

EAST ASIA SEMINAR SERIES

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

Lent Term 2017 Programme

Seminars are held on Mondays at 5.00 p.m. in the Faculty of Asian & Middle Eastern Studies, Rooms 8 & 9; Sidgwick Avenue, Cambridge CB3 9DA

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Monday, 23rd January

'Formats and Contents of Japanese Books: A Meaningful Interrelation'

Prof. Takahiro Sasaki, Keio University, Shidô bunkô *Japanese talk with translation*

Monday, 30th January

'Japan's Grand Strategy in a Trumpian Age' Prof. Richard Samuels, MIT

Monday, 6th February

'Screenwriter: Director's Wife or Film's Author? Textuality, Space and Gender in Japanese Cinema'

Dr Lauri Kitsnik, Sainsbury Institute for the Study of Japanese Arts and Cultures

Monday, 13th February

'Slaves, Outcasts, and Torture: New Perspectives on Japanese Oral Performance and Media'

Prof. Haruo Shirane, Columbia University

Monday, 20th February

'How Green Was My Night Soil: Thinking with Excrement about Nineteenth-Century Japan'

Prof. David Howell, Harvard University

Monday, 27th, February

'Shake-up in the Japanese Underworld: The Yakuza on the Road to Extinction?'

Prof. Wolfgang Herbert, Tokushima University

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