Dr. Kam-chau KWOK



修讀HIST 3106中港時事 (Current Issues in Hong Kong and China)的同學，分別在10月13日和10月15日參與Refugee Walk和探訪勵行會中心。當日由基督教勵行會社工帶領，考察東南亞在港難民於尖沙咀、油麻地和佐敦的聚集點，包括重慶大廈、聖安德烈堂、九龍佑靈堂、聯合國難民處等地點，也探訪了一個位於廟街的難民家庭。活動讓同學認識勵行會的運作、在港難民的數字和社會邊緣群體的困境。同學有機會親身接觸難民，明白他們不能返回原居地，又得不到西方國家收容，導致停滯在香港、不能工作和上學，及沒有身份的無奈。活動得到浸會大學創新服務學習中心的Service-Learning Mini-Grants 支持，特此鳴謝。



Postgraduate Students' Seminar: A Study of Chua Boon Hean (1905-1995) 蔡文玄研究 (2018.10.18)



Miss Soo-ei Yap, a PhD candidate of the Department, delivered a candidature seminar on her research entitled “A Study of Chua Boon Hean (1905-1995)” on 18 October at AAB 1153.

As part of the nationwide celebrations of Singapore’s 50th anniversary of independence in 2015, the Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth celebrated the achievements of several local literary pioneers including Chua Boon Hean (蔡文玄), who was more popularly remembered as Liu Bei-an (柳北岸) in Singapore. At times, he was also referred to as the father of Chua Lam (蔡瀾) whose career like that of his son, highlighted Singapore, Hong Kong and China connections, not uncommon in the history of the Chinese diasporic community during the 20th century.

Borrowing the concept of “subjective visions” which could be traced in works by both sociologists and historians, a study of Chua Boon Hean seeks to examine how the various forms of cultural production which Chua was involved in, intersected with broader issues of nationhood, Chinese diasporic networks as well as identity formation. In doing so, Miss Yap’s research argues for the important role played by intellectuals over “big men and major events” in shaping the enduring Chinese identity over time.



Guest Visit



Prof. Edward L. Shaughnessy, Creel Distinguished Service Professor of Early China, Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations, The University of Chicago, and former DAA of the History Department, visited the Department again and chatted with current colleagues on 10 October 2018.

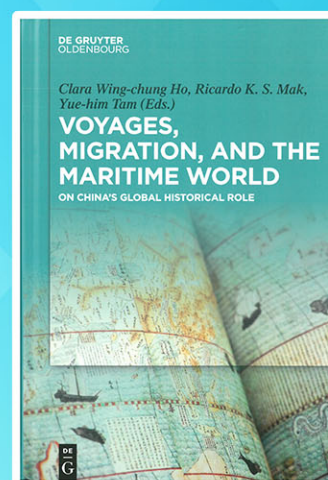
Members' Publications 本系成員著作

Prof. Clara Wing-chung HO (Head and Professor) and Prof. Ricardo King-sang MAK (Professor)

◆ Clara Wing-chung Ho, Ricardo K.S. Mak, Yue-him Tam (eds.), *Voyages, Migration, and the Maritime Silk Road: On China's Global Historical Role* (Berlin & Boston: DeGruyter, 2018), 261 pages. ISBN: 978-3110585070.

Introduction:

This multi-authored volume resulted from an international conference focusing on topics related to our understanding of the role of China in global history. Apart from introductory chapters exploring methodological issues and contextualizing China's historical role in the world, this volume also includes rich discussions on the following themes from the ancient period to the twentieth century: organized water transport, cultural interactions, navigators, port cities, smuggling activities, customs service, foreign relations, migration, and diasporas. Written by scholars from different generations who are based in diverse regions including Canada, Hong Kong, Japan, Singapore, Taiwan, the UK, and the US, the chapters in this volume either address old questions from new perspectives, or foreground new topics that were largely ignored in previous scholarship. Some suggest possible future research directions. This thought-provoking volume will be beneficial to readers who are interested in rethinking China's position on the global historical stage against the backdrop of post-Orientalism.



Prof. Kai-wing CHOW (Professor Emeritus)

◆ 〈從文化平台到創新動力〉，《文化躍動 啟迪傳薪——聯合出版集團成立三十周年紀念文集》（香港：三聯書店，2018年），頁56-60。

◆ 《細語和風：明治以來的日本》（香港：中和出版有限公司，2018年）。272頁。ISBN：9789888466962。

簡介：

1868年的明治維新使日本成功走上近代化之路，之後的一百五十年，日本發生了多番變化。這一百五十年，又分為幾個不同的分期—明治時代（1868—1912年）、大正時代（1912—1926年）、以第二次世界大戰為分水嶺的昭和前期（1928—1945年）及昭和後期（1945—1989年）及平成時代（1989—現在）。前三者是日本的近代史，後兩者是日本的現代史。

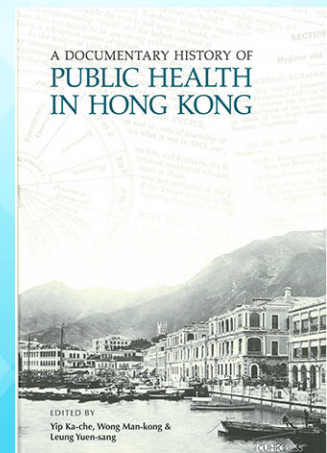
周佳榮教授常年致力於日本研究，本書圍繞著近現代日本的歷史和文化而作論述，並按內容編為四輯：「政治和社會發展」、「經濟和對外關係」、「出版與文化活動」、「科技與學術前沿」。反映了作者對日本歷史文化的理解和基本看法，予以讀者具啟發性的參考。

**Dr. Timothy Man-kong WONG (Associate Professor)**

◆ Yip Ka-che, Wong Man Kong, and Leung Yuen Sang (eds.), *A Documentary History of Public Health in Hong Kong* (Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press), 433 pages. ISBN: 9789629968366.

Introduction:

The publication of this book marks the fifteenth anniversary of the outbreak of the SARS epidemic in Hong Kong in 2003. This documentary study, originating as a research project a year after the epidemic, is a comprehensive attempt to examine the development of public health in Hong Kong from 1841 to the early 1990s. It covers the periods of prewar colonial rule, Japanese occupation, postwar reconstruction and growth, and the beginning of decolonisation. It analyses political, social, economic, and cultural factors, including the intersection of colonial priorities and indigenous agency and practices that affected disease outbreaks and development, government and local responses, advances in technology related to health and medicine, as well as the emergence of health agencies and institutions. The historical documents, selected from government archives, personal papers, and special collections, are invaluable source materials for the critical evaluation of such developments. The book provides a much needed and indispensable historical perspective to understanding Hong Kong's struggle to combat prevalent and emerging diseases such as malaria, tuberculosis, avian influenza, and SARS.

**Dr. Jatinder MANN (Assistant Professor)**

◆ Jatinder Mann (ed.), *Studies in Transnationalism Book Series*, Peter Lang Publishing, New York. (<https://www.peterlang.com/view/serial/SIT>)

Dr. Yuen-han LAW (Lecturer I)

◆ 〈防疫與殖民管治危機：1894年香港鼠疫研究〉，載於復旦大學歷史學系、復旦大學中外現代化進程研究中心主編：《藥品、疾病與社會》(上海：上海古籍出版社，2018年)，頁166-218。



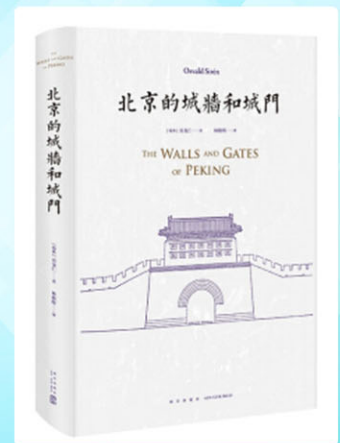
Miss Zhihui LIN (PhD Student)

◆ 喜龍仁著，林稚暉譯：《北京的城牆和城門》(北京：新星出版社，2018)。

簡介：

始建於元，重建於明，延續於清的北京城，被中外學者視為建築上的奇觀。城牆與城門作為其地標建築，見證了這座非凡都市的大半部歷史。

1920—1921年，出於對中國文化和北京城的熱愛，瑞典漢學家喜龍仁花兩年時間踏查了北京的城牆和城門，近距離觀察、實地測繪、搜集資料，不僅對它們的營造歷史和修繕過程進行了深入研究，更對每一段城牆的碑記、用料、砌築特點等進行了詳細描述和考證。並且拍攝了大量的照片，繪製了多幅測繪圖，為我們瞭解這座古都留下了珍貴翔實的資料。本書是喜龍仁著作的全譯本，并附所有照片的重拍版和測繪圖的精細複製。



Members' Activities 本系成員學術活動

Prof. Clara Wing-chung HO (Head & Professor)

◆ Was invited by the United International College to join an official visit of HKBU faculty members to their campus at Zhuhai on 8 October 2018. The one-day on-campus visit and meeting focused on possible collaboration between the two universities, especially on research postgraduate supervision.



◆ Delivered a presentation entitled “The HKBU-produced Database on Sun Yat-sen Park”, at the Fall Symposium on Digital Scholarship 2018 organized by the Library and Graduate School, HKBU, 25 October 2018.

Prof. Clara Wing-chung HO (Head & Professor)

◆ Introduced the speaker of the fourth Ruby Lecture in commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History, HKBU, Prof. Bonnie G. Smith, 24 October 2018.

Prof. Ricardo King-sang MAK (Professor)

◆ 於2018年10月12日在中華武學會、香港浸會大學當代中國研究所、中華國術總會、饒宗頤文化館、香港城市大學及建公書院合辦的第二屆國際武學研討會中演講，題為「香港客家麒麟研究：回顧與展望」。



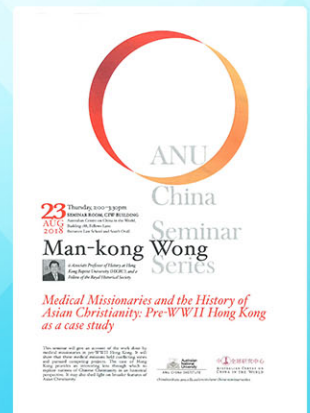
Prof. Kai-wing CHOW (Professor Emeritus)

◆ 應新亞研究所邀請，於2018年9月22日擔任「六十五周年校慶暨中國文化講座」講者，題為「錢穆先生講孔子與《論語》」。

◆ 於2018年9月27日在裘錦秋中學（元朗）與香港樹仁大學歷史系合辦的國慶講座擔任嘉賓講者，題為「中國古代健身操和武術之道」。

Dr. Timothy Man-kong WONG (Associate Professor)

◆ Delivered a presentation entitled “Medical Missionaries and the History of Asian Christianity: Pre-WWII Hong Kong as a case study” at the ANU China Seminar Series organized by the ANU China Institute and the Australian Centre on China in the World, Australia, 23 August 2018.



◆ Delivered a presentation entitled “The Fruits of Ying Wa College: Students at the Anglo-Chinese College in Early Colonial Hong Kong” at the Sino-Western Cultural Exchange and the Development of Christianity in China: A Conference in Celebration of the Bicentenary of Ying Wa College organized by Ying Wa College, HKBU and the Centre for Sino-Christian Studies, 12-13 October 2018.

◆ Chaired a session at the above Conference.

Dr. Bettina DIETZ (Associate Professor) and Dr. Rebecca ROBINSON (Research Assistant Professor)

◆ Served as moderators at the Ruby Lecture delivered by Prof. Bonnie G. Smith in commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History, HKBU, 24 October 2018.

Dr. Chi-man KWONG (Assistant Professor)

◆Chaired a session at the Sino-Western Cultural Exchange and the Development of Christianity in China: A Conference in Celebration of the Bicentenary of Ying Wa College organized by Ying Wa College, HKBU and the Centre for Sino-Christian Studies, 12-13 October 2018.

Dr. Kin-sum (Sammy) LI (Assistant Professor)

◆Served as a moderator at a public lecture entitled “The Tsinghua Manuscript *Zheng Wen Gong wen Tai Bo* and the Questions of the production of Manuscripts in Early China” delivered by Prof. Edward L. Shaughnessy, HKBU, 10 October 2018.

Dr. Oiyen LIU (Assistant Professor)

◆Introduced the speaker of the third Ruby Lecture in commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History, HKBU, Prof. Thongchai Winichakul, 3 October 2018.

Dr. Oiyen LIU (Assistant Professor) and Dr. Noriaki HOSHINO (Assistant Professor)

◆Served as moderators at the third Ruby Lecture delivered by Prof. Thongchai Winichakul in commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History, HKBU, 3 October 2018.

Dr. Jatinder MANN (Assistant Professor)

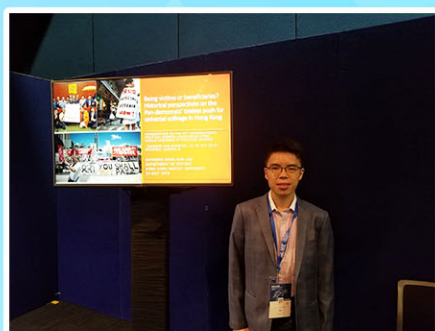
◆ Presented a paper entitled “The end of the British World and the re-definition of citizenship in Canada and Aotearoa New Zealand, 1950-1970s: Comparisons” at the End of Empire - The British World after 1945 Conference, University of Tuebingen, Tuebingen, Germany, 11 October 2018.



Dr. Ka-chai TAM (Assistant Professor)

◆Chaired a session at the Sino-Western Cultural Exchange and the Development of Christianity in China: A Conference in Celebration of the Bicentenary of Ying Wa College organized by Ying Wa College, HKBU and the Centre for Sino-Christian Studies, 12-13 October 2018.

Dr. Raymond Kwun-sun LAU (Lecturer II)



◆Delivered a presentation entitled “Being Victims or Beneficiaries? Historical Perspectives on the Pan-democrats’ tireless push for universal suffrage in Hong Kong” for the panel on “Hong Kong Twenty Years after Handover: Politics and Identity under Reconstruction” at the 25th International Political Science Association (IPSA) World Congress of Political Science, Brisbane, Australia, 21-25 July 2018.

Prof. Tianhong ZHANG 張天虹教授

Visiting Scholar, Department of History, HKBU, September – December 2018



My name is Tianhong Zhang (張天虹) and I am very grateful to Prof. Clara Wing-chung Ho and deeply honored to be awarded the opportunity to join the Department of History this semester as a Visiting Scholar, while on a short sabbatical (two months) from the Capital Normal University (CNU). It is my first time to be in Hong Kong and I am impressed by the cleanness of the city. The campus is also quiet and colleagues here are kind, helping me a lot.

My research interest lies in the social and economic history of China, especially the mid and late-imperial period. During the stay, I have devoted myself to the following two projects. One is to revise the Chinese version of *The Pattern of the Chinese Past*. This book, originally finished by Mark Elvin in English more than forty years ago, however, offered a social and economic interpretation to Chinese History, especially “The High-level Equilibrium Trap” theory, which caused a big stir in Western academia at that time and has been of great significance until now. Thus Professor Bozhong Li, Xiangyun Wong, Yixing Chen and I have translated it into Chinese. But there were some sources quoted which were hard to find in Beijing. I have got some of these sources here fortunately, some of which with the help of PhD Candidate Cheng Zhao (趙橙). I will also do a final check of this Chinese version here before publishing. The other is to study the society and economy of North China between the mid 8th and 10th Century. After the Rebellion of An Lu-Shan, which occurred in 755 AD, most vital areas of North China, which was under the rule of military governorship (Fan-zhen), became virtually independent of central control. As for North China, especially those areas located north of the Yellow River, it was such a unique period that could hardly be found again in the mid or late-imperial China. Thus I want to analyze how the society and economy operated under these circumstances. Aside from the traditional sources such as the *Old Tang History* (Jiu Tang Shu), *New Tang History* (Xin Tang Shu) *History As A Mirror* (Zi Zhi Tong Jian), etc., I, in the course of research, will also refer to a lot of epitaphs published in the recent years.

By the way, this year I participated in a TV documentary on the History of the Late Tang Dynasty for Public Television, “The Myth about An Ancient Tomb (古墓迷思)” which was released on CCTV 9 on 21 July. If you are interested, please go and watch it!



ZHAO Cheng, Carrie 趙橙

PhD student, Department of History, HKBU



來香港浸會大學攻讀博士學位已兩月有餘。天氣開始漸漸轉涼，而我也驚喜地發現自己開始喜歡這裡的環境。

歷史系是一個溫馨的大家庭。業師劉詠聰教授不僅時常在課業上給予我莫大的指導，也會時不時地關心我的生活近況。若是在校園的某個角落遇到系裡的老師也不會是件尷尬的事，他們會熱心地跟你閒聊起這裡的學習生活等等。系裡的幾位行政秘書也都無條件地幫助我，使我得以盡快地適應這裡的校園生活。而每當我遇到各種困難不知所措時，師兄師姐還有辦公室的好友總會第一時間站出來替我解圍或是出謀劃策。正是因為有大家的陪伴，第一個在香港過的中秋節，我並未感到特別的孤單和想家。

適值歷史系成立40週年，接連的講座和學術活動不斷開拓著我的學術視野；學校圖書館豐富的館藏資源和周到的館際借閱服務也讓我倍感振奮，迫使自己不得不好好利用這些資源共享的平台靜心讀書。個人的研究方向主要集中在中晚期帝制中國的性別史、女性書寫、江南區域史和園林史。故當我走進位於黃大仙的耆色園或是鑽石山附近的南蓮池園時，那些迥異於江南園林式的景觀構造便立即引起了我的流連駐足。

當然吸引我的不只有校園裡的人事和自己的學術興趣，還有港島上的叮叮車、蓮香樓的早茶、旺角琳琅滿目的街景、維多利亞港的夜色與煙火、蒲台島的陽光與沙灘……最讓我印象深刻的是這座城市的秩序卻又不失活力。生活在此的人們多半步履匆匆，但他們依然會尊重你所選擇的前行方向。

Mr. Kwai-hin TAM 譚貴軒先生

BA (Hons) in History, HKBU, 2012

MPhil, HKU, 2017

Teaching Assistant, Department of History, HKBU, 2018- Present



沒記錯的話，這是第二次在系訊分享，非常感謝學系給我這個機會。有點東拉西扯，還請見諒。

回想上一次分享應該是四年前。那是2014年秋季，我在港大攻讀碩士，正在紐約交流學習。重讀當時的分享，實在覺得自己有點天真傻氣。大概人在歷史現場，都是迷失的居多。誰能料到，這四年會是另一個成人禮。

到今年8月，再次回到歷史系，這次的身份是教學助理。有位方姓某師兄問我，有沒有回鄉的感覺。當時我答他「少少」、「唔似回鄉，似有走過。」雖然有點賣花讚花香，但浸大歷史系有種獨特的家庭氣氛，是我在其他地方未曾遇過的。根據非正式統計，過去兩個月，我和幾位初相識的研究生/研究助理的對話時數，快要超越過去幾年在其他院校的總和，絕無半點誇張。人是社會動物，需要社交刺激腦部發育。腦部是每個人的記憶工廠，而歷史又是處理人類記憶的學科。一切其實環環相扣。記得在港大圖書館3樓，看到牆角引用《禮記》：「獨學而無友，則孤陋而寡聞」。今在AAB 11樓再思之，信乎！

「似有走過」是一個值得探究的描述。聽說「離散與回歸」這種二元對立框架，為了構建一種方便理解的線性敘事方式，容易將歷史情節扭曲，暗示歷史發展的必然，忽視歷史的偶然與不確定性，最終產生了脫離情境的歷史論述。好似係。

離開了什麼？比如說，本科畢業後的一段時間，每次坐車經過窩打老道，或者路過舊校，往日的情境都會逐一浮現。曾經的上學路，一起看過的風景，以後只能在巴士上獨自回憶。如果沒有離開過，這些事會是日常的一部分，既非追憶的對象，也不會令人惘然若失。在客觀和主觀的世界，「離散」的確發生過。

但現在舊地重遊，已經看不到這些路上的鬼魂了。你知道他們曾經存在，卻不再掀起波瀾。今個學期我要負責的好幾科，其實是在以前的舊班房上課的。我還以為會有什麼特別體會。豈料開學快兩個月，什麼都沒有。上課，分組，講解要求，帶導修。It's all business. 有一個歷史系

本科畢業生曾經離散，回歸的時候卻是新造的人，在逐漸掩埋的歷史遺址上建造新城。雖然不排除是刺激的方式不對，但我與我分開已很遠，很遠。早就不再相似。

到底「似」在什麼？最近我有一個很好的案例。話說初來報到後不久的一天，和某K師兄(a friend of mine) 在1132閒聊。我們隨口提到房間的貓貓cushion、論辦公室養貓對增加生產力、促進友善交流的可能性，等等。一個月後，師兄打開房門：Look! It's a cat!



無端多了一隻貓。可以，這很歷史系。就是這種人情與厚道，令我產生了似曾相識的感覺。就算離本科畢業已經六年，辦公室也由舊校搬到AAB，這地方依然令人安心。非常感謝Prof. Ho和其他老師給我機會回來，我會努力加油的。

1. An Exhibition in Commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History
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2. A Distinguished Lecture - The Ghosts of 1900: China and the World in a Year of Global War by Prof. Jeffrey Wasserstrom (2018.11.6)



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Prof. Jeffrey Wasserstrom

Chancellor's Professor, History, School of Humanities
Professor (by Courtesy), School of Law
Historical Writing Mentor, Literary Journalism, School of Humanities
University of California, Irvine

Abstract

This talk will look at the interconnections between the conflicts that took place in different parts of the world during the final year of the nineteenth century. 1900 saw not only the Boxer Crisis in China but also the continuation of the Boer War in South Africa and the Tagalog rebellion in the Philippines that was suppressed by American troops. When these events were taking place, many people saw them as interconnected or worth comparing and contrasting with each other, but since then each has often been treated on its own. This presentation will explore what we can learn by placing them side by side and thinking about the era around 1900 as a time, like the present period, when the global order was undergoing dramatic shifts.



日期	二零一八年十一月六日 (星期二)
Date	November 6, 2018 (Tuesday)
時間	上午十時至十一時二十分
Time	10:00 am – 11:20 am
地點	九龍塘聯福道林護國際會議中心夏利萊博士夫人演講廳(WLB104)
Venue	Mrs Padma Harilela Lecture Theatre (WLB104) Lam Woo International Conference Centre, Renfrew Road, Kowloon Tong
語言	英語
Language	English

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3. An International Forum on Sun Yat-sen Studies (2018.11.12)



香港浸會大學 歷史系四十周年 孫中山文教福利基金會二十周年 聯合誌慶
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Date	November 12, 2018 (Monday)	Venue	WLB109, Lam Woo International Conference Centre
時間	上午九時至下午六時十五分	語言	英語、普通話
Time	9:00 am – 6:15 pm	Languages	English and Putonghua

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4. Ruby Lectures in Commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History - 近代中國與日本佛教如何應對現代世界——從1893年芝加哥萬國宗教大會說起 by Prof. Ge Zhaoguang (2018.11.15)

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近代中國與日本佛教如何應對現代世界 ——從1893年芝加哥萬國宗教大會說起

Professor GE Zhaoguang 葛兆光教授 (Fudan University 復旦大學)

 November 15, 2018 (Thursday)

 9:30 am - 11:20 am

 Dr. & Mrs. Hung Hin-shiu Lecture Theatre (SCM012), Jockey Club School of Chinese Medicine Building, Baptist University Road, Kowloon Tong



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演講提要

1893年9月在美國芝加哥召開的「世界宗教大會」是一個重要的現代性事件，它衝擊著世界各種傳統宗教。日本佛教徒對於這一現代潮流早有準備，在會議上應對自如，說明日本佛教已經走出明治初年「祭政一致」和「神佛分離」造成的困境。但是，與日本不同，代表中國出席大會的主要是西洋各國在中國的傳教士，唯一一個真正與會的中國人彭光譽，則以帝國官員與儒家學者身份，傲慢地堅持儒家政治制度和意識形態，對「宗教」與「現代」都表現出相當不屑。中國佛教不僅缺席大會，並且在那個時期，對現代潮流也缺乏回應。正是由於中國佛教的反應遲緩，使後起的中國佛教不得不面對居士佛學的挑戰、現代政治和思潮的壓力和日本佛教爭奪空間的三重壓力，使得二十世紀上半葉中國佛教舉步維艱。對比日本佛教與中國佛教的這一現代歷史過程，可以讓我們重新思考有關東亞、宗教與歷史的問題，檢討有關這一領域研究的理論和方法。

5. Historians Say: A Seminar Series for Newly-appointed Academic / Teaching Staff and Visiting Scholars -The Excavation of Liu Ji's Grave in Fangshan District, Beijing, and Research on the History of the Tang Dynasty by Prof. Tianhong Zhang (2018.11.16)

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Date 16 November 2018 (Friday)
日期 2018年11月16日 (星期五)
Time 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm
時間 下午十二時三十分至二時正
Venue AAB611, Academic and Administration Building, Hong Kong Baptist University
地點 浸會大學道校園教學及行政大樓六樓AAB611室
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6. Ruby Lectures in Commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History - Global Cities of the 19th Century: Starting in San Francisco and Stretching toward Hong Kong by Prof. Mary P Ryan (2018.11.23)

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About the Speaker

Mary P. Ryan is an Emeritus Professor of history at Johns Hopkins University and at the University of California Berkeley. She has spent her career interrogating the history of the United States in order to address a range of issues, among them the difference gender makes, the formation of the middle class and the democracy of public space. Much of her historical research has been situated in American cities: New York, New Orleans, Los Angeles and the two subjects of her forthcoming book *Taking the Land to Make the City, Baltimore, Maryland and San Francisco, California*.


Books:

- *Womanhood in America*, New Viewpoints, 1975; Second, Revised Edition, 1979; Third, Revised Edition, 1983.
- *Cradle of the Middle Class: The Families of Oneida County New York 1790-1865*, Cambridge University Press, 1981.
- Winner of the Bancroft Prize and the Berkshire Prize
- *Empire of the Mother: American Writing about Domesticity, 1830-1860*, Haworth Press, 1982.
- *The Doubled Vision: Sex and Class in Women's History*, editor with Judith Walkowitz and Judith Newton, Routledge and Kegan Paul, March, 1983.
- *Women in Public: Between Banners and Ballots, 1825-1880*, Johns Hopkins University Press 1990. Winner of the Gustavus Meyers Prize
- *Civic Wars: Democracy and Public Life in the City during the Nineteenth Century*, University of California Press, 1997
- *Mysteries of Sex: Tracing Women and Men through American History*, University of North Carolina Press, 2006.
- *Taking the Land to Make the City: A Bicoastal North American History*, University of Texas Press, in production, 2018.



Global Cities of the 19th Century: Starting in San Francisco and Stretching toward Hong Kong

Professor Mary P. RYAN (Johns Hopkins University / University of California, Berkeley)

 **November 23, 2018 (Friday)**

 **9:30 am - 11:20 am**

 **AAB301, Academic and
Administration Building,
Baptist University Road,
Kowloon Tong**



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Abstract

For thousands of years cities have been at the center of wide networks of trade and politics. It was not until the Spanish arrived in the Americas in the 16th century, however, that the circuit of commerce linked the eastern and western hemispheres together into one world. Historians have sited the origins of modernity in that global epoch, most often tracing its origins to the nation states that patrolled the North Atlantic. Based on the presumption that history is not made just in the national capitals of Western Europe, I have examined global history from an urban location along the Pacific. Starting along San Francisco Bay around 1800 I propose to show how events in cities had global consequences. By exercising municipal sovereignty, cities could circumvent and even superseded the federal government of the United States. I will argue that the creation of a city along San Francisco Bay had global consequences, including the advancement of both democracy and capitalism. Even before the Gold Rush in 1849 the ports of San Francisco and Canton were trading partners. Although the connection between San Francisco and Hong Kong is more of a stretch, about which I have only superficial knowledge, I will propose in conclusion that it is an opportunity to think together about those promises and perils of globalization that confront both cities in the 21st Century.

7. Distinguished Alumni Lecture - Printing Technology, Book Culture, and the World of Print in Imperial China by Prof. Kai-wing Chow (2018.11.29)



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PRINTING TECHNOLOGY, BOOK CULTURE, AND THE WORLD OF PRINT IN IMPERIAL CHINA



Professor Kai-wing Chow 周啟榮教授

Professor
East Asian Languages and Cultures / History / Medieval Studies
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign



Abstract

Chinese printing technology—both xylography and movable type—had produced rich and heterogeneous print cultures in imperial China, Asia, the Middle East, and Europe. The versatile woodblock technology by virtue of its technological singularity and operational simplicity had facilitated not only the spread of printing technology itself in China and beyond, but also the formation of a unique book culture as well as a society where prints were extensively used in important aspects of life in imperial China.

Biography

Professor Kai-wing Chow was born in Hong Kong in 1951. He graduated from Hong Kong Baptist College in 1976. He earned a Master's degree in history from the New Asia Institute of Advanced Studies (香港新亞研究所) and a Ph.D. in history from the University of California, Davis. He joined the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) faculty after graduation in 1988. Currently he holds a professorship in the Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures, History, and the Program of Medieval Studies. He is also a Curator of the Spurlock Museum (UIUC). His research interests include the history of thought, print culture, ritual, religion, lineage, legal and public culture of China from the tenth through the early twentieth century. He has authored and edited six books and over 30 articles on Chinese thought, identities, print culture, and ritual. The Korean translation of his book, *The Rise of Confucian Ritualism in Late Imperial China: Ethics, Classics, and Lineage Discourse* (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 1994) was selected by the National Academy of Sciences of South Korea as one of the Outstanding Scholarly Books of 2014. The Chinese edition is published in 2018 as a volume in the Translation Series of the Chinese National Committee on Qing History. He has received numerous grants from foundations and funding agencies, including NEH, ACLS, National Academy of Sciences, Center of Chinese Studies (Taiwan) and the Chiang-Ching Kuo Foundation. He has organized several major international conferences on Chinese history, the most recent one being "Reading without Books: Experiences of Print in Everyday Life in Imperial China, Tang (618-907) through Qing (1644-1911)" (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, September 26-27, 2014). He was elected President of the Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs in 2014.

日期	二零一八年十一月二十九日 (星期四)
Date	November 29, 2018 (Thursday)
時間	上午九時三十分至十一時
Time	9:30 am - 11:00 am
地點	九龍塘浸會大學道賽馬會中醫藥學院大樓孔憲紹博士伉儷講堂 (SCM012)
Venue	Dr. & Mrs. Hung Hin-shiu Lecture Theatre (SCM012), Jockey Club School of Chinese Medicine Building, Baptist University Road, Kowloon Tong
語言	英語
Language	English

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8. Homecoming Evening in Commemoration of the 40th Anniversary of the Department of History (2018.12.1)



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Exhibition


Dinner Buffet


Performance


Photo Booth

1 December 2018 (Saturday)
2018年12月1日(星期六)
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Mr. and Mrs. Lau Chor Tak Multi-Purpose Hall (SCC 201),
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