



Seoul National University Asia Center 2024 Annual Report

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Message from the Director

The Fruits of 2024 and a New Blueprint Envisioning the Future of Asian Studies in an Age of Uncertainty

The world is in turmoil. The inward turn of U.S. foreign policy under the Trump administration continues to destabilize the political and economic foundations of many Asian nations. Devastating wars and civil unrest, far from abating, persist with alarming intensity. Across Asia, environmental, political, economic, social, and cultural crises have once again inflicted pain on the most vulnerable states, communities, and individuals. South Korea, too, has not been spared from these hardships. In such times, mutual understanding and communication across worldviews and ideologies are more crucial than ever.

In 2024, SNUAC has worked tirelessly to confront the root causes of this turbulent world, striving to foster understanding across differences and build a world with less discrimination and violence. With seven regional centers focused on diverse areas of Asia and seven major research programs addressing key contemporary changes, we have continued to strengthen the foundation of Asian studies. These efforts were supported by the dedicated work of our Research and Development, International Relations, Human Resources Development, Public Relations, and Administration divisions, which poured their energy into internationalization, dissemination of research outcomes, and nurturing the next generation of scholars. The 2024 Annual Report is a testament to the passion and dedication of all SNUAC members.

Since last year, SNUAC has been laying the groundwork for a systematic and sustainable approach to regional studies, with all members actively contributing to the development of a long-term institutional blueprint. Together, we are refining our core projects, clarifying our principles, and aligning our goals with the center's mission and vision. The task force in charge of this planning is currently finalizing the strategic development plan, which will serve as the foundation for SNUAC's next ten years.

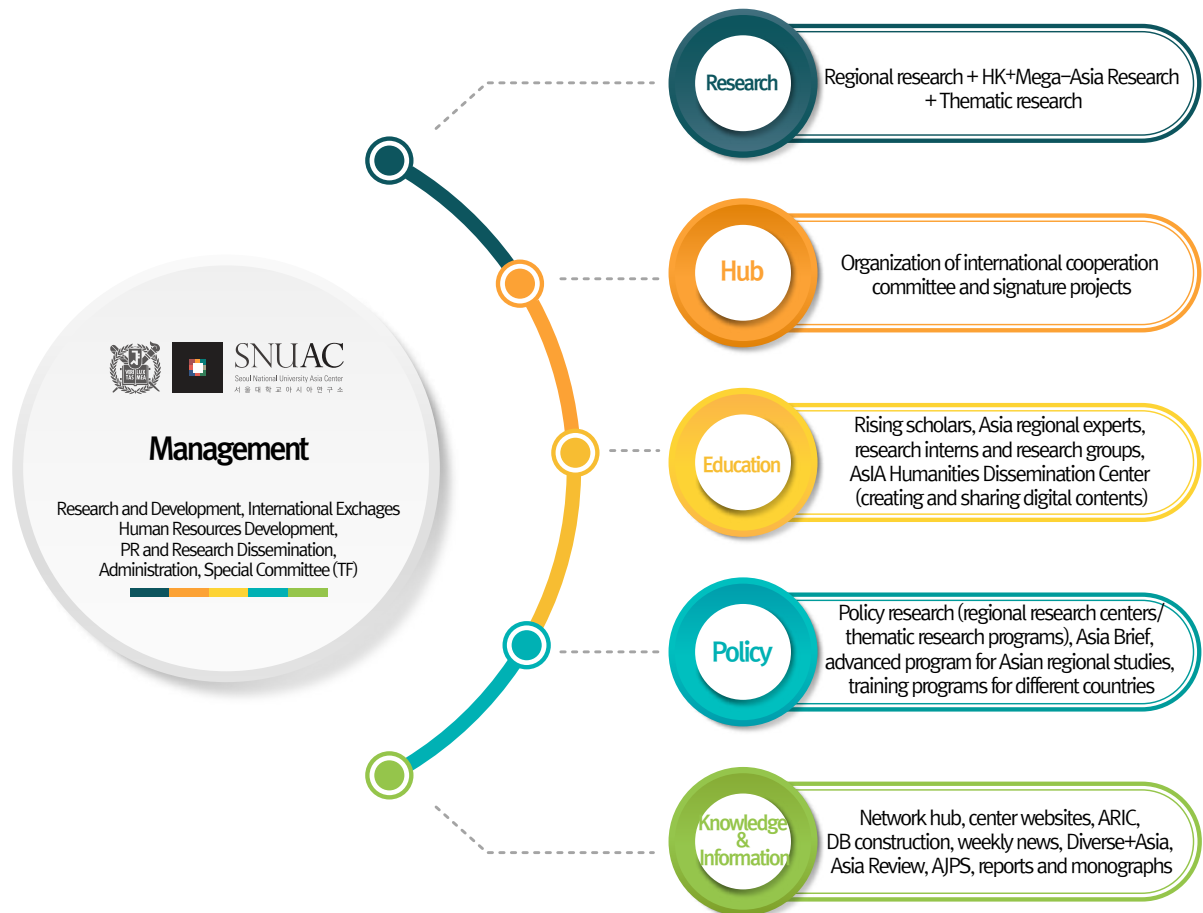
Building on the achievements accumulated up to 2024, SNUAC now sets its sights on a bold leap forward—to establish itself as a truly global institute for regional studies. We will continue to advance in our three core areas—academic research, internationalization, and social contribution—ensuring that each supports and reinforces the others. New signature initiatives launching in 2025, including international academic conferences, exchange programs, and research projects, will affirm the value and impact of this trajectory.

Through the dedication and collaboration of our members, we are once again able to publish this Annual Report. We also extend our deepest gratitude to the government, Seoul National University, and our many generous supporters for their unwavering commitment.

Director of SNUAC



SNUAC in 2024



SNUAC has operated as a hub of Asian studies through creative and transdisciplinary research, combining regional and thematic perspectives. It has contributed to the realization of a knowledge community that systematically constructs and shares information, pioneering the future. In 2024, over 50 faculty and staff members of SNUAC achieved a total of 264 research accomplishments, including 3 monographs, 15 SCI papers, and 123 KCI papers. Additionally, they participated in a total of 211 academic activities, including 14 international and 19 domestic conferences. SNUAC will continue to respond to the various threats of the rapidly changing world with leading research, expand its research capacities by forging networks with Asian experts at home and abroad, and achieve qualitative development through selective concentration based on the quantitative growth heretofore.

Top Headlines of SNUAC in 2024

Special Lectures by Asia's Top Leaders Hosted by SNUAC

In 2024, SNUAC invited top leaders from across Asia to engage in wide-ranging discussions and dialogue on major issues unfolding in the region amidst a rapidly shifting global landscape.

On July 3, 2024, SNUAC hosted a special lecture by Phạm Minh Chính, Prime Minister of Vietnam, under the theme “Strengthening the Vietnam-Korea Comprehensive Strategic Partnership.” In his lecture, Prime Minister Chính praised Korea’s educational philosophy and the achievements of Seoul National University, emphasizing the importance of investing in education to navigate today’s volatile global environment. He identified digital, green, and circular economies, innovation and the Fourth Industrial Revolution, talent development, and AI capacity-building as critical strategies for the future.

Following this, on August 8, 2024, Enrique A. Manalo, Secretary of Foreign Affairs of the Philippines, was invited for a roundtable seminar titled “75 Years of Philippines-Korea Partnership.” Co-hosted with the Embassy of the Philippines in Korea, the event was attended by representatives from all ASEAN member embassies in Korea and featured in-depth discussions on advancing Korea-ASEAN relations amidst ongoing global uncertainties.

On November 26, 2024, SNUAC welcomed Anwar Ibrahim, Prime Minister of Malaysia, who delivered a special lecture titled “Strategic Partners in a Complex World: Malaysia, Korea, and the Future of Asia.” Sharing his personal experiences resisting authoritarian power in his youth, Prime Minister Anwar emphasized the shared democratic values between Korea and Malaysia and the need for continued collaboration. He underscored the importance of both nations working together for the future of Asia.

These visits and lectures by Asia’s national leaders in 2024 reflect the deep trust and partnerships that SNUAC has cultivated with Asian countries over the past 16 years. They also signal SNUAC’s continued commitment to fostering international exchange and collaborative research across the region.



SNUAC Rated “Outstanding” in 2024 Seoul National University Research Facility Evaluation

SNUAC was selected as an Outstanding Research Institute in the 2024 evaluation of humanities and social sciences research centers conducted within Seoul National University. In this triennial assessment (2021-2023) led by the SNU Office of Research Affairs, SNUAC ranked 2nd overall among 28 humanities and social sciences research institutes with a score of 84.8 points. Previously, SNUAC ranked 3rd in 2018 and 1st in 2021, further solidifying its reputation as a world-class research hub for integrated Asian studies.

Since its establishment in 2009, SNUAC has been recognized for its robust infrastructure and strong research capabilities, positioning itself at the forefront of Asian studies. As of January 2025, the center operates with 7 regional research centers, 8 thematic research programs, and the HK+ Mega-Asia Research Project Group, carrying out a wide array of academic and research activities. Housed in an independent six-story building, SNUAC engages over 100 researchers, truly establishing itself as a leading interdisciplinary research institute on Asia.

Rather than resting on its laurels, SNUAC aims to go beyond internal recognition by cultivating an open research platform that fosters world-class scholarship on Asia. It continues to promote creative international collaborations, share and disseminate major research outputs, and ultimately seeks to become a vibrant, collaborative space that international and domestic scholars alike aspire to visit—a research institute where every member contributes to generating positive social impact.

Launch of the Global Advanced Management Program (GAMP) in Vietnam



To deepen understanding of Vietnam in a rapidly changing world, SNUAC launched the Global Advanced Management Program in Vietnam, bringing together top experts from both Korea and Vietnam. This program is the first officially approved overseas executive program by Seoul National University, designed to offer insights into Vietnam to local business leaders, Korean expatriates, and the overseas Korean community at the forefront of Vietnam's industrial transformation.

Held in collaboration with the VNU University of Social Sciences and Humanities in Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City, the program was organized on-site in Vietnam. Prof. Yong Kyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science and International Relations), Director of the SNUAC Vietnam Center, served as the program director; and Prof. Suhong Chae (Dept. of Anthropology), Director of SNUAC, served as associate director. The program featured outstanding lectures delivered by leading experts across various fields. In addition to lectures, it provided participants with valuable networking opportunities to share professional experiences and cultivate practical problem-solving skills.

The first cohort, launched in Hanoi in September 2024, included 54 participants, who successfully completed the program. They praised the program for allowing them to gain in-depth, multifaceted insights into global political and economic dynamics, Vietnamese history, and Korea-Vietnam relations—broadening their perspectives across sectors. Building on this positive reception, the second cohort of GAMP in Vietnam was launched successfully in Ho Chi Minh City in March 2025.

Moving forward, SNUAC plans to hold this program twice a year, alternating between Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City. Through this initiative, SNUAC aims to expand its institutional network, lay the groundwork for localized research and financial sustainability, and enhance its long-term impact. The program is also expected to become a model case for Academia-Industry-Government cooperation through alumni association activities, foster collaborative education and research between Seoul National University and Vietnamese universities, and strengthen the institutional foundation of SNUAC's operations.

SNUAC Establishes Roadmap for Mid- to Long-Term Development Plan

Since its founding in 2009, SNUAC has made remarkable strides, thanks to the dedicated efforts of its members. In particular, the expansion of research and program units, along with the successful execution of major initiatives such as the HK+ project, has led to both quantitative growth and qualitative advancement. In response to these developments, SNUAC launched a new initiative in 2024 under the leadership of a Development Planning Task Force (TF) to review and restructure existing research programs and chart the center's future direction.

The Development Planning TF undertook a multi-phase process aimed at critically assessing the center's past accomplishments and establishing a forward-looking roadmap across three main pillars: academic research, international exchanges, and social contribution. This initiative began with the SNUAC General Assembly, held in Chuncheon in August 2024, where the TF shared its purpose and gathered input from the entire center. In a collegial atmosphere, SNUAC members actively shared insights, challenges, and ideas regarding their respective areas of work. Building on these discussions, the TF drafted the development plan throughout the second half of 2024. The finalized Mid- to Long-Term Development Plan, scheduled for public release in spring 2025, will outline SNUAC's vision across three key dimensions: creative and practice-based research for understanding Asia (Academic Research); a global hub for Asian studies (International Exchanges); tailored social contribution aligned with public needs (Social Engagement). The plan will specify strategic goals for realizing these visions, guiding principles for program implementation, and concrete projects aligned with those principles. This roadmap marks a major milestone in laying out the next ten years of action for SNUAC, solidifying its identity as a world-class, integrated research hub for Asian studies.

Asia Basic Research Program





The HK⁺ Mega-Asia Research Project Group at SNUAC was established in 2020 upon receiving funding as part of the 'Humanities Korea Plus (HK⁺)' program supported by the National Research Foundation of South Korea. With a research agenda entitled "Mega-Asia and Asias: Identities, Dynamics, Data-Telling", the research project group, which entered the second phase in 2023, aims to develop a new regional studies paradigm, adopting a multi-disciplinary and convergent approach. The project will enable SNUAC to establish itself as one of the global top 3 institutes of Asian Studies by fostering Asian regional experts during its 7 year duration.

- * Entered phase 2 of the research project (2023-2027) and expanded the utility of the 'Mega-Asia' concept so that it functions not only as a theoretical and methodological approach in research but also acts as an applicable and productive framework in the studies and practice of Asian regionalism
- * Organized fourteen workshops and invited talks for the intensification of agenda research
- * Hosted four international and five domestic conferences for the dissemination of agenda research
- * Contributed a series on "The Diverse Experiences of Refugee Groups in Northeast Asia" to the "News from Northeast Asia" section of the IIAS Newsletter

Selected Publications

Ko, I.H. et al. (2024)	<i>Re-examination of the Changwon Dahori Site III - The Dahori Site and the Jinhan and Byeonhan World.</i> Gimhae National Museum
Kwon, H.I. et al. (2025)	<i>Freedoms of Speech: Anthropological Perspectives on Language, Ethics, and Power-Freedom of Speech in Jeju Shamanism-</i> . University of Toronto Press
Kwon, H.I. et al. (2024)	Isolation - Secrets, Solitude, Atoms (Self-imposed Isolation of North Korea)-Self-imposed Isolation of North Korea-. Darwin College
Kwon, H.I. et al. (2024)	Solidarity for Memory of Jeju 4-3, Yeosoon 10-19. Research Institute for Tamla Culture, Jeju National University
SNUAC (2024)	<i>Marriage, Family, and Sexuality in Asia - When Will the Rainbow Rise for LGBTQ in the Middle East?</i> CIR
Park, S.Y. (2024)	Cheonanhak Studies Series Vol. 5. The Old Roads of Cheonan, Focusing on the Joseon Dynasty Geographies and Old Maps. Cheonanhak Studies Institute
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Kim, B.J. (2024)	Enactment of Emperor Edict and Its Arrangement as an Ordinance in Qin and Han Period. <i>SNU Journal of Humanities</i> , 80(2)
Kim, H. (2024)	Rereading Dasan, Korean Studies as 'Practical Learning.' <i>Yoksa Hakbo</i> , 261
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Kim, H. (2024)	'An Attempt at Comparative History': How Did Neo-Confucianism Shape East Asia? <i>Yoksa Hakbo</i> , 262
Ko, I.H. (2025)	New Perspectives on Ancient and Historic quarries: Re-thinking the Juklim-ri Quarry in Gochang. <i>Geonji Inmunhak</i> , 42
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Ko, K.Y. (2024)	Characteristics of the Developmental Stage of Gwangju <Koryein Village> and Limitations. <i>HUFS Institute of History and Culture</i> , 92
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Koo, G.Y. (2024)	Wavering Theocratic Ideology and the Politicization of Shia Identity: Iran's Ideological Rifts Amid Geopolitical Maneuvers. <i>Asian Journal of Political Science</i> , 32(2)
Koo, G.Y. (2024)	The Dilemma Between 'Settlement' and 'Onward Migration': Cultural Adaptation and Transnational Mobility Strategies among Iranian International Female Students in South Korea. <i>Space & Environment</i> , 34(3)

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Koo, G.Y. & Ahn, S.Y. (2024)	The UAE's Pragmatic Diplomatic Strategy through Soft Power: Focusing on the Message of Religious Reconciliation. <i>Annals of Korean Association of the Islamic Studies (KAIS)</i> , 34(2)
Kwon, H.I. (2024)	The World in 1919, Jeju in 1947. <i>Tamla Culture</i> , 76
Park, S.Y. (2024)	Analysis of the Characteristics and Types of Place Names in the 19th-Century Korean Maps of Seoul, 'GyeongjoObuDo' and 'HanseongbuJido.' <i>Institute for Kyeongki Cultural Studies</i> , 45(1)
Park, S.Y. & Kim, H.J. (2024)	The Representation of Modern Geographic Space: Symbols on Topographic Maps. <i>Journal of Cultural and Historical Geography</i> , 36(1)
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Yoon, D.Y. (2024)	Intellectual Trends of the Lê Dynasty (1428~1789) in Vietnam - The Changes in Thực Học and the Academic Viewpoint of Lê Quý Đôn (1726~1784) - . <i>Journal of Asian Historical Studies</i> , 168
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Zoh, M.J. et al. (2024)	Excavation Programmes for the Public: A Comparative Study of Mock Excavation Programmes in South Korea and Amateur and Community Archaeology in the UK. <i>Public Archaeology</i> , 22(1)
Zoh, M.J. (2025)	A re-examination of the World Heritage in theGyeongsang Province based on the initial standards of 'Outstanding Universal Value' and 'Glocal.' <i>Korean Humanities Convergence Research</i> , 1

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AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center

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The AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center was established in May 2020 to disseminate the research outcomes of the HK+ Mega-Asia Research Group, which seeks to approach Asia from a new perspective combining the humanities and social sciences, to the public at home and abroad. As a platform fostering global regional experts and publicizing Asian regional knowledge and information on humanities internationally, the center operates various educational programs. The center aims to provide education that is open to all, regardless of age and region, and pursues the expansion of accessibility and diversification of programs through MOUs and cooperation with related institutions. Also, the center uploads videos of all programs to its YouTube channel, in order to play the role in the sharing of knowledge, information and social communication.

- * Produced and uploaded a total of 31 lecture videos, including the “2024 Gwanak-gu Open Lectures for Local Residents”
- * Co-hosted online and offline educational programs in collaboration with the National Museum of Korea, Extension College SNU, Asian Hub Institute of Language and Culture, SNUAC’s Human Resources Development Division, and various regional centers and thematic research programs at SNUAC
- * Held a special lecture organized by the HK+ Mega-Asia Research Project Group titled “Comparative Studies on Joseon’s Yangban Class and India’s Caste System”
- * In cooperation with the Embassy of Oman in Korea, hosted the Dungsil Dungsil AsIA Cultural Festival during the 2024 Korea Humanities Week (November), under the theme “West Asia and Korea: A Leap Towards a New Future”
- * Improved accessibility to lecture content by maintaining and updating the official website of the AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center
- * Uploaded lecture videos from 2024 to the official YouTube channel of the AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center, which reached a total of 314,748 cumulative views and 5,189 subscribers

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The Northeast Asia Center (NEAC) was established to analyze and understand the various issues around political, economic, social, and cultural changes in the Northeast Asian region that is undergoing upheavals following globalization. Through diverse types of academic and cooperative activities, NEAC seeks to make multifaceted and in-depth approaches to issues that cannot be solved on a single national scale such as the division of Korean peninsula and the South-North relations, Korea's relations with China and Japan, territoriality and center/peripheries of each Northeast Asian country, conflicts around Northeast Asian history, post-Cold War transition, transnational issues and regional conflicts. Further, NEAC pursues transdisciplinary research through communicating and cooperating with Asia-related research institutes in SNU and seeks to contribute to the activation of Northeast Asian regional studies as a hub of communication and exchanges with various institutes on and off campus.

- * Held an academic conference marking the 10th anniversary of China's Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in 2023, critically assessing the policy from the perspectives of surrounding regions and neighboring countries, with a focus on "connectivity" as a framework for analysis, and published 5 special issue articles in *Asia Review*, a KCI-accredited academic journal
- * Hosted a conference titled "Linking the Han River and the Taedong River: An Exploration on the Cultural Integration of South and North Korea through the Study of Pyongyang Urban Culture", comparing urban cultures in Seoul and Pyongyang and exploring pathways for inter-Korean cultural integration
- * Promoted diverse forms of international academic exchange and cooperation, including meetings with scholars from the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences and professors from the Dept. of Sociology at Peking University during a visit to Beijing
- * Conducted interdisciplinary joint research projects, including studies on self-representation strategies under the Kim Jong-un regime, and on the formation and transformation of climate disaster societies in Northeast Asia

Selected Publications

Park, J.H., Kim, T.Y. et al. (2025)	<i>Memories of Modernity, Industrial Heritage</i> – Chapter 5: Does Industrial Heritage Exist in North Korea? Yoksabipyungsa
Park, M.H. et al. (2024)	<i>Women's History, One Step Further: The Flexibility of Joseon Patriarchy</i> . Pureunyoksa
Kim, T.Y. & Lee, K.H. (2024)	The Establishment of Evacuation Zones During the Period of Japanese Colonial Rule and Their Subsequent Utilization Following Liberation: Focusing on Seoul and Tokyo. <i>Journal of Asian Architecture and Building Engineering</i>
Seo, J.K. & Lee, H.T. (2024)	Geopolitical Challenges: Analyzing the Repeated Setbacks in Belt and Road Initiative Cooperation between South Korea and China. <i>Asian Journal of Political Science</i> , 32(3)
Seo, J.K. (2024)	The Belt and Road Initiative from the Historical Context of China's Diplomacy Towards Weaker Nations: The Fusion of Idealism and Realism in China's Pursuit of a New International Order. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(2)
Kim, P.S. (2024)	The Kuomintang's Siege Operations and the Red Army's Telegraphy Network. <i>The Journal of Modern China Studies</i> 26(2)
Kim, T.Y. (2024)	The History of 'Memory' and Development of the Daedong River in Modern and Contemporary Times. <i>Urban Studies</i> 37
Kim, B.Y. (2024)	A Study on Periodization and Characterization of the Formation of the Polycentric Megacity Seoul. <i>The Journal of Seoul Studies</i> 97
Jin, L. (2024)	Youth Governmentality through China's 'Struggle' Culture - Focusing on Shenzhen's 'Striver Square'. <i>Economy and Society</i> 144

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The Southeast Asia Center (SEAC) was established in 2012 and has been producing and widely providing professional knowledge and information on the Southeast Asian region. SEAC conducts comprehensive and interdisciplinary research on the overall region, maintains and develops networks with other institutes at home and abroad related to the region, and operates programs such as open lectures, invitational expert lectures, and research group meetings to promote public understanding of Southeast Asia.

- * SEAC Open Lectures: Hosted public lectures each semester on themes such as “Climate and Agriculture in Traditional Southeast Asia” and “The Climate Crisis and Climate-Smart Agriculture in Southeast Asia”
- * SEAC Guest Lectures: Held 4 academic lectures and seminars featuring regional experts and rising scholars, focusing on current affairs in Southeast Asia
- * SEAC Research Group for Young Scholars: Provided research funding each semester for graduate student-led research groups at SNU studying Southeast Asia
- * SEAC Young Scholars’ Workshop: Organized a workshop to facilitate networking among domestic graduate students and to explore emerging directions in Southeast Asian studies
- * Support for Research Interns: Offered mentoring and guidance for writing short academic papers and conducting research activities

Selected Publications

Youn, D.Y. (2025)	<i>Buddhism in Vietnam: Origins, Transformations, and the Lý Dynasty</i> . Acanet.
Han, Y.S. (2024)	Being a Tool as Negative Others: Focusing on the Others from Myanmar in Thailand. <i>Journal of Global and Area Studies</i> 8(1)
Han, Y.S. (2024)	Localized and Contested Rituals - Focusing on the rituals of hill people that migrated to Thailand-. <i>Journal of Applied Folklore Studies</i> 44
Park, J.Y. et al. (2024)	The Consolidation and Factors of Indonesia’s Electoral System : Focused on the Electoral Threshold and Concurrent Elections. <i>Korea and Global Affairs</i> 8(5)
Youn, D.Y. (2024)	Intellectual Trends of the Lê Dynasty (1428~1789) in Vietnam — The Changes in Thực Học and the Academic Viewpoint of Lê Quý Đôn (1726~1784) —. <i>Journal of Asian Historical Studies</i> 168

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Since its founding in April 2014, CECAS has served as a leading platform for interdisciplinary research, integrating regional and thematic perspectives. We are committed to expanding public engagement with Eurasia and Central Asia and have established robust collaborative networks with prominent domestic and international institutions. Through high-impact academic events, publications, and policy dialogues, the center strives to generate actionable insights that inform policymaking. With these efforts, CECAS continues to position itself as a dynamic hub for both academic and policy engagement in Eurasian and Central Asian studies in Korea and beyond.

- * Hosted six conferences: on Koryoin residential areas in Korea, migration and refugee studies, the World Humanities and Social Science Congress, ODA in Central and South Asia, and international political change
- * Organized six workshops, training programs, and expert colloquia in Korea and abroad
- * Facilitated the Eurasia Research Group seminars and the 1st Next Generation Forum
- * Published fifteen academic papers, one monograph, and ten issues of MRD Focus periodicals
- * Conducted three field research projects: in Korea (Jecheon, Gimhae/Jinyeong) and in Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, and Russia

Selected Publications

Song, G.Y. (2024)	<i>The War in Ukraine and the Korean Peninsula</i> . BookLab
Hwang, Y.H. (2024)	The War in Ukraine and Europe's 'Double Standard' toward Syrian Refugees: Is the Arab World free from Criticism? <i>The Journal of the Institute of the Middle East Studies</i> 42(3)
Hwang, Y.H. (2024)	Assad Regime's 'Useful Syria' Strategy for Survival: Forced Displacement, Refugee, and Demographic Change. <i>Journal of Middle Eastern Affairs</i> 23(1)
Choi, A.Y. (2024)	Social Integration of Refugees and Education of Refugee Children - A Study on the Education of Ukrainian Refugee Children in Poland -. <i>Slavic Studies</i> 40(2)
Park, J.W. (2024)	Economic Impact of Migrant Russian Refugees: A Case Study in Central Asia. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(2)
Ko, K.Y. (2024)	Characteristics of the Developmental Stage of Gwangju <Koryein Village> and Limitations. <i>Journal of History and Culture</i> 92
Slepchenko, V. (2024)	Armenia's Appeal Factors for Russian Relocates in the Context of Contemporary Migration Processes. <i>Russian Studies</i> 34(2)
Ko, K.Y. (2024)	Identity Changes among Afghan Refugees Transiting through Tajikistan: Focusing on Gender Roles and Religious Identity. <i>Homo Migrans</i> 31
Joo, S.H. (2024)	Perceptions and Policy Responses to Russian War Refugees: The Cases of Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan. <i>Slav Newspaper</i> 39(4)
Choi, A.Y. (2024)	Public Networks as Social Capital: A Case Study of Goryeoin Enclave in Ansan. <i>Slav Newspaper</i> 39(4)
Hwang, Y.H. (2025)	The Tension between Transnational Arab Identity and State Interests: Focusing on Policies of Arab States toward Palestinian Refugees. <i>Korean Journal of the Middle East Studies</i> 45(2)
Choi, A.Y. (2025)	Between Community Radio and Ethnic Media: A Study on the Identity of GBS FM in Gwangju Koryoin Village. <i>Journal of History and Culture</i> 93

People

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The West Asia Center (WAC) was established to provide a timely view through deep, suggestive analysis of West Asia, strengthen the foundation for research of West Asia through continuous research, and build networks between researchers, businessmen and government officials of West Asia. WAC has formed relationships with experts for expansion of regional studies research through colloquiums and added depth to understanding West Asia through regional intensive seminars. The current goal of WAC is to analyze the issues of mobility, politics, sectarianism, and economy in West Asia.

- * Second year of the NRF-funded joint research project, “MENA in the Era of Complex Crisis: Emerging Security, Alternative Orders, and Civil Society”, analyzing the dynamics between civil society and regimes in five countries: Iraq, Iran, Egypt, Tunisia, and Türkiye
- * Held 13 academic events
- * Published the monthly magazine MENA Focus during the academic semester, addressing key issues in the Middle East and North Africa region
- * Published contributions from ambassadors of MENA countries in Korea (Iran, Iraq, Qatar, UAE, Jordan, Oman, Morocco)
- * Co-hosted the “2nd Quiz on Arab” in collaboration with the Korea-Arab Society
- * Published 12 KCI-listed journal articles, 2 academic books, and 1 sole-authored monograph
- * Participated in 22 academic conferences as presenters or discussants

Selected Publications

Koo, G.Y. et al. (2024)	<i>Marriage, Family, and Sexuality in Asia – When Will the Rainbow Rise for LGBTQ in the Middle East?</i> CIR.
Koo, G.Y. et al. (2024)	<i>Stop Scrolling – Solidarity with Instagram Story</i> . Minumsa.
Koo, G.Y. (2024)	Wavering Theocratic Ideology and the Politicization of Shia Identity: Iran's Ideological Rifts Amid Geopolitical Maneuvers. <i>Asian Journal of Political Science</i> , 32(2)
Ahn, S.Y. (2024)	Propaganda Competition between Qatar and Saudi Arabia in the Israel-Hamas War: A Comparative Study of Al-Jazeera and Al-Arabiya Reporting. <i>Journal of Institute of Middle East Studies</i> 43(1)
Koo, G.Y. & Ahn, S.Y. (2024)	The UAE's Pragmatic Diplomatic Strategy through Soft Power: Focusing on the Message of Religious Reconciliation. <i>Journal of the Korean Association of the Islamic Studies</i> 34(2)
Ahn, S.Y. (2024)	Double Strain of Political Struggles in a Multipolar World Order: Analyzing the Impact of Diverse External Intervention and Domestic Politics through the Study of Sudan's Armed Conflict. <i>Korean Journal of Middle East Studies</i> 45(2)
Koo, G.Y. (2024)	The Dilemma Between 'Settlement' and 'Onward Migration': Cultural Adaptation and Transnational Mobility Strategies among Iranian International Female Students in South Korea. <i>Space & Environment</i> 34(3)
Koo, G.Y. (2024)	Introduction: Challenges and Changes in Middle Eastern Civil Society: Dynamic Possibilities within Authoritarian Regimes. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(3)
Hwang, Y.H. (2024)	Iraqi Civil Society Trapped in a Power-Sharing System: The Possibility of the Tishreen Movement and the Limitations of Political Institutions. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(3)
Ahn, S.Y. (2024)	The Dynamics of Civil Society Observed Through the Jordanian Electoral Process. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(3)
Han, H.E. (2024)	A Study of the Relationship Between AKP and Civil Society in Türkiye: Focusing on the Kurdish Women's Movement. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(3)
Koo, G.Y. (2024)	WomenLifeFreedom: The 2022 Iranian Hijab Protests and the History of Civil Disobedience. <i>Asia Review</i> 14(3)

People

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The Center for South Asian Studies (CSAS) was established to pursue multidimensional and reciprocal cooperative projects with the seven countries in the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) such as India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, and Nepal, and to study their history, economy, politics, languages and cultures with the aim of systematically building related capacities.

After establishing diplomatic relations with South Asian countries in the 1970s, Korea has recently reinforced cooperation in the context of New Southern Policy and joined SAARC as an observer state in 2007. CSAS seeks to perform the role of an academic link that connects diverse agents who contribute to the creation and accumulation of information related to South Asia. For this aim, the center is pursuing projects that expand the range of joint research and work with various institutes, researchers, and agents of South Asian countries.

- * Held a total of 13 colloquiums and classical studies workshops related to South Asian culture, history, society, and philosophy, with a focus on India
- * Organized 7 events of Workshop on Socioeconomic Issues in South Asia and Consultation Meeting on ODA Research Projects
- * Hosted a book concert on India, a special lecture by the Ambassador of Pakistan, and co-hosted an academic conference with the Korean Society of Yoga on the theme “Modern Yoga and Meditation”
- * Operated the 6th term of the South Asia Culture School - Introductory Gāndhārī Grammar and Reading Course
- * Co-hosted the Management Programme for Entrepreneurs & Family Businesses in collaboration with the Indian Institute of Management Bangalore
- * Conducted research for “Strategic Directions for Development Cooperation (ODA) in Central and South Asia” (April 2024 - October 2024)
- * Conducted research for “A Study on Trends in India’s Content Industry and Strategies for Cultural Exchange” (June 2024 - December 2024)
- * Ongoing research for “A Study on the Impact of E-sports on Social Perception” (December 2022 - May 2025)

Selected Publications

Kang, S.Y. (2024)	<i>The Buddhism We Overlooked, the Buddha We Longed to Know - Suffering and Enlightenment in Life.</i> Bulgwang Publishing House
Kang, S.Y. (2024)	<i>Samskṛtavākyaopakriyā: Introduction to Classical Sanskrit 2.</i> Rasa Press
Kang, S.Y. (2024)	<i>Samskṛtavākyaopakriyā: Introduction to Classical Sanskrit Workbook 2.</i> Rasa Press
Kang, S.Y. Han, S.H., & Kim, D.S. (2024)	<i>The Great India.</i> Munhakdongne Publishing.
Yang, Y.S. et al. (2025)	<i>Landscapes of Wounds: Facing the Wounds of My Heart – Entering the Dream, Awakening from the Dream.</i> MINDLAB
Maeng, H.C. (2024)	Credible Sales Messages in a Retail Context: Theory and Evidence. <i>Journal of Distribution Science</i> , 22(9)
Yang, Y.S. (2024)	Tradition and Modernization of Tibetan Medicine - In Relation to the Indian Sowa Rigpa. <i>Bulgyeohakbo</i> 104
Yang, Y.S. (2024)	The Self-awareness Theory of Pūjyapāda in Samādhitantra. <i>KJBS</i> 79
Yang, Y.S. (2024)	The Direct Perception of Omniscient: Based on the <i>Pramāṇamīmāṃsā</i> 1.1. <i>KJIP</i> 71

People

Director: Sung Yong Kang (Inst. of Humanities)

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Research Assistants: Dongyun Ha (Dept. of Religious Studies), Yongjae Kim (Dept. of Religious Studies),
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Visiting Researchers: Yongju Choi (SNUAC), Panseok Shin (SNUAC)

The Asia-Africa Center was established in March 2022 for pursuing transdisciplinary research that can mutually complement the universality and specificity of studies on Africa and for performing a role as an exclusive research institute for African studies that equally understands both Korean and African perspectives beyond the existing West-oriented view on Africa. Functioning as a strategic think tank that can provide practical policy suggestions that meet the needs of the times, the center ultimately aims to make a leap as a global research hub of African studies that connects Asia and Africa and leads to mutual understanding between the two continents.

- * Planning and hosting of lectures on Africa: Organized the 2024 SNU Africa Seminar Series (7 sessions) and SNU Africa Special Lectures (2 sessions)
- * Participation in domestic and international academic forums and seminars: 2024 Korea-Africa Youth Forum, Korea-South Africa Future Dialogue Seminar, African Development Bank (AfDB) Policy Seminar, the 67th Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association (Chicago, USA), and the 2024 Korea-Africa Youth Forum (Oran, Algeria)
- * Establishment of cooperation and partnerships with key African-related institutions in Korea and abroad: 2024 Korea-Africa Summit, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Korea, the Embassies of Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, and Kenya in Korea, the Korean Ambassador to Nigeria, the Korea-Africa Foundation, Makerere University (Uganda), Stellenbosch University (South Africa), and others
- * Support for Africa-related academic research: Held 3 meetings of the SNU Africa Studies Group and 1 gathering for emerging scholars in African studies

People

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The Vietnam Center (VC) serves as a central institution for Seoul National University's education and research on Vietnam. The center accumulates qualitative and quantitative regional information related to Vietnam and services to be used by researchers. The center plans and conducts transdisciplinary research over various disciplines such as anthropology, political science, economics, and public administration. The center is actively participating in Vietnam-related national and private research and exchange projects and accumulating research and information on Vietnam. The Center is contributing to common prosperity of Vietnam and Korea by transferring the strategies of occupational training, higher education, and academic research to local institutions in Vietnam. The Center is also strengthening Vietnam-related networks by serving as an acting secretariat of the Vietnam Forum of Seoul National University.

- * Operated SNUAC's overseas public lecture program, Global Advanced Management Program in Vietnam, in Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City
- * Built the Vietnam Elite Dataset (the 4th to 12th Central Committees of the Communist Party of Vietnam)
- * Collaborated with the Vietnam Studies Committee of the Korean Association of Southeast Asian Studies: organized a panel at the annual academic conference and published a 2024 year-in-review paper on Vietnam
- * Launched a project to establish a Seoul National University overseas office in Vietnam

Selected Publication

Kim, Y.K. & Myung, J.S. (2024) Vietnam in 2024: An Economy Navigating Smoothly Amid Political Turbulence. *The Southeast Asian Review* 35(1)

People

Director: Yong Kyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations)

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Research Assistants: Jaeseok Myung (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations),
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The Asia Regional Information Center (ARIC) aims to establish comprehensive database based on statistical analysis of qualitative/quantitative data of individual countries & regions in Asia, in response to the social needs of present national and regional information. Our ultimate goal is to contribute to developing cultural intelligence competence by creating an integrated information platform for sharing various information and data, attributed by ARIC's versions of country reports and data modules.

- * Provided updated data for factsheets: Supplied Trade Factsheets for 13 Asian countries
- * Published the 2024 Korea-ASEAN Statistical Yearbook and held a seminar titled "ASEAN Through Statistics: Data Utilization and Challenges" jointly with the ASEAN-Korea Centre
- * Upgraded metadata sets and the data visualization dashboard
- * Methodology workshop: Held a workshop on using APIs to strengthen applied research capabilities
- * Public lecture series for Gwanak-gu residents: Conducted a 6-week course on six Asian countries based on the Asian Megacity Values Survey
- * Published 7 KCI-listed journal articles and 1 Korea-ASEAN Statistical Yearbook

Selected Publications

Huh, J.W. et al. (2024)	Examining Immigrant Parent Sponsorship Policy Through Family Unification and Care Lens. <i>Multiculture & Peace</i> 18(1)
Shim, W.J. et al. (2024)	Effective Sampling Design for Assessing Forest Soil Carbon Stocks and Environmental Correlations. <i>Journal of the Korean Geographical Society</i> 59(4)
Ko, K.K. et al. (2024)	Assessing the Adequacy of Measures for Evaluating the Economic Power of Local Governments. <i>Korean Public Administration Review</i> 58(3)
Ko, K.K. et al. (2024)	The Impact of Innovation Barriers on Public Officials' Intention to Utilize Data-Driven Administration. <i>Korean Journal of Policy Analysis and Evaluation</i> 34(3)
Huh, J.W. et al. (2024)	Perceived Immigrant Threats and Multicultural Acceptance: Concrete and Abstract Perceptions. <i>Space & Environment</i> 34(3)
Shim, W.J. et al. (2024)	Assessment of Forest Soil Carbon Stocks Using Digital Soil Mapping in a Gneiss Area. <i>Journal of The Korean Geomorphological Association</i> , 31(3)
Ko, K.K. et al. (2024)	Do the Reasons for Out-Migration Among Women in Their 20s and 30s Differ Based on the Level of Regional Extinction Risk? <i>Korean Society and Public Administration</i> 35(3)
SNUAC ARIC et al. (2024)	2024 Korea-ASEAN Statistical Yearbook. ASEAN-Korea Centre

People

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The Center for Asian Urban Societies (CAUS) aims to suggest post-developmental city paradigm and the urban transition strategy, which help Asian cities overcome the limitations of developmental urbanization and establish a human-centered urban community. It also wants to contribute citizens to make alternative daily lives by making and flourishing commons-oriented urban platforms as social-cultural-spatial infrastructures. The Center strives to disseminate its research results to society through active policy proposals. Further, it establishes research-based urban solidarity through domestic and overseas research and activity networks.

- * Conducted the 1st phase of the Humanities and Social Sciences Research Institute Support Project by the NRF (2021.91~2027.8.31): 'Research on Commons-based Urban Transition Strategies to Overcome Speculative Urbanization'
- * Hosted the 2024 Urban Commons Forum: including workshops on vacant houses and shared urban spaces, and the 2024 Chuncheon Commons Forum (Urban Commons Expo)
- * Participated in international academic conferences: ICAS 2024 and presentation at the EARCAG 2025 session organized by the Korean Association Of Space And Environment Research
- * Expert seminars and colloquia: 2 brown bag seminars, 1 colloquium, and 2 author-invited book talks
- * Hosted "CAUS Urban Seminar Series" in collaboration with citizen activists: three themes were "Commoning with Lefebvre" (8 sessions), "Antonio Negri's the Common" (8 sessions), and "Bob Jessop's state theory"(6 sessions)

Selected Publications

Shim, H.B. (2024)	<i>Documentation and Memory of Industry in Seongnam: Archiving of Seongnam Industrial Complex and Pangyo Technovalley, City of Seongnam</i>
Park, B.G., Lee, J.H., Han, G.A., Lee, S.W., Paek, I.S. & Sim, H.B. (2024)	Enabling Infrastructure: Seeing Infrastructure as the Urban Commons. <i>International Journal of Urban Sciences</i> , 28(4)
Jung, J.Y. & Park, B.G. (2024)	The impact of socio-economic variables on the presidential vote : The Case of Seoul's Administrative District Voting Results Across Presidential Elections from the 17th to the 20th. <i>Journal of Korean Association of Regional Geography</i> , 30(1)
Paek, Y.S. & Choi, M.J. (2024)	Uneven Development as a Territorial Governance Strategy: Reflections on 'Balance' in the Comprehensive National Development Plan. <i>The Geographical Journal of Korea</i> , 58(1)
Paek, Y.S. (2024)	Reglobalization and Geoeconomic Fragmentation: A Case Study of Chinese E-commerce in the Post-COVID-19 Era. <i>Journal of the Economic Geographical Society of Korea</i> , 27(1)
Lee, S.B. & Paek, Y.S. (2024)	Parking Space as the Connecting Space of Immobilities and Mobilities. <i>Journal of Cultural and Historical Geography</i> , 36(1)
Lee, S. W. (2025)	Democracy without its subject, who will rebuild it?. <i>Marxism</i> 21, 22(1)

People

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The Center for Asian Migration Studies concentrates on basic research for exploring, understanding, and explaining the status, characteristics, and prospects of migration and immigration over countries, regions, and continents. At the same time, the center seeks to establish itself as a hub of Asian migration studies through a network of related agents at home and abroad such as the government, academia, and civil society, in the rapid transitional process toward a multicultural society with low birthrate. To this end, the center will construct a database for Asian migration studies and create a network of migration experts within and outside the country. Through discussions and explorations of migration policy and issues with experts in Korea and other countries, the center will proliferate research outcomes through academic exchanges including conferences.

- * Regularly hosted the Asia Migration Studies Colloquium and Special Lecture Series
- * Co-hosted the 2024 Fall Conference of the Korean International Migration Studies Association, strengthening domestic research networks and laying the foundation for future collaboration
- * Promoted international exchange by holding regular migration workshops in partnership with the Global Asia Research Center at National Taiwan University (NTUGARC)
- * Continued the development of a foundational database for migration studies
- * Disseminated and circulated research outcomes through presentations at domestic and international academic conferences and scholarly publications
- * Appointed migration experts from SNU and domestic research institutes as advisory members to enhance joint research, data sharing, and academic exchange
- * Focused on foundational research by comprehensively examining the current status, characteristics, and future outlook of migration and immigration in Asia

Selected Publications

Choi, S.Y. (2024)	A Phased Approach to Immigrants' Inflow, Settlement, and Integration to Establish Comprehensive Immigration Policy. <i>Journal of the Korean Regional Science Association</i> 40(4)
Huh, J.W. et al. (2024)	Perceived Immigrant Threats and Multicultural Acceptance: Concrete and Abstract Perceptions. <i>Space & Environment</i> 34(3)
Koo, G.Y. et al. (2024)	An Analysis of Changes in Meaning of the Ashura Rituals: From Rituals of Mourning to the Symbol of Resistance. <i>Journal of Institute of Mediterranean Studies</i> 26(3)
Huh, J.W. et al. (2024)	Examining Immigrant Parent Sponsorship Policy Through Family Unification and Care Lens. <i>Multiculture & Peace</i> 18(1)
Jung, H.J., Kim, J.S. et al. (2024)	Rethinking Multicultural Space from a Mega-Asian Perspective: Using Gimhae City's Foreigner Street as an Example. <i>SNU Journal of Humanities</i> 81(4)
Koo, G.Y. (2024)	Wavering Theocratic Ideology and the Politicization of Shia Identity: Iran's Ideological Rifts Amid Geopolitical Maneuvers. <i>Asian Journal of Political Science</i> , 32(2)
Koo, G.Y. et al. (2024)	The UAE's Pragmatic Diplomatic Strategy through Soft Power: Focusing on the Message of Religious Reconciliation. <i>Journal of the Korean Association of the Islamic Studies</i> 34(2)
Jung, H.J. et al. (2024)	The Impact of Educational Migration in the Transition to a Modern City: Focusing on Bukchon as the Locus of Educational Migration to Gyeongseong. <i>Seoul Journal of Korean Studies</i> , 37(1)

People

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Miae Lee (Tamna Cultural Research Inst., Jeju Nat'l Univ), Sanghee Park (Sungkonghoe Univ)

Research Assistants: Jeongseop Kim (Dept. of City Planning), Hwayeon Yoo (Dept. of City Planning)

Hallyu, referring to the significant overseas popularity of Korean popular culture, has been rapidly developing into a global cultural phenomenon beyond Asia and greatly changing Korea's realistic and imaginary relations in the world. At a point when Korea has to reinstate a national image that befits its status as an advanced country, the importance of Hallyu as a soft power became so much larger. The Center for Hallyu Studies seeks to be the hub of Hallyu Studies by activating networks at home and abroad and re-establishing the meaning of studying Hallyu. To do this, the center will theorize Hallyu studies, which has been sporadically conducted in several areas; formulate important issues; and pursue transdisciplinary research and formation of a global network of researchers. The center will construct a foundation for Hallyu Studies through integrated research, disseminate research outcomes through publications and academic events, and conduct various projects that can contribute to society.

- * AKS Academic Translation of Korean Texts Program, Korean Popular Culture History Seminar Series ("The Border between Popular Art and Public Entertainment: Cultural Politics in 1940s-1960s 'Korea and Sites for Popular Entertainment'")
- * NRF Collaborative Research Support Program, "Cultural and Industrial Characteristics of Hallyu Creative Industry - Towards a Co-evolutionary Model of Production and Consumption" - Round Table Event: Global Growth of Webtoon and Main Issues
- * 2024 CHS International Conference: "Mapping and Theorizing Hallyu - Reconsidering Impacts of Hallyu and Hallyu Studies for Theories on Culture"
- * 2024 1st International Conference for Contemporary Korean Studies: "Global Perspectives on Hallyu"
- * CHS 100 Minute Talk (8 events)
- * 1st Hallyu Studies Student Day
- * CHS Special Lecture: "Sunmi as 'Heroine, Gashina, and Siren': How a Former Member of the K-Pop Group The Wonder Girls Developed Sunmi-Pop"

Selected Publications

Suh, J.Y. et al. (2024)	<i>Women's History, One More Step</i> ("New framework to approach <i>ginyeo</i> in Joseon Korea"), PureunYeoksa
Cho, Y.H., Kim, S.A., Bang, H.K., Lee, G.T. & Lee, S.M. (2024)	<i>Exploring Hallyu: History and Theory</i> , Culturelook
Park, S.J. et al. (2024)	Identity Experiment in the Metaverse: Making Sense of Zepeto Users' Avatar Use. <i>International Journal of Communication</i> , 18.
Park, S.J. et al. (2025)	Global Icon or National Star?: Interpreting the Contested Star Image of BLACKPINK's Lisa in a Transnational Context. <i>Celebrity Studies</i>

People

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Research Assistants: Hyejin Cho (Dept. of Communication), Jisu Ha (Dept. of Communication), Jeongun Kim (Dept. of Communication), Kangbin Kim (Dept. of Communication), Hakyong Park (Dept. of Communication), Jimin Seo (Dept. of Communication), Youngchae Shin (Dept. of Communication)

The mission of SNUAC's Future Earth Program is to find transdisciplinary ways to realize sustainable development and to build and share global knowledge that will increase the impact of sustainability research. Pursuing the vision of 'a healthy, just and flourishing Asia', based on dialogue and research cooperation between the natural sciences, humanities and social sciences, Future Earth Program discovers research topics for promoting sustainability of the Korean Peninsula and Asia, and contributes to policy development based on the research needs. Starting with the hosting of the Korea National Committee for Future Earth in 2019, SNUAC has been promoting the realization of the 'Future Earth' mission and vision in Korea and Asia through Future Earth Program which provides a research and education platform for interaction with networking partners; and continues carrying out the infrastructure establishment project for the Future Earth Program.

- * Conducted a research project funded by the Ministry of Environment: Establishing a Multi-Level Climate and Environmental Research Network for a Sustainable Earth (June 27, 2024 - February 21, 2025).
- * Ongoing research project based at the Asia Center: Changes in East Asian Social-Ecological Systems and Spatial Sustainability (September 1, 2024 - August 31, 2025).
- * Hosted a 7-part lecture series under the theme "K-SDGs and the Future Earth."
Held a comprehensive expert workshop covering all areas of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- * Organized and presented a session at the Asian Law and Society Association (ALSA) International Conference under the theme "Listen to the Wisdom of the System," including a presentation titled "Re-thinking Nature's Voice and Wisdom" and participation in panel discussions.

Selected Publications

Andriess, E., Kim, J.,
Thipakorn, S., Pham,
T.N.Q., Karunaratne,
A.Y. & Owusu, V. (2024) *The Forum on the COVID-19 Pandemic and International Migrant Workers: Geographies of (Im)Mobility and Governance Challenges*. Geographical Review

People

Director: SooJin Park (Dept. of Geography)

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Kyunghee Choi (SNUAC HK Research Prof), Fumiko Kasuga (Future Earth Global Secretariat Hub),
Daehyun Kim (Dept. of Geography), Donggill Kim (Ethiopia Hawassa Univ), GoWoon Kim (SNUAC),
Ho Kim (Grad. School of Public Health), Joon Kim (Future Earth), Taewoo Ko (Dept. of History),
Yohan Lee (Dept. of Forest Sciences), Hoonchong Yi (Inst. for Korean Regional Studies),
Soonchang Yoon (Prof. Emeritus SNU)

Research Assistants: Jungsun Choi (Dept. of Geography), Sooyeon Hong (Dept. of Applied Biology and Chemistry)

The Civil Society and NGOs Program (CSP) aims to provide in-depth comparisons and analyses of changes in the civil societies of major East Asian countries, with a particular focus on Korea. Major research areas include the environment, human rights, and the social economy, with key topics being 'regional development and governance', 'migration and multiculturalism', and 'community and alliance', respectively. The program has been conducting research on the topography and network structures of Korean, Asian, and global civil societies; civil society activities in areas such as the environment, labor, energy, public health, women, youth, and the social economy; and actors at multiple levels of civil society, such as grassroots organizations, state-level governance, corporations, and civil movements.

- * Co-hosted two international academic conferences (May 14 and September 10-11)
- * Conducted a joint workshop and field research with the Social Innovation Research Team at Doshisha University on "Local Communities and Social Innovation" (March 4-7) in Kamiyama and Kamikatsu, Tokushima Prefecture
- * Held a six-part joint lecture series with Toyo University's Global Innovation Center and SNUAC (May-October)
- * Launched a new research project on care democracy supported by the Civil Society Research Development Fund (starting June 2024): "Care Democracy and Local Community Resilience in East Asia – with Comparative Case Studies from Korea, Japan, and Taiwan"
- * Hosted special lectures by domestic and international experts under the Civil Society & NGOs Program (June 24 and September 25)
- * Conducted field research on "Local Resilience and Light Communities" in collaboration with Toyo University's Global Innovation Center (August 26-30), visiting Kamiichi in Toyama Prefecture, Tatebayashi in Gunma Prefecture, and Tanabe in Wakayama Prefecture
- * Co-hosted an online academic conference with the Japanese Association for Political Sociology (November 23)

Selected Publications

Kim, T.K. & Kim, B.K. (2024)	<i>Asianization of the Integrated Approach for Development Cooperation in Asianization of Asia</i> . Routledge
Kong, S.K. (2024)	<i>Digital Globalization and Emerging Transnational Social Movements in Asia in Asianization of Asia</i> . Routledge
Kong, S.K. & Lim, H.C. (2024)	<i>Reclaiming Democratic Citizenship Whiling Tackling Covid-19 in South Korea in Future Practices of Citizenship in Asia and the West</i> . Amsterdam University Press
Min, W.J. (2024)	<i>Amazingly Long and Madly Diverse Chile</i> . Humanist
Kang, M. S. & Cho, W. B. (2024)	Regional Identity and Affective Polarization in South Korea. <i>The Journal of Political Science & Communication</i> , 27(2)
Kong, S.K. (2024)	"Experimental Strategies for 'Light Communities' to Revitalize Grassroots Movements." in <i>Remembering the Future of May 18</i> . Chonnam National University Press
Lim, H.C. & Shin, K.Y. (2024)	COVID-19 and the Rise of the Neo-Developmental State in Korea. <i>Korean Social Science Research Council</i> 51(1)
Min, W.J. (2025)	Is that your kei or my K? Bodily performance of fandom in visual kei and K-pop dance parties in Santiago, Chile. <i>East Asian Journal of Popular Culture</i>
Min, W. J. (2024)	El Cantar de Mio Cid: Memories of Resistance Amid Encounters Between Christianity and Islam.. <i>Korean Journal of European Integration</i> 15(3)

People

Director: Hyun-Chin Lim (SNUAC)

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Research Assistants: Yongrae Jung (Dept. of Sociology), Seoyeon Nam (Dept. of Social Welfare)

Visiting Researcher: Wonjung Min (SNUAC)

Asian Developmental Model Program aims to analyze the specificity and diversity of the Asian capitalist system theoretically and empirically and to classify sustainable Asian developmental models based on the analysis. To do so, the program discusses the common institution and culture of Asian capitalism and classifies the diversity of Asian capitalism by comparatively analyzing various industries in terms of corporate governance, intercorporate relations, labor, finances, welfare and global value chains. The program seeks to suggest a sustainable Asian developmental model by setting the regional commonality of Asian capitalism and a synthesized framework that includes the diversity of countries within the region.

- * Exploration of the formation of ancient East Asian legal systems
- * Reconstructing Asia's intellectual values based on newly discovered sources
- * A new understanding of Confucianism in East Asia through reinterpretation of classical texts
- * Inquiry into visions of ideal societies and notions of community in Asia
- * Investigation into Asia's magical folk beliefs: spirits, medicine, and theories of the body
- * Seeking pathways for the public dissemination of research on Asia's intellectual values

Selected Publications

Kim, H. (2024)	Rereading Dasan, Korean Studies as 'Practical Learning'. <i>Yoksa Hakbo</i> 261
Kim, H. (2024)	'An Attempt at Comparative History': How Did Neo-Confucianism Shape East Asia? <i>Yoksa Hakbo</i> 262
Kim, H. (2024)	The Medical Care and Dietary Practices of Ahn Jung-bok's Family in Gyeonggi Province in the Late 18th Century. <i>Kijoun Munhwa Yongu</i> 45(1)
Kim, H. (2024)	Jeong Yak-yong's Reinterpretation of the Book of History (尙書) and His Vision for Joseon's Governance - Rediscovering Yao and Shun's Principles for Joseon. <i>Korean Studies</i> 74

People

Director: Byung-Joon Kim (Dept. of History)

Co-Researchers: Seonyeop Hwang (Dept. of Korean Language & Literature), Ho Kim (SNUAC),
Jihyun Kim (Dept. of Religious Studies), Junghwan Lee (Dept. of Aesthetics),

Research Assistants: Do Yeon Ahn (Dept. of Asian History), Feng Wang (Dept. of Asian History)

The Exchange and Cooperation in the Asian World Program aims to identify the substance of various exchange networks that existed in the historical “Asian world” and to study their diachronic development. Due to the vast range of regions and topics involved, such research can be limited within the bounds of a single academic discipline. Therefore, we seek to establish a new framework for exploring the Asian world through interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary approaches. Empirical studies of past networks can reveal how “mobility” and “connectivity” contributed to the formation and reproduction of the Asian world and offer meaningful insights into contemporary exchange and cooperation within Asia. From 2022 to 2024, the program aimed to build an “Archaeohistorical Database of Exchange” to support empirical research on the various exchange networks that shaped the Asian world. In addition, it conducted in-depth academic activities examining how people, goods, and ideas moved across borders.

- * Organized the "People of the East Sea Rim Region" Workshop Series (3 meetings)
- * Organized the "Comparative Research on the Korean Peninsula and Asia" Workshop (5 meetings)
- * Hosted an International Conference on "Tango Peninsula, an Overlooked Node in East Sea Rim Interactions"
- * Set up a "East Sea Rim - Tango Peninsula Research Materials" Database
Received research grant from the Korean NRF (2023.9~2024.8) for "New Roads for the Globalization of Korean Studies - Korean Ancient History and Archaeology in the 21st century and Asia"
- * Participated in "Nordic Baltic Korean Studies Days 2024" and co-organized "Option 1: SILLA EXHIBITION TRAINING"

Selected Publications

Ko, I.H. (2025)	New Perspectives on Ancient and Historic quarries: Re-thinking the Juklim-ri Quarry in Gochang. <i>Geonji Inmunhak</i> , 42
Ko, I.H. et al. (2024)	Rethinking Multicultural Space from a Mega-Asian Perspective: Using Gimhae City's Foreigner Street as an Example. <i>The Journal of Humanities</i> , 81(4)

People

Director: Oh Young Kwon (Dept. of History)
Co-Researchers: Byung-Joon Kim (Dept. of History), Jong Il Kim (Dept. of Archaeology & Art History),
Ilhong Ko (SNUAC HK Professor)
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Minju Kim (Dept. of Korean History)

Academic Events

The people in this section have been noted by their names and affiliations in alphabetical order. Titles were excluded. SNU professors were noted by their departments, and SNUAC researchers by SNUAC.

Over the year 2024, SNUAC has successfully hosted a total of 211 academic events including 14 international academic conferences, 19 domestic academic conferences, 70 workshops, 55 special lectures, and 21 Brown Bag seminars.

3/4-7
CSP, Social Innovation Research Team,
Doshisha Univ.

<Workshop> Korea-Japan Joint
Workshop on Social Innovation 2024

Suk-ki Kong (SNUAC)
Wonjee Cho (SNUAC)
Romee Lee (Korea Nat'l Open Univ)

3/19
WAC



<Colloquium> Re-membering Ancient Egypt

Sung Hwan Yoo (Dept. of Asian
Languages & Civilizations)

3/21
CAMS, BK21 Team, SNU Dept. of
Anthropology

<Special Lecture> Special Lecture by
Director Lee Jin-young of Songs of
Love from Hawaii: 122 Years of Korean
Immigration History to the Americas
Through Film

Jinyoung Lee (Film Director)

3/25
AAFC

<Special Lecture> Spatiality of
Madagascar's Mycaean People: An
Evolutionary Anthropological Approach

Hanson Park (Dept. of Anthropology)

3/25
CHS

<Workshop> Cinema and the Cultural
Cold War: US Diplomacy and the Origins
of the Asian Cinema Network

Sangjoon Lee (City Univ. of Hong Kong)

3/26
NEAC

<Colloquium> The Current State of
Global Urban Decline and Revitalization
Strategies: Case Studies from Germany
and the United States with Implications
for East Asia

Jong-ki Park (Soonchunhyang Univ)
Yun-suk Lee (Korea Research Inst. for
Human Settlements)
Jungwon Cho (Wonkwang Univ)
Seunghye Oh (Inst. for Japanese Studies)
Kiryong Choi (Gyeongang Nat'l Univ)

3/26
CHS

<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar>
K-beauty, a 'Relatable Ideal' for Asian
Women?

Sojeong Park (SNUAC)

3/27
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Data Storytelling Cluster

<Workshop> Core and Expanded
Content Comparative Analysis of Asia's
Slow Cities

Seonyoung Park (SNUAC)

3/27
CAMS, SNU GSES BK21

<Colloquium> The Development Path
and Future Challenges of Immigration
Policy in Korea

Youngee Cho (MRT)

3/27
CSAS



<Colloquium> The Birth of Modern Yoga
-The Convergence and Conflict of Hindu
Tradition and Western Culture-

Junbo Sim (HIFS)

3/28
CECAS

<Conference> War and Refugees: The
Key Issues in Refugee Research Raised
by the War in Ukraine

Hyun-ok Kim (Gyeongang Nat'l Univ)
Young-sul Kim (Jeonnam Univ)
Kayoung Ko (SNUAC)
Ayoung Choi (SNUAC)
Vadim Slepchenko (SNUAC)
Yuihyun Hwang (SNUAC)

4/2
SNUAC

<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar>
Testing the Substitutability of U.S.
Alliances and Arms

Jinmyoung Lee (SNUAC)

4/5
CHS

<Workshop> The Boundary of Popular
Art and Popular Entertainment: The
Field of Cultural Politics and Popular
Entertainment of the 1940s-60s

Hwajin Lee (Chosun Univ)
Yoojung Lee (Yonsei Univ)

4/6
AAFC, Embassy of the Republic of Ghana
in South Korea



<Special Lecture> Ghana Embassy
GHASKA Diplomacy Forum
Charis Obetsebi-Lampsey

Zwennes (Embassy of the Republic of
Ghana in Korea)

4/8
ECAWP

<Special Lecture> Exchanges between
Japan's Ancient San'in Regional Polities
and Korean Peninsula

Kenji Fujita (Osaka Center For Cultural
Heritage)

4/9
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Data Storytelling Cluster

<Seminar> Utilization of Surveys as a
Quantitative Comparative Research
Method in Regional Studies

Woo Jin Shim (SNUAC)

4/12
CSAS, Research Group in Indian and
Tibetan Classics

<Workshop> Revisiting the Vimśatikā-
vijñapti-mātratā-siddhi

Gilsan Lee (Kyungnam Univ)

4/12
AAFC

<Workshop> 2024 South African Elections

Stephen Chan (Univ. of London SOAS)

4/16
SNUAC



<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar>
Vietnam's Foreign Policy during the Cold
War (1976-1990)

Jeeye Song (SNUAC)

4/17
CSAS

<Colloquium> New Delhi: The Last
Battleground of British Imperialism and
Indian Nationalism

Minha Shin (Dept. of Asian Languages &
Civilizations)

4/18
SEAC

<Special Lecture> 2024-1 Southeast Asia
Open Lecture: Climate and Agriculture
of Southeast Asia in the Traditional Era
Lecture 1

Deok-hyung Choi (Busan Nat'l Univ)

4/22
CAMS, SNU GSES BK21

<Colloquium> What are the
employment status and challenges of
foreign workers in agriculture?

Jinyoung Eom (KREI)

4/23
SNUAC

<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> The
Knowledge Politics of Border-crossing
Particulate Matter in East Asia

Sungeun Kim (SNUAC)

4/24
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Data Storytelling Cluster

<Seminar> Regional Scale as a Research
Unit in Quantitative Studies

Jungwon Huh (SNUAC)

4/24
CECAS

<Workshop> <Bargi of Chitagon Hill,
Flying Korea> BookTalk: Dream of
Resistance from Bangladesh to Korea

Inani (Kimpo Foreign Resident Support
Center)

4/25
SEAC








<Special Lecture> Southeast Asia Open
Lecture: Climate and Agriculture of
Southeast Asia in the Traditional Era
Lecture 2

Joono Lee (Chonnam Nat'l Univ)

4/26
CAUS

<Book Talk> Now Attention to Space
Seong-bin Lee(Yeonse Univ.)

Ji-yeon Shin (Yonsei Univ)
Young-dae Kim (Independent Researcher)

<p>4/29 CHS</p> <p><Workshop> Korean Wave in World Englishes The Linguistic Impact of Korea's Popular Culture</p> <p>Jieun Kiaer (Univ. of Oxford)</p>	<p>5/7 SNUAC</p> <p><Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> At the Boundary of Travel and Migration: The Visa Run Experience of Temporary Sojourners in Korea</p> <p>Daeun Lee(SNUAC)</p>	<p>5/14 CSP, (Inst. for Association, Foundation and Cooperative Management (VM)), Fribourg Univ, Swiss, Soical Value Management Inst., Korea</p>  <p><Conference> 2024 NPO. NGO Leadership Int'l Conference</p> <p>Suk-ki Kong (SNUAC) Markus Gmür (Fribourg Univ)</p>	<p>5/21 WAC</p> <p><Colloquium> MENA Focus Seminar 5: Concepts of Civil Society in MENA: History and Meaning</p> <p>Hanjin Eom (Hallym Univ)</p>
<p>4/30 HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group Data Storytelling Cluster</p> <p><Seminar> Analysis of Mega-Asian Elements in Asia's Slow Cities</p> <p>Woo Jin Shim (SNUAC)</p>	<p>5/8 NEAC</p>  <p><Conference> A Critical Analysis of the Belt and Road Initiative: A Connectivity Perspective</p> <p>Jiwoon Baik (IPUS) Jeong Kyung Seo (SNUAC) Jungwon Cho (Wonkwang Univ) Seunghye Oh (Inst. for Japanese Studies) Kiryong Choi (Gyeongsang Nat'l Univ)</p>	<p>5/16-7/18 CAUS, The Korean Association Of Space And Environment Research</p> <p><Seminar> CAUS Urban Seminar – David Harvey: How to Understand Capitalism?</p> <p>Byung-du Choi (Daegu Univ)</p>	<p>5/21 SNUAC</p>  <p><Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Identity and Belonging in Films of Uzbekistani Koryo-saram</p> <p>Olga Khan (SNUAC)</p>
<p>4/30 SNUAC</p> <p><Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Hope in a Foreign Land: Stories of Russian Immigrants</p> <p>Vadim Slepchenko (SNUAC)</p>	<p>5/9 SEAC</p> <p><Special Lecture> 2024-1 Southeast Asia Open Lecture: Climate and Agriculture of Southeast Asia in the Traditional Era Lecture 4</p> <p>Eun-kyung Yang (Busan Nat'l Univ)</p>	<p>5/16 CECAS, CAMS, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group</p>  <p><Special Lecture> The Future Lies in Diaspora</p> <p>Juhn Joseph Hoosuk(Film director)</p>	<p>5/21 CAUS</p> <p><Colloquium> On Climate Leviathan</p> <p>Joel Wainwright (Ohio State Univ)</p>
<p>4/30 PPAIV</p> <p><Special Lecture> <Historians Exploring Strange Phenomena: the Camality Theory in the Political Philosophy of the Han Dynasty and a precedent in the literature of the Warring States Period>&<Did they really believe in fortune-telling?: Several Divination Fragments in a tomb of the Han Dynasty></p> <p>David Hogue (The Inst. of Asian Study) Byung Joon Kim (Dept. of Asian History)</p>	<p>5/10 CSAS, Research Group in Indian and Tibetan Classics</p> <p><Workshop> Reading Beyond the Text</p> <p>Youngsan Sohn (Dept. of Philosophy)</p>	<p>5/17-18 PPAIV, Wuhan Univ, Kyoto Univ.</p> <p><Int'l Conference> The First Int'l Forum on the Study of Bamboo Slips from Warring States and Qin-Han Period</p> <p>Byung Joon Kim(Dept. of Asian History) Jin Song(Kongju Univ) Joo Hyun Lee(Donga Univ) Ji Eun Kim(Dept. of Asian History) Yun Mi Bang(Dept. of Asian History) Bo Ram Kim(Dept. of Asian History) Hoyoung Jang(Beijing Univ) Chen Wei(Wuhan Univ) Li Tian Hong(Wuhan Univ) Lu Jia Liang(Wuhan Univ) Huang Haobo(Wuhan Univ) Lei Hai Long(Wuhan Univ) Miyake Kiyoshi(Kyoto Univ) Takatori Yuji(Ritsumeikan Univ)</p>	<p>5/21 CAUS</p> <p><Seminar> Five frames for understanding the israel-palestine conflict</p> <p>Joel Wainwright (Ohio State Univ)</p>
<p>5/2 SEAC</p> <p><Special Lecture> 2024-1 Southeast Asia Open Lecture: Climate and Agriculture of Southeast Asia in the Traditional Era Lecture 3</p> <p>Hyukrae Kwon (Yongin Univ)</p>	<p>5/11 CSAS, Korean Society of Yoga, The Institute of East-West Thought in KNU ACADEMY OF HUMANITIES</p>  <p><Conference> Modern Yoga and Meditation</p> <p>Youngil Park (Kyungpook Nat'l Univ) Haeyoung Seong (Dept. of Religious Studies) Youngsun Yang (SNUAC) Jina Jang (Seoul Univ. of Buddhism) Junga Park (Kyungpook Nat'l Univ)</p>	<p>5/20 WAC, Korea-Arab Society</p>  <p><Special Lecture> Quiz on Arab</p>	<p>5/22 CAMS, SNU GSES BK21</p> <p><Colloquium> Regional Migration Policy Trends and Status in South Korea</p> <p>Minjeong Park (MRTC)</p>
<p>5/2 CHS</p>  <p><Conference> The Global Growth of K-Webtoons and Key Issues</p> <p>Seobum Kang (Korea Webtoon Industry Association) Sehyun Park (Korea Comic & Webtoon Critics Association) Sowon Kim (Kyung Hee Univ) Seok Hwan Park (JAEDAM MEDIA Co. Ltd) Hanjae Kim (Gangdong Univ) Deokyoung Han (Yewon Arts Univ)</p>	<p>5/14 SNUAC</p> <p><Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> North Korea's Solidarity with China and Russia: An Analysis of Congratulatory Messages(2012-2023)</p> <p>Liang Meihua (Inst. of Int'l Affairs)</p>		<p>5/22 AAFC</p> <p><Workshop> Regression of African Democracy?</p> <p>Wonbin Cho (Sungkyunkwan Univ)</p>
<p>5/3 AAFC, Dept. of History</p> <p><Special Lecture> Why does nationalism xenophobia beat ethnic sentiment in early postcolonial Africa? Lessons for identities in historical research</p> <p>Alexander Keese (Univ. of Geneva)</p>			<p>5/23 SEAC</p> <p><Special Lecture> Repositioning Southern Cities in Transnational City Networks: Notes from South Korea-Vietnam Sister Cities</p> <p>My Hang Thi Bui (SNUAC)</p>

5/23
CHS
<Int'l Conference> Mapping and Theorizing Hallyu : Reconsidering Impacts of Hallyu and Hallyu Studies for Theories on Culture

Natalia Grincheva (LASALLE College of the Arts)
Dal Yong Jin (Simon Fraser Univ.)
Hwa Jung Kim (Ewha Womans Univ.)
Youngaah Koh (Miami Univ.)
Do-hoon Kim (Ars Praxia)
Sojeong Park (SNUAC)
Eun-Jung Lee (Freie Univ. of Berlin)
Vincenzo Cicchelli (Univ. of Paris Descartes)
Sylvie Octobre (French Ministry of Culture and Communication)
Ju Oak Kim (Univ. of Texas A&M)

5/23
CECAS



<Workshop> The Dynamics of the Migration of Refugees in Eurasia

Song-ha Joo (Kookmin Univ.)
Min-woo Yoon (Gachon Univ.)
Ji-won Park (KOTRA)

5/24
CAUS

<Workshop> Knowledge Commons Day
Seongwon Lee (SNUAC)

5/24
SEAC, The Dept. of Anthropology
BrainKorea21 Plus Team of SNU, The Inst. of Cross-Cultural Studies

<Workshop> The 1st Southeast Asia Regional Studies Graduate Student Workshop

Suhong Chae (Dept. of Anthropology)
Gyeongmin Kim (Dept. of Anthropology)
Joonyoung Park (Dept. of Geography)
Seohyung Kim (Sogang Univ.)
Jeongwoo Lee (Korea Univ.)
Kyeongjin Jeon (Sogang Univ.)
Bigjae Cham (Dept. of Political Science)
Kyunghwan Boo (Dept. of Anthropology)
My Hang Thi Bui (SNUAC)

5/24
CSAS

<Workshop> Workshop on Socio-Economic Issues in South Asia – A decade of experience in collaborative research with India

Seung Cheol Lee (Indo-Korea Science and Technology Center)

5/27
HK+Mega Asia Research Project Group,
Ministry of Education, Nat'l Research Foundation of Korea



<Workshop> Perception of 'Tianxia(天下)' and the World by Ancient Japanese Dominant Class

Hyun-Kyung Kim (Sungshin Women's Univ.)

5/27
CHS

<Workshop> Hallyu and Danish Fans
Martin Peterson (Nat'l Museum of Denmark)

5/28
SNUAC

<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Sino-US Strategic Competition & the Republic of Korea

Bumhym Bek (SNUAC)

5/28
CSP, Toyo GIC

<Workshop> Ten Days of Crisis Lessons Learned from the Ukraine-Poland Food Conflict of February 2024

Akira Ichikawa (Toyo Univ.)

5/28
AAFC, WAC



<Special Lecture> The 2015 Int'l Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in Mali and the Sahel

Ahmed Boutache (Former Ambassador of Algeria to Korea)

5/29
CHS

<Special Lecture> Sunmi as Heroine, Gashina, and Siren: How a Former Member of the K-Pop Group The Wonder Girls Developed Sunmi-Pop

Grace Kao (Yale Univ.)

5/31
CECAS



<Workshop> From Syria to Jeju: Refugee to Korean

Yeonwoo Ra (Naomi Center)

6/4
SNUAC

<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Examining the Burmese Term 'Tayoke' and Its Connection to 'China' from a Eurasian Perspective

Hojai Jung (SNUAC)

6/5
PPAIV

<Special Lecture> Body, Nature, Society: Formation and Change of Knowledge and Practice at the Intersection of Culture

Dae Yeol Kim (INALCO, IFRAE)

6/7
SNUAC, Taiwan Social Resilience Research Center, GARC, Dept. of Sociology, Nat'l Taiwan Univ., Inst. for Gender Research
<Int'l Conference> Migration and Identity: East Asia and Beyond – The 4th NTUGARC-SNUAC Joint Migration Workshop –

Hyunji Kwon (Dept. of Sociology)
Yi-Chun Chien (Nat'l Chengchi Univ.)
Samia Dinakelaker (Nat'l Taiwan Univ.)
HaeRan Shin (Dept. of Geography)
Yoonhee Kang (Dept. of Anthropology)
Tsung-yi Michelle Huang (Nat'l Taiwan Univ.)
Tsung-lun Alan Wan (Nat'l Yang Ming Chiao Tung Univ.)
Hyunjoo Jung (Dept. of City Planning, Inst. for Gender Research)
Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)
Pei-Chia Lan (Nat'l Taiwan Univ.)
Jungwon Huh (SNUAC)
Lake Lui & Yen-Fen Tseng (Nat'l Taiwan Univ.)
Gracia Liu-Farrer (Waseda Univ.)

6/12
HK+Mega Asia Research Project Group
Data Storytelling Cluster

<Seminar> SNUAC HK+ Data Storytelling Cluster internal seminar

Seonyoung Park (SNUAC)
Woo Jin Shim (SNUAC)
Jungwon Huh (SNUAC)

6/13
CAUS, AURI, KRIHS, KLRI, SSK Research Center on the Commons and Sustainable Society



<Conference> Urban Commons Forum in AURI

Seong-jin Kang (Chunchen Cultural Foundation)
Min-young Jang (AURI)
Ja-gyung Kim (Jeonbuk Nat'l Univ.)

6/13
CSAS, The Commons Network, Chuncheon Commonz Field

<Colloquium> 'Caste' in contemporary India- What drives 'Caste' in present-day India?

Jin-Young Shin (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

6/14-15
CAUS



<Workshop> Sharing City Workshop in Chuncheon

Seong-won Lee (SNUAC)

6/14
CSAS, Research Group in Indian and Tibetan Classics

<Workshop> How is Omniscience Proven? Reading Hemacandra's Pramāṇamīmāṃsā

Youngsun Yang (SNUAC)

6/15
WAC, Middle East Inst., Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies



<Conference> Israeli-Hamas War and the Middle East in Turbulence, Response and Strategy of Korea

Soyeon Ahn (SNUAC)
Yuihyun Hwang (SNUAC)

6/17
CAUS

<Seminar> From Globalizing Taipei to Learning Amsterdam: Referencing as a politicizing strategy for urban development in Taiwan

Yi-Leng Chen (Univ. of Wyoming)

6/17
CECAS, HK+Mega Asia Research Project Group







<Special Lecture> The Russia-Ukraine War as Observed in Spring 2024: Current Status and Strategic Responses

Yang-goo Lee (Former Ambassador to Ukraine)

6/20
AAFC

<Workshop> Implications of Africa and Int'l Relations Theory

Kyudeug Hwang (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

<p>6/20 CSAS</p> <p><Workshop> Workshop on Socio-Economic Issues in South Asia: India's Absolute liability in Inherently Dangerous Industry</p> <p>Yonghwan Choung (O.P. Jindal Global Univ., School of Law)</p>	<p>6/26 CHS</p> <p><Workshop> BTS on the Road</p> <p>Seok-Kyeong Hong (Dept. of Communication)</p>	<p>7/5 CSP</p> <p><Special Lecture> The Form of Civil and Social Movements in the 21st Century Society by the Perspective of Living Life Resources</p> <p>Hiroyuki Mitsishi (Medieco Research and Development Co. Ltd.)</p>	<p>8/7-28 CAUS</p> <p><Seminar> Commoning with Henry Lefebvre' Critique</p> <p>Didi Kyung-ae Han (SNUAC)</p> <p>Beom-cheol Kwon (Seogyo Humanities and Social Research Inst.)</p>
<p>6/21 WAC</p> <p><Colloquium> MENA Focus Seminar 6: Research on MENA Civil Society</p> <p>Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)</p> <p>Suk Gi Kong (SNUAC)</p> <p>Soyeon Ahn (SNUAC)</p> <p>Ilkan Eum (Dankook Univ.)</p> <p>Kyungsoo Lee (Inst. of Middle East Studies HUIFS)</p> <p>Heesoo Lee (Sungkonghoe Univ.)</p> <p>Anna Lim (Inst. of Social Science Studies Kangwon Nat'l Univ.)</p> <p>Jiwon Choi (Algorithm)</p> <p>Saerom Han (Sookmyung Women's Univ.)</p> <p>Haeun Han (SNUAC)</p> <p>Yuihyun Hwang (SNUAC)</p>	<p>6/27 SEAC, Asia Humanities Dissemination Center, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group</p> <p><Workshop> Formulating the Indonesian Middle Power Strategy: Insights from the Republic of Korea</p> <p>Lina Alexandra (CSIS)</p> <p>Andrew Mantong (CSIS)</p> <p>Muhammad Waffaa Kharisma (CSIS)</p> <p>Muhammad Habib (CSIS)</p>	<p>7/10 CECAS, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group</p> <p><Special Lecture> Understanding and Practice of South Korea's Refugee Recognition Process and Compliance with the Int'l Refugee Convention</p> <p>Tak-Gon Lee (UNHCR)</p>	<p>8/8 SNUAC, Embassy of The Republic of The Philippines Seoul Republic of Korea</p>  <p><Special Lecture> 75 Years of Philippines-Korea Partnership A Roundtable Discussion with Secretary of Foreign Affairs Enrique A. Manalo</p> <p>Enrique A. Manalo (Secretary of Foreign Affairs of the Philippines)</p>
<p>6/24 CSP</p>  <p><Special Lecture> Geopolitics and Changing Determinants of GVCs in the Global Semiconductor Industry: Technology ventures of East Asia manufacturing</p> <p>Chan-Yuan Wong (Nat'l Tsing Hua Univ.)</p>	<p>6/28 CECAS, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group</p> <p><Special Lecture> Digitalization and Archiving of Cultural Resources</p> <p>Donghun Kim (KCISA)</p>	<p>7/23 CSP, Toyo GIC</p> <p><Workshop> Multicultural Special Education for Inclusive Classrooms</p> <p>Romee Lee (SNUAC)</p>	<p>8/9 CSAS</p>  <p><Colloquium> Editing the Dharmaputrikā Saṃhitā, an Ancient Yoga Compendium</p> <p>Philipp André Maas (Ludwig-Maximilian-Univ. Munich)</p>
<p>6/25 SNUAC, SNU LNL Program, WAC</p> <p><Seminar> Sultan Qaboos University and SNU LNL visit SNUAC</p> <p>Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)</p> <p>Soyeon Ahn (SNUAC)</p>	<p>6/30 HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group</p> <p><Conference> Mega-Asia Establishing Asia itself as the Unit of Analysis</p> <p>Ilhong Ko (SNUAC)</p> <p>Beomshik Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations)</p> <p>Jungwon Huh (SNUAC)</p> <p>Suhong Chae (Dept. of Anthropology)</p>	<p>7/31-8/2 SEAC, The ASEAN-Korea Centre</p> <p><Workshop> The 2024 ASEAN-Korea Youth Network Workshop</p> <p>Dong-gi Lee (Ministry of Foreign Affairs)</p> <p>Sang-woo Kim (Dept. of Earth and Environmental Science)</p> <p>Hong-seok Kim (Dept. of Regional Information Engineering)</p> <p>Chang-gil Kim (SNUAC)</p>	<p>8/23 CSAS, SHEO(MaisonIndia, Starajin, The Plan G)</p> <p><Special Lecture> Book Concert of Anand Kumar's 'SUPER 30</p> <p>Anand Kumar (Indian mathematics educator)</p>
<p>6/25 CSP, Toyo GIC</p> <p><Workshop> Reflections on the Korean Civil Society and the Urgent Challenges to Korean Civil Movements</p> <p>Suk-ki Kong (SNUAC)</p>	<p>7/2 ECAWP</p>  <p><Special Lecture> Changes and Present of Ainu in the Modern Age of Japan</p> <p>Misook Kim (Jeonbuk Nat'l Univ.)</p>	<p>8/6-7 AAFC</p>  <p><Int'l Conference> In Celebration of the 2024 Korea-Africa Summit The Global South Development Forum: Retrospects and Prospects</p> <p>Elizabeth Siridopulous (South Africa Inst. of InterNat'l Affairs)</p> <p>Wonbin Cho (Sungkyunkwan Univ.)</p> <p>Kyudeug Hwang (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)</p> <p>Kebapetse Lotshwao (Univ. of Botswana)</p> <p>Patrick Meehan (Univ. of Manchester)</p> <p>Faheema Haji-Ahmed Haji-Ibrahim (Univ. of Hargeisa)</p> <p>Benjamin R. Young (RAND Corporation)</p> <p>Seunghwan Ryu (Freie Universität Berlin)</p> <p>Tycho van der Hoog (Netherlands Defence Academy)</p> <p>Andrianony Ny Aina lanjatina (KDI School of Public Policy and Management)</p> <p>Fasutina Naba (SNU)</p> <p>Evans Bedu-Prah (SNU)</p> <p>Katongo Tiyaonse (SNU)</p> <p>Yusuf S. Sherif (SNU)</p> <p>Marlina Nababan (Incheon Nat'l Univ.)</p> <p>Daniel Tessema (Yeungnam Univ.)</p> <p>Go Un Kim (SNU)</p> <p>Hyunjee Kim (Paris Cité Univ.)</p> <p>Jeremie Bouaffo (Félix Houphouët Boigny Univ.)</p> <p>Jurybe Lachia (Incheon Nat'l Univ.)</p>	<p>8/23 KAPAE, KIPA, SNU GSPA BK21 FOUR, YUPA BK21 FOUR, SKKU GSG BK21 FOUR, ARIC</p> <p><Workshop> 2024 Summer Conference of the Korean Association for Policy Analysis and Evaluation: Workshop on Recent Theory and Methodology Trends in Policy Analysis and Evaluation</p> <p>Kyungdong Kim (Korean Inst. of Public Administration)</p> <p>Kilkon Ko (Grad. School of Public Administration)</p>
<p>6/25 CAUS</p> <p><Colloquium> The Transnational Ruling Class: A Conspiratorial Elite or Part of a Global Class Structure?</p> <p>Jim Glassman (Univ. of British Columbia)</p>	<p>7/3 SNUAC</p>  <p><Special Lecture> Vietnamese Prime Minister Pham Minh Chinh, Invited Lecture at SNUAC</p> <p>Pham Minh Chinh (Vietnamese Prime Minister)</p>	<p>8/23-24 CHS</p> <p><Int'l Conference> 2024 1st Int'l Conference for Contemporary Korean Studies</p> <p>Seok-Kyeong Hong (Dept. of Communication)</p> <p>Dal Yong Jin (Simon Fraser Univ.)</p> <p>Hye-kyung Eom (Univ. of Liverpool)</p> <p>Younghan Cho (HUIFS)</p> <p>Seong-min Kim (Hokkaido Univ.)</p> <p>Sojeong Park (SNUAC)</p>	

8/29
CECAS, CSAS
<Workshop> Seminar for Central Asia
ODA Strategy
Ji-won Park (KOTRA)

8/30
KASEAS, KUAC, iASEAN, IGA, SNUAC
<Conference> the 'Korea Association
of Southeast Asian Studies(KASEAS)
Annual Conference 2024
Yong Kyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science
and Int'l Relations)
Jaeseok Myung (Dept. of Political
Science and Int'l Relations)
Hoyeon Jo (Osaka Univ)

9/2
CSAS
<Workshop> Seminar for South Asia
ODA Strategy
Myoungjin Kim (KOICA)
Seolah Bang (KRIHS)
Mangi Lee (Former EDCF)

9/5
CECAS



<Special Lecture> The Coexistence of
Boundary and Connections in Boundary
Area Focusing on the case of North
Korean defectors
HyeRan Shin (Dept. of Geography)

9/11
CAMS, SNU GSES BK21
<Colloquium> The evolution of Japan's
immigration policies and practices in
the late twentieth century
Gracia Liu-Ferrer (Waseda Univ)

9/10-11
SNUAC HK*Mega Asia Research Project
Group, SNUAC, Korean Sociological
Association, East Asian Sociological
Association, Center for Future Human
Resources Studies, Korea Social Science
Research Council

<Int'l Conference> The Third Int'l
Conference on Post-Western Sociology:
Vision of Post-Western Sociology from
East Asia

Laurence Roulleau-Berger (French Nat'l
Center of Scientific Research, Ecole
Normal Supérieure de Lyon, Triangle)
Dai Nomiya (Chuo Univ)
Shujiro Yazawa (Seijo Univ)
Hyun-Chin Lim (SNU)
Lizhong Xie (Peking Univ)
Jaeyeol Yee (SNU)
Miwako Hosoda (Seisa Univ)
Jean-Pierre Poulain (Univ. of Toulouse
and Taylor's Univ. Malaysia)
Jingqian Bi (Ludong Univ)
Peilin Li (Inst. of Sociology, CASS)
Zheng Bing (Jilin Univ)
Sang Joon Kim (Kyunghee Univ)
Suk-Ki Kong (SNU)
Jinwoo Shin (Ecole Normale Supérieure
de Lyon, Triangle)
Tetsuo Mizukami (Rikkyo Univ)
Xuan Wang (Jilin Academy of Social
Sciences)
Hui Wang (Jilin Academy of Social
Sciences)
Haidong Zhang (Shanghai Univ)
Dungen Ye (Pukyong Nat'l Univ)
Yumei Li (Shanghai Univ)
Chunguang Wang (Inst. of Sociology,
CASS)
Di Zhu (Inst. of Sociology, CASS)
Vincenzo Cicchelli (Global Research Inst.
of Paris, Université Paris Cité)
Sylvie Octobre (French Ministry of Culture
and Centre Max Weber Ecole Normale
Supérieure, Lyon)
Kokichi Shoji (Tokyo Univ)
Il-Joon Chung (Korea Univ)
Kwang-Yeong Shin (Chung-Ang Univ)

9/12-10/11
CAUS, The Korean Association Of Space
And Environment Research



<Seminar> The Common Seminar in
CAUS
Bae-Gyoon Park (Dept. of Geography
Education) et al

9/19
CSAS
<Special Lecture> Round Table with
the Ambassador of Islamic Republic of
Pakistan to Republic of Korea: Pakistan
Navigating Turbulent Int'l Waters
Nabeel Munir (Ambassador of Pakistan
to the Republic of Korea)

9/21
SEAC, PIKO



<Colloquium> Siyenti PIKO 2024
Research Colloquium
Ardelle Bondad (Daegu Catholic Univ)
Cynthia P. Pantinople (Daegu Univ)
Ana Claudinnee Olivas (Dong-A Univ)
Joeffrey Calimag (Ulsan Univ)

9/12
NEAC
<Workshop> Discussion on Security in
the Indo-Pacific Region After the U.S.
Presidential Election
Baek-Young Kim (Dept. of Sociology)
Jong-Cheol Kim (SNUAC)

9/24
CSP, Toyo GIC
<Workshop> The Influence of Asian Pop
Culture Fandoms on Chilean Society
Wonjung Min (SNUAC)

9/25
CSP



<Special Lecture> Exploring Korean
Modern History Through Pop Music
Jang-sil Kim (19th Korean Nat'l Assembly)

9/25
CECAS, HK*Mega Asia Research Project
Group
<Conference> The Formation of Korean-
Korean Settlements in Korea: An-san,
Gwang-ju, and Je-cheon

Ayoung Choi (SNUAC)
Kayoung Ko (SNUAC)
Jun-seok Lee (SNUAC)
Min-ki Jung (SNUAC)
Song-ha Joo (Kookmin Univ)
Hwang Young-sam (Korea Inst. of Foreign
Studies Central Asia)

9/26
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group,
ARIC
<Workshop> Locality and Digital
Humanities
Intae Ryu (Chonnam Nat'l Univ)

9/26
PPAV
<Special Lecture> Xunzi's shendu(慎獨)
JangHee Lee (Gyeongin Nat'l Univ. of
Education)

9/26
CECAS
<Special Lecture> Judicial Measures as
State Repression Under Authoritarian
State: The Case of Russia, 2010-2017
Sunhee Kim (SNUAC)

9/27
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group,
ECAWP



<Conference> A New Perspective on the
Ancient History of the Dango Peninsula
as a Hub for East Sea Exchange
Oh Young Kwon (Dept. of History)
Young-eun Choi (Dept. of History)
Ji-sun Han (Dept. of History)
Min-joo Kim (SNU. Museum)
Haruhiko Kato (Yosan Town Education
Committee)
Yoko Takano (Kyoto Prefectural Center for
Archaeological Research)
Itaru Miura (Yangdango Archaeological
Research Association)

9/30
WAC, HK*Mega Asia Research Project
Group
<Workshop> Pan-Arabism Through
the Lens of the Palestinian Issue: A
Comparative Focus on the Kurds &
Mediterranean Refugee Crisis: The
Humanitarian Dilemma of Illegal
Migration Enforcement
Ji-su Lee (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign
Studies)
Seon-woo Kim (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign
Studies)

9/30
SNUAC CHS
<Workshop> There Was No Cinderella
From Shim Soon-ae to Gil Ra-im, The
Evolution of Cinderella Stories in Popular
Arts
Youngmee Lee (Popular Arts Researcher)

10/4
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group,
Korean Social History Association
<Int'l Conference> The Potential of
Transnational Networks of Difficult
Heritage: Hansen's Disease Heritage in
Northeast and Southeast

Jaehyung Kim (Korea Nat'l Open Univ)
Yeonkyung Lee (Yonsei Univ)
Hyunchul Kim (Toronto Univ)
Shu-yi Wang (Chinese Culture Univ)
Yiling Hung (Nat'l Tsing Hua Univ)
Waka Hirokawa (Senshu Univ)
Heonghong Por (Univ. Sains Malaysia)
Van Thuy Pham (Vietnam Nat'l Univ)
Ravando (Monash Univ)

10/4
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
<Workshop> The World Imagined by
Ancient Chinese Intellectuals
Byung-Joon Kim (Dept. of History)

10/10
CECAS
<Seminar> Current Status and Challenges of Refugees Living in Russia and Central Asia: Centered on Refugees in Ukraine and Afghanistan

Kayoung Ko (SNUAC)
Ayoung Choi (SNUAC)
Vadim Slapchenko (SNUAC)

10/10
CSAS
<Workshop> Indian Penal Code and its influence on South Asia

Pyoungyup Park (Laywer)

10/14
ECAWP
<Special Lecture> Suvamabhum's early maritime trade routes: Focusing on inscriptions and archaeological evidence.

U-tain (Silpakom Univ.)

10/16
PPAIV, The inst. Of Asian Studies, SNU
<Special Lecture>The Formation Process of Nine Chapters of Law from the Tombs of Qin and Han Dynasties

Kunio Hirose (Iwate Univ.)

10/16
SNUAC



<Workshop> The 4th Forum of Thesis Award Winners

Ran Kim (Dept. of Sociology)
Hae-young Jeong (Dept. of Anthropology)
Seung-woo Yoo (Dept. of Anthropology)
Soo-ji Jang (Ewha Womans Univ.)
Jongseok Yoon (Univ. of Seoul)
Ha-young Cho (Dept. of Sociology)
Jeong-kyung Seo (SNUAC)

10/16
PPAIV, The inst. Of Asian Studies, SNU
<Special Lecture>Tutorial on Excavated Documents and Ancient Chinese Characters and My Study on Qin and Han Bamboosilk

Kunio Hirose (Iwate Univ.)

10/16
Ministry of Environment, FEP



<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future Earth: Conservation of marine ecosystems

Sungjin Cho (Korea Maritime Inst.)

10/18
CSAS, Research Group in Indian and Tibetan Classics

<Workshop> The 7th Workshop on Indian Literature Studies: Can the Buddha See Us? A Tibetan Discussion of the Buddha's Omniscience

Taewoo Kim (Univ. of Hamburg)

10/20-26
CSAS, Indian Institute of Management Bangalore



<Special Lecture> Management Programme for Entrepreneurs & Family Businesses 15

Yoosuk Hong (SNU)
Tae Gyun Park (SNU)
Hee-Jun Lee (SNU)
Woo-Jong Lee (SNU)
Wujin Chu (SNU)
Woo Chang Jung (Mirae Asset)

10/22
SNUAC



<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Seeking a Solution to the Border Disputes in Central Asia

Geum-Young Song (SNUAC)

10/22
NEAC
<Colloquium> South Korea's Bandwagoning Security Strategy: Exploring Alternatives and Analyzing the Vulnerability of U.S. - ROK Alliance

Jin Myoung Lee (SNUAC)

10/22
CSP, Toyo GIC
<Workshop> Aging Minorities in Japan's Super Aging Society

Johanna O. Zulueta (Toyo Univ.)

10/22
WAC, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group

<Workshop> Intl Political Sociology Implications of the Securitization of Democracy in Tunisia

Saerom Han (Sookmyung Women's Univ.)

10/22
CAUS, Scholars' Commons
<Book Talk> The Hanok Adaptor - A History of Traditional Korean Houses

Ki-Hwang Jung (Sisihan Lab.)

10/23
Ministry of Environment, FEP



<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future Earth: Sustainable cities and communities

Seoungwon Lee (SNUAC)

10/25
AAFC
<Workshop> Healing the Scars of War: Teaching for Peace through Higher Education in Divided and Conflict-Affected Somaliland

Kevin Kester (Dept. of Education)

10/28
ARIC, AKC, GDI
<Conference> ASEAN Through Statistics: Data Utilization and Challenges

Jiyeon Won (Grad. School of Public Administration)
Minjun Hong (Grad. School of Public Administration)
Kilwon Ko (Grad. School of Public Administration)
Jihye Yoon (Grad. School of Public Administration)

10/28
CHS
<Workshop> Pachinko and Media of Affect

Jong-su Lim (Sejong Univ.)

10/29
AAFC, AfDB, ADI, The Korea-Africa Foundation
<Workshop> AfDB Policy Seminar: Strengthening Africa's Resilience: Continuous Skill Building and Capacity Enhancement for Development Challenges

Kilwon Ko (Grad. School of Public Administration)
Eric Ogunleye (ADI)
Sheila Jagannathan (AfDB)
Namawu Alolo Alhassan (AfDB)
Nancy Beke (AfDB)

10/29
PPAIV
<Special Lecture> Power as Responsibility: Confucian Origins and Modern Implications

Sungmoon Kim (City Univ. of Hongkong)

10/30
CAMS
<Colloquium> A typology of returnees: A latent class analysis of migrant worker returnees in the Philippines

Kidjie Ian Saguin (The Univ. of Melbourne)

10/30
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group, ARIC

<Workshop> Sticky Capitalism: How Rice Shaped East Asian Societies

Cheolseung Lee (Sogang Univ./Univ. of Chicago)

10/30
Ministry of Environment, FEP
<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future Earth: Climate change and response

Jinyoung Lee (IBNU)

10/31
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group, Inst. of Intl Studies, SNU



<Conference> Asian regionalism from a comparative regionalism perspective

Chang-jun Ok (SNU)
Kyung-jun Choi (Konkuk Univ.)
So-yeon Ahn (SNUAC)
Song-ha Joo (Kookmin Univ.)
Jeong-yoon Yang (SNU)
Yun-jeong Choi (Sejong Inst.)

11/1
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Asia Humanities Dissemination Center, WAC

<Intl Conference> 2024 Dungsil Dungsil Asia Culture Festival - West Asia and Korea: A Leap Towards a New Future

Göksel Türközü (Erciyes Univ.)
Salaheldin Abdelaziz Ali Elgebily (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)
Jong Ok Bae (KBS World Radio, Arabic Service)
Yeonwoo RA (Refugee Activist, Naomi Center)
Abdul Qados Nahid (Sungkyunkwan Univ.)

11/1
CSP



<Workshop> Bringing Intl Students into the Local Community

Akira Ichikawa (Toyo Univ.)

11/4
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
<Workshop> Arab-Muslim Identity through the Eyes of the Other: Focusing on 7th-8th Centuries / How did the Ancient Communities of the Korean Peninsula and Northern Vietnam Perceive the Wider World? A Comparative Examination of Encounters with Non-local Cultural Elements

Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)
Ilhong Ko (SNUAC)

11/4
Ministry of Environment, FEP
<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future: Earth Development of Sustainable Urban Digital Twin
Yoshihide Sekimoto (Tokyo Univ.)

11/5
SNUAC
<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Fluctuating Mosaic of Socio-spatial Inequalities in Contemporary Pyongyang
Pavel Em (EHES)

11/6
Ministry of Environment, FEP
<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future Earth: Clean water and sanitation
Ikjae Kim (KE)

11/7-12/5
SEAC
<Special Lecture> 2024-2 Southeast Asia Open Lecture: Climate crisis and CSA of Southeast Asia Lecture 1
Changgil Kim (SNUAC)

11/8
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Asia Humanities Dissemination Center, ARIC, Asianhub
<Special Lecture> Another Way to Understand Oneself: Value Survey of Asian Megacities - Seoul
Jungwon Huh (SNUAC)

11/12
SNUAC


<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Defining Nat'l Cuisine in Asian and Oriental Cookbooks
Yeonjae Ra (Grad. School of Korean Studies)

11/13
Ministry of Environment, FEP
<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future Earth: Clean energy for all
Sunkyo Kim (KISTEP)

11/14
SEAC
<Special Lecture> 2024-2 Southeast Asia Open Lecture: Climate crisis and CSA of Southeast Asia Lecture 2
Dochan Bae (SNUAC)

11/15
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Asia Humanities Dissemination Center, ARIC, Asianhub
<Special Lecture> Singapore as an Intl Hub in Southeast Asia: Visions and Dilemmas
Hojai Jung (Korea Univ.)

11/15
CSAS, Research Group in Indian and Tibetan Classics


<Workshop> The 8th Workshop on Indian Literature Studies: Tattvaratnāvalī & Amanasikāradhāra
Junglan Bang (Gyeongsang Nat'l Univ.)

11/19
SNUAC
<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> VSED as Voluntary Fasting up to Death with Dignity
Youngsun Yang (SNUAC)

11/20
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group, CAMS


<Workshop> Mobility and Migration in the Making of Early Modern Southeast Asia
Keng We Koh (Nanyang Tech. Univ.)

11/20
Ministry of Environment, FEP
<Special Lecture> A Lecture Series on K-SDGs and Future Earth: Sustainable consumption and production
Changkil Kim (SNUAC)

11/21
SEAC
<Special Lecture> 2024-2 Southeast Asia Open Lecture: Climate crisis and CSA of Southeast Asia Lecture 3
Seung-oh Heo (NAAS)

11/21
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group, ARIC
<Workshop> The Transformation of Global Value Chains in the Electronics Industry and Shifts in Asia's Trade Network
Sung-Hoon Kim (SNU 4-Plus Future Nat'l Territorial Space Innovation Education and Research Group)

11/21-23
The Commons Network, CAUS, Research Center on the Commons and Sustainable Society, Chuncheon Commonz Field, Ci.Ci. Han Institute, Scholars' Commons



<Conference> 2024 Chuncheon Commons Forum

Jeonghwan Park (Chuncheon Commonz Field)
Changmo Yang (Chuncheon Hoho Home Visit Healthcare Center)
Didi Kyungae Han (SNUAC)
Bomcheol Kwon (Seogyo Humanities and Social Research Inst.)
Joonyong Lee (Dept. Anthropology)
Jakyong Kim (Jeju Nat'l Univ.)
Seohyun Park (Jeju Nat'l Univ.)
Jooncheol So (Cheonnam Nat'l Univ.)
Hyunjoo Kim (A.C. Clammer)
Chaewon Lee (Former Chair of Seongsuk Roundtable)
Jeonghwan Park (Chuncheon Commonz Field)
Moonheo Um (Beautiful Red Line)
Yeayl Yoon (Gyeongsang Nat'l Univ.)

11/22
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Asia Humanities Dissemination Center, ARIC, Asianhub
<Special Lecture> China Literacy: Dreams and Realities of the Beijing Citizens
Jongseok Yoon (Univ. of Seoul)

11/23
CSP, Association for the Political Society(ASPOS)
<Workshop> Human Mobility and Care Democracy in Japan and South Korea

Suk-ki Kong (SNUAC)
Romee Lee (Korea Nat'l Open Univ.)
Johana OZulueta (Toyo Univ.)
Elena Campo (Univ. of Tokyo)

11/25
WAC, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group



<Workshop> Pilgrimage to Mecca and Jerusalem by a Central Asian Muslim in the 11th Century
Juyeon Lee (Kyunghee Univ.)

11/25
CHS
<Workshop> The Dynamic Essence of Transmedia Storytelling, A Graphical Approach to The Journey to the West in Korea
Barbara Wall (Univ. of Copenhagen)

11/26
SNUAC



<Special Lecture> Strategic Partners in a Complex World: Malaysia, Korea, and the Future of Asia.
Anwar Ibrahim (Prime Minister of Malaysia)

11/27
WAC, HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group



<Workshop> The War in Gaza and Lebanon: Regional and Global Impact
Adel Abdel Ghafar (Middle East Council of Global Affairs)

11/28
CECAS

<Workshop> Adaptation of North Korean Defectors to Life in Japan: Focusing on Cases from the Repatriation Project Trials
Sumiko Miyatsuka (Teikyo Univ. of Science)

11/29
AAFC, NEAC
<Workshop> The Meaning of the Global South in the Era of USChina Competition: Focusing on Africa
Jaewoo Choo (Kyung Hee Univ.)








11/29
Office for Government Policy Coordination, SNUAC
<Conference> Structure and Restructuring for Cooperation: Conference on Long-Term ODA Strategies for Central and South Asia

Young Kwan Jo (Overseas Economic Research Inst., Korea Eximbank)
Jiwon Park (SNUAC)
Sung Yong Kang (SNUIH)
Jeong Gon Kim (KIEP)

11/29
NEAC
<Book Talk> Book & Book Concert: China's History and Modern Challenges
Hynseock Kim (Univ. of Seoul)

11/29
HK*Mega Asia Research Project Group
Asia Humanities Dissemination Center, ARIC, Asianhub
<Special Lecture> Exploring Vietnamese Culture Through Statistical Perspectives : The Satisfaction with Life Scales and Economic Development

Yong Kyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science and Intl Relations)

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Language and Literature)
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Management, Economics and Policy
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Economics)
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<Workshop> A Music Anthropologist's
Approach to K-pop

Jung-won Kim (Yonsei Univ)

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Mega-Asia Research Cluster

<Special Lecture> A Comparison of the
Joseon Yangban System and India's
Caste System

Naraan (Jawaharlal Nehru Univ)

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<Colloquium> Research Cooperation
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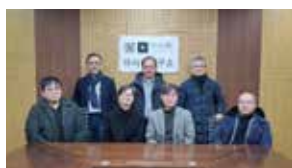
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<Special Lecture> Refugee Acceptance
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Comparative Overview
Shukurova Mekhriniso

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Social Integration, Konkuk Univ)

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Colonialism and East Asian Modernity

Hyung-Keun Cho (Sociologist)
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Vietnam and the Korean Peninsula

Ilhong Ko (SNUAC)

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<Seminar> Theory of State Seminar in
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West Thought in KNU ACADEMY OF
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Kajino Ayumu (Hokkaido Univ)

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SEAC, The Democratic Party of Korea

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Revolution 4th Anniversary
Commemoration Forum: Resilience
in the Crisis of Democracy in South
Korea, Finding Hope in Myanmar Spring
Revolution

Eunhong Park (Sungkonghoe Univ)

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SNUAC, University of Malaga, East Asia
Studies - Korea Studies Area, Department
of Historical Science



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Innovation in Education, Research, and
Global Collaboration

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Ministry of Environment, FEP



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a multilayer climate environment
research network for a sustainable
earth

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Sunkyo Kim (Korea Inst. of S&T Evaluation
and Planning)
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Mokyoung Kim (Nat'l Inst. of Ecology)

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25/2/25
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Sujin Kim (Kookmin Univ)
Oh Young Kwon (Dept. of History)

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CAUS, IRFJ French Research Institute on
Japan(CNRS-MEAE)

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Raphael Languillon-Aussel (CNRS)



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Asian Journal of Political Science

- * Launched in 1993, the Asian Journal of Political Science (AJPS) is a leading journal in the field of Asian politics and governance that provides the Asian perspective to scholars studying the region. It joined SNUAC as its official journal in 2020
- * AJPS is SCOPUS listed in the global citation index for outstanding academic papers launched in 2004 by Elsevier
- * AJPS provides the basis for developing new theories in understanding Asia by introducing articles on Asian politics, policy and regional studies based on strong evidence and theories



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- Quasi alliance explanation for the fluctuating ROK-Japan relationship: analysing friction in 2019 and cohesion in 2023-Won-June Hwang
- Revisiting the contours of the evolving Middle Eastern order through the India-Middle East-EU Corridor: mapping India's scopes and limitations-Debasish Das
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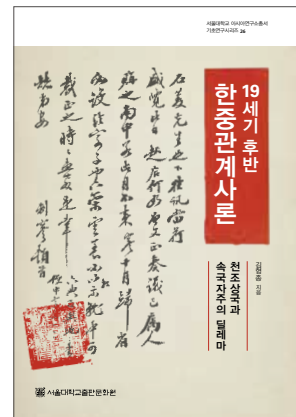
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- Ten years of China's BRI, reassessing China's attractiveness from an Asian perspective: a critical evaluation from the perspective of the East Asian public-Jongseok Yoon
- Examining the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) from the perspective of clean energy supply chain resilience-Gui Yongtao & Li Sining
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- The political economy of Hambantota port: unveiling the realities of debt trap diplomacy and BRI vision-Umesh Moramudali & Thilina Panduwawala
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SNUAC Series in Asian Studies

- The History of Korea-China Relations in the Late 19th Century-Conflict between the Heavenly Dynasty and Tribute State | Hyoung-chong Kim

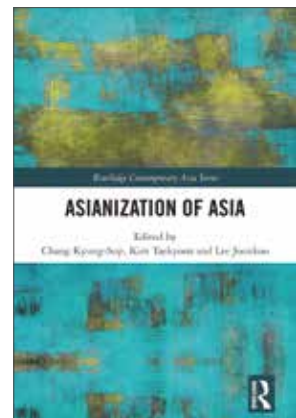


SNUAC Asian Studies in a Global Context Series

- Quality Education for All in Asia | Sung-Sang Yoo, Yonghwan Bang, Kyunghee Park, Gahyung Kim



- Asianization of Asia | Kyung-Sup Chang, Taekyoon Kim, Joonkoo Lee



SNUAC WEEKLY

- * Publishes weekly news of issues and events at SNUAC for members of SNU community and Asian studies scholars in Korean and English (once every two weeks during summer and winter breaks)
- * Provides reviews of academic events and introduces upcoming events, functioning as an online platform for researchers in Asian studies
- * Publishes articles categorized into media, academic events, and publications of SNUAC, etc.
- * Published 40 Korean and 39 English weekly news in 2024



International Exchanges

SNUAC has strengthened its academic network through exchanges with various institutions worldwide and solidified its status as a hub for Asian studies. Through meeting with representatives from various countries such as the Ambassador of South Africa and the Ambassador of Rwanda, it has enhanced international relations, while exploring opportunities for collaboration in research and education with overseas academic institutions including Monash University in Malaysia, Far Eastern University in the Philippines, University of Social Sciences and Humanities in Ho Chi Minh City Vietnam, and Heidelberg University in Germany. Furthermore, it has activated exchanges with outstanding scholars both domestically and internationally through the visiting scholars program, and expanded the collaborative networks, through MOU agreements with domestic and foreign institutions.

Visiting Scholars Fellowship Program

- * Provides domestic and foreign scholars in Asian studies with space and research grant
- * Supports outstanding academic work on Asian studies
- * Promotes collaboration with Asian studies researchers at SNU

Geum-Young Song (Dong-A Univ), Jeeye Song (Univ. of Florida), Liang Meihua (Inst. of Int'l Affairs), Olga Khan (Central Eurasian Studies Society), Phung Chi Kien (USSH-Hanoi), Sungeun Kim (KAIST), Yeonjae Ra (Grad. School of Korean Studies), Yusung Kim (Harvard Univ)



240528 Brownbag Seminar: Strategic Competition & the Republic of Korea



241022 Brownbag Seminar: Seeking a Solution to the Border Disputes in Central Asia

Visiting Scholars Program

- * Provides an exchange opportunity for outstanding scholars at home and abroad interested in Asian studies

Bui Thi My Hang (Dept. of Geography), Changil Kim (Korea Rural Economic Research Inst.), Daeun Lee (NUS), Dongsoo Kim (ROK Navy), Eunyoung Kim (Catholic Kwandong Univ), Go-eun Kim (Future Earth), Hana Kim (Samsung), Hyewon Baek (HUFS), Hyun Bang Shin (LSE), Hyunjung Cho (KAIST), Ilpyo Hong (Nat'l Assembly Research Service), Jeonghun Jeong (Sogang Univ), Jieun Lee (Sejong Univ), Joon Hwan Kong (Dept. of Sociology), Joon Kim (Future Earth), Kyuduck Byun (NUS), Marie Kwon (Univ. de Liege), Minseo Cho (Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison), Nguyen Lan Nguyen (USSH-Hanoi), Seungho Baek (CUNY), Siyi Liu (UCL), Song Ha Joo (Kookmin Univ), Soonjick Hong (Chung-Ang Univ), Sujin Lim (INSS), Valerie Gelezeau (EHESS), Yeonkyung Lee (Yonsei Univ), Yong-Chool Ha (Univ. of Washington), Yongjun Kim (Korea Univ), Yuna Lee (UCL), Yunhee Kim (Sungshin Women's Univ), Yunho Kim (SNU)

New MOU Agreements

- * Official partnerships with domestic and foreign institutions for research collaboration and exchanges

Far Eastern University (Philippines)	Bukhara Engineering-Technological Institute (Uzbekistan)
University of Nairobi (Kenya)	The African Centre for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (South Africa)
University of Botswana (Botswana)	South African Institute of International Affairs (South Africa)
Dongseo University-China Center (Korea)	University of Pretoria-Centre for Asian Studies in Africa (South Africa)
University of Turin (Italy)	University of Nairobi-Institute for Development Studies (Kenya)

IIAS The Newsletter

- * SNUAC regularly contributed theme-based articles to the Northeast Asia News Section in The Newsletter, published by the International Institute for Asia Studies
- The Meaning of Life and Values in Northeast Asia (Vol. 97, Spring 2024)
The Diverse Experiences of Refugee Groups in Northeast Asia (Vol. 98, Summer 2024)



Education

SNUAC is practicing the openness and sharing of knowledge through various educational activities. Catering to the demands of diverse groups such as domestic and international university students, graduate students, professionals, and the general public who are interested in Asia, SNUAC has been operating various types of educational programs based on its accumulated knowledge. Through these programs, it disseminates its research findings and accomplishments to a wider audience.

KF Global e-School Program

- * Real-time online lectures to undergrad. and grad. students interested in modern and contemporary Korean society at leading overseas universities
- * Credits for foreign students at their home institutions taking the e-School courses by SNU faculty
- * Video conference-based real-time online lecture plus offline programs at overseas universities with SNU faculty visits and fellowship program to invite outstanding e-School students to Korea
- * With generous support from the Korea Foundation, offered 183 courses to 25 universities in 14 countries across Asia and Europe in 2011-2024 (5,125 students)
- * With the resumption of the e-school fellowship in 2024, six outstanding students from six universities in Asia and Europe were invited to take ISP at Seoul National University and conducted culture workshops
- * Following 2023 Korean Studies Workshop in Southern Europe 1 (Naples, Italy), held 2024 Korean Studies Workshop in Southern Europe 2 in Malaga, Spain

List of 2024 e-School courses

Spring Semester

- Human Geography of Korea (Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany)
- Multicultural Society and Korea (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam)
- Korean Culture (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Hanoi, Vietnam)

Summer Semester

- Korean Language, Beginner (Christ Univ., India)

Fall Semester

- Business Korean 1 (Université Bordeaux Montaigne, France)
- Korean Language, Intermediate (Univ. of the Philippines - Diliman, The Philippines)
- Culture and Society in Korea (Univ. of the Philippines - Diliman, The Philippines)
- Business Korean 2 (Irkutsk State Univ, Russia/Tomsk State Univ, Russia)
- Korean Society and Culture (Nat'l Univ. of Mongolia)
- Korean Economy (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Hanoi, Vietnam/Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam)
- Cultural and Social Transformation of Contemporary Korea (Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany)
- Korea's Public Diplomacy and Nation Brand (Université Bordeaux Montaigne, France)
- Korean Society (Univ. of Turin/Univ. of Naples "L'Orientale")

Winter Semester

- Korean Economy (Nat'l Univ. of Mongolia, Mongolia)
- Business Korean 2 (Université Bordeaux Montaigne, France)
- Introduction to Comparative Economics in East Asia (Irkutsk State Univ, Russia/Tomsk State Univ, Russia)
- Politics and Int'l Relations of Modern Korea (Nat'l Univ. of Mongolia, Mongolia)
- Korean Society (Christ Univ., India)
- Korean Language, Intermediate (Christ Univ., India)
- Korea's Public Diplomacy and Nation Brand (Ateneo de Manila Univ, The Philippines)
- Korean Culture (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Hanoi, Vietnam)
- Tourism Geography of Korea (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam)
- Multicultural Society and Korea (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities - VNU, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam)

Instructors of the 2024 e-School



Goeun Kim (Dept. of Korean Language and Literature)



Yeongkyu Kim (Dept. of Korean Language and Literature)



Innyoung Paik (Dept. of Korean Language and Literature)



Beom-Shik Shin (Dept. of Political Science and Int'l Relations)



Euihang Shin (SNUAC)



Suhong Chae (Dept. of Anthropology)



Hakkil Pyo (Dept. of Economics)



Dong-man Han (SNUAC)



Woo-Kung Huh (Dept. of Geography)

ASIA Humanities Dissemination Center Humanities Education Program

※ YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/snuachklhc>)

- * Held the 2024 ASIA Humanities Asset Course for the general public in cooperation with the National Museum of Korea
- * Held the 2024 ASIA School of Civilization and Knowledge for the general public in cooperation with Extension College Seoul National University
- * Held on/offline Mega Asia Local Expert program in cooperation with SNUAC Human Resources Development Department
- * Held the Mega Asia Open University educational program and uploaded the videos online; also co-hosted Open Lectures for Gwanak-gu Residents and the program “The Dynamism of 2024 Asian Hallyu” in collaboration with SNUAC ARIC and the Asian Hub Institute for Asian Language and Culture
- * Participated in the 2024 Korea Humanities Week (November) with the cultural event Dungsil Dungsil ASIA Cultural Festival (West Asia and Korea: A Leap Toward a New Future)
- * Uploaded 25 lecture videos to the ASIA Humanities Dissemination Center’s YouTube channel in 2024, achieving a total of 37,976 views and 5,189 subscribers

2024 ASIA Humanities Asset Course: 2024.5.9~6.20.

(6 lectures in total, every Thursday 2-4 pm, co-hosted with the National Museum of Korea, live-streamed on the National Museum of Korea’s YouTube channel; total 11,936 views)

- Foundational Cultures of Southeast Asia
- Hindu Tales Transmitted to Southeast Asia
- Southeast Asian High-Tech: Ceramics of Vietnam and Thailand
- Characteristics and Art of Theravāda Buddhism in Southeast Asia
- Islamic Culture in Southeast Asia
- Glorious Kingdoms on Screen: Early Buddhist Art of Southeast Asia

2024 ASIA School of Civilization and Knowledge:

2024.9.12~10.24.

(6 lectures in total, every Tuesday 3-4 pm, co-hosted with Extension College Seoul National University, live-streamed on the ASIA Humanities Dissemination Center YouTube channel; total 3,437 views)

- Medicine and Spirits in Joseon Korea
- The World of Japanese Mythology
- Transmission of Mongolian Heroic Epics and Nomadic Identity
- One Thousand and One Nights: How It Became the Iconic Arab Folk Tale
- Vetala, the Indian Spirit Who Tells Stories
- Views of the Soul and Strange Tales in Turkic Cultures

2024 Mega Asia Open University: 2024.3.8~4.19.

(13 lectures in total, live-streamed on the ASIA Humanities Dissemination Center YouTube channel; total 2,973 views)

- Domestic Academic Discourse on Hallyu in Asia
- The Cultural History of Hallyu in Japan and the Potential of K-Culture
- Hallyu and Southeast Asia: ASEAN’s Role in Its Diffusion
- The Dynamism, Diversity, and Performative Contexts of Hallyu Reception in Indonesia
- Hallyu in Iran: Actively Led by Audiences Themselves
- Tensions Between the State and Audiences in Hallyu: The Case of Türkiye
- The Rise of Hallyu Amid State-Led Cultural Opening: Saudi Arabia

2024 Mega Asia Local Expert Program (Offline): 2024.4.5~7.12.

(16 lectures in total, offline, 14 research interns)

- Another Way to Understand Ourselves: Asian Megacity Values Survey — Seoul Case
- Vision and Challenges of Singapore as a Southeast Asian Global City
- China Literacy: Dreams and Realities of People in Beijing
- Vietnam in Data: Culture, Life Satisfaction, and Economic Development
- Examining the Background of Japan’s Low Birthrate: An International Comparison of Gender Role Attitudes and the Value of Children
- Social Perceptions of Jakarta Residents from a Comparative Megacity Perspective

2024 Mega Asia Local Expert Program (Online): 2024.3.8~29.

(4 lectures in total, Zoom lectures uploaded to YouTube channel; total 1,141 views)

- Networks of South and West Asia: Opportunities and Challenges for South Asian Migrant Workers in the Gulf Region
- Networks of Northeast Asia: International Migration and Socioeconomic Linkages — Case Studies of Immigrant Reception in Korea and Japan
- Networks of Southeast Asia: People, Capital, Goods, and Cultural Flows within the South China Sea Chinese Diaspora — The Formation and Mobility Structure of the Modern Overseas Chinese Remittance Network
- Networks of Central Asia: The Transnational Community of Bukharan Jews — Networks, Media, and Identity

2024 Open Lectures for Gwanak-gu Residents: 2024.11.8~12.13.

(6 lectures in total, offline)

- Another Way to Understand Ourselves: Asian Megacity Values Survey — Seoul Case
- Vision and Challenges of Singapore as a Southeast Asian Global City
- China Literacy: Dreams and Realities of People in Beijing
- Vietnam in Data: Culture, Life Satisfaction, and Economic Development
- Examining the Background of Japan’s Low Birthrate: An International Comparison of Gender Role Attitudes and the Value of Children
- Social Perceptions of Jakarta Residents from a Comparative Megacity Perspective

2024 Dungsil Dungsil ASIA Cultural Festival: 2024.11.1.

(Live-streamed on the ASIA Humanities Dissemination Center YouTube channel; total 298 views)

- Introduction to Oman: Past and Present
- Korean Studies in West Asia
- West Asian Studies in Korea

HK+ Mega-Asia Research Project Group Special Lecture:

2024.12.27.

(Offline lecture video uploaded to YouTube channel; total 602 views)

- Comparative Studies on Joseon’s Yangban Class and India’s Caste System

Southeast Asia Open Lecture

- * Public lecture series to deepen the general public's understanding of the Southeast Asian region
- * Each semester consisted of 4 lectures, accessible for citizens including office workers as every lecture was held at 5:30 to 7 pm
- * Certificates of completion issued upon taking all four lectures

2024 1st Semester: 2024.4.18.~5.11 (70 participants, 7 certificates issued)

- Climate and Agriculture in Traditional Southeast Asia

2024 2nd Semester: 2024.11.7.~12.5 (51 participants, 4 certificates issued)

- Climate Crisis and Climate-Smart Agriculture in Southeast Asia



Center for South Asian Studies & IIMB Joint Education: Management Programme for Entrepreneurs & Family Businesses

- * Jointly hosted by the Center for South Asian Studies and Bangalore University (India) in October 2024
- * Conducted a 7-day training and field study program in Korea (Oct. 20-26) for participants of the executive program for mid-sized family business CEOs, with certificate of completion provided
- * 30 mid-sized family business CEOs from India participated, along with one Indian professor; lectures were given by SNU faculty and Korean business leaders
- * Provided lectures for Korean entrepreneurs preparing to enter the Indian market
- * Offered opportunities for exchange with Korean companies through site visits and corporate study tours

KIP 2024 Lecture for Korean Participants

- Lectured Indian industrial policy and strategies for Korean entrepreneurs looking to expand into India or start exchanges
- Provided team-taught classes and individual opportunities for exchange for Korean and Indian entrepreneurs

- Dual Facade of India: An Investment Guide
- Politics and Society in India
- Digital Transformation in India
- Understanding India and Korea; Similarities and Differences & Networking

KIP 2024 Lecture for Indian Participants

- Lectured on the Korean economy general, industrial policy and growth drivers for 21 Indian entrepreneurs
- Provided field training and exchange through field trips to companies

- Manufacturing Business Strategy in a Service Era
- Several Issues to Understand Modern Korean History
- SME and Startup Innovation in Korea and Relevant Policy Programs
- Korean Consumer Markets Workshop
- 7-Things-To-Know To Better Understand Korean Business
- Dynamism of Korean Business Innovation

CECAS Education Program for Immigrants and Refugees

- * Through lectures on refugee interviews and interpretation methodologies, enhanced understanding of refugee narrative research and emphasized the importance of research ethics by addressing the protection of both participants and researchers when conducting studies in trauma-affected settings
- * By sharing the lived experiences of actual refugees and refugee support organizations, shed light on the challenges of adaptation and the multifaceted process of identity formation for refugees living in Korean society
- * Lectures by experts on the international refugee convention and Korea's refugee recognition procedures provided an overview of current policies and explored potential areas for improvement
 - 'Sweeping the Cheetah Hill, Flying to Korea' Book Talk: The Dream of a Resistance Poet Leading from Bangladesh to Korea
 - From Syria to Jeju, From Refugee to Korean
 - Understanding and Implementing the Refugee Recognition Procedure in South Korea and Compliance with the International Refugee Convention
 - The Reality of North Korean Defectors' Adaptation to Life in Japan: Focusing on the trial case of the return-to-home project

Nurturing Next-Generation Scholars

2024 SNUAC Dissertation Writing Fellowship

Matthew Conte (Dept. of Archaeology & Art History) | Modelling Foraging and Millet Farming Societies on the Peripheries: Comparing Plant-resource Utilization Trajectories in the Neolithics of Northeast Asia

Junyoung Park (Dept. of Geography) | The employment relationship of Indonesian domestic workers and multiscale carescape

Li Hao (Dept. of Korean History) | Introduction and Reaction about Ming-Qing China's Classical World Maps in Late Joseon Period: Focusing on Classical World Maps and Classical Worldview

2024 SNUAC Dissertation Award

※ Prize money sponsored by Emeritus Prof. Chung-si Ahn. since 2023

Doctoral Dissertation Award

Hanna Lee (Dept. of Political Science and Int'l Relations) | The South China Sea Dispute and Comprehensive Strategic Competition Between the U.S. and China: America's Perception and Response to U.S.-China Interactions

Bui Thi My Hang (Dept. of Geography) | The Politics of Sister City Placemaking: Transnational Urban Partnership Regimes between South Korea and Vietnam

Master's Thesis Award

Hyebeen Jung (Anthropology Major, The Graduate School of Korean Studies, The Academy of Korean Studies) | A Study on the (Re) construction of Ethnic Identity among Korean Youth in Kyrgyzstan

Jongsu Park (Dept. Chinese Language and Literature, Yonsei University) | Printed Mythology: The Publication of Lieguo qianbian shierchao zhuan and Its Romanticization of Historized Chinese Mythology

2024 SNUAC Field Research Grant for Graduate Students

Yewon Kim (Dept. of Geography) | Exploring Life: Understanding the Insecure Water Supply of Jordanian Households for Sustainable Living

Dao Hung (Grad. School of Public Administration) | E-Government Implementation in the Vietnam Party-State System

Songhak Shin (Grad. School of Int'l Studies) | Rights in Private and Public Spaces: The Domestic Workers' Rights Movement in Indonesia

Eunha Yoo (Dept. of Chinese Language and Literature) | Representation of Migrant Workers in Taiwanese Literature and Their Literary Production

Gyurin Cho (Dept. of Political Science and Int'l Relations) | Participatory Budgeting and Clientelism: Voter Choice in Indonesia's Local Elections

Jiwook Park (Grad. School of Public Health) | Stakeholders' Perceptions and Influencing Factors in the Use of Health Data in Low- and Middle-Income Countries: Focusing on the DHIS2 Experience in Laos

Euncheol Choi (Dept. of Social Studies Education, Geography Major) | The Role of the Chinese Communist Party in the Formation of National Space in China: Focusing on the "Rural Revitalization Strategy"

SNUAC Research Internship Program

* With the objective of fostering future Asia experts, the program consists of undergraduate and graduate students interested in Asia studies

* In 2024, a total of 26 research interns completed the program with 27 lectures on Asian Studies

19th Cohort

Harin Gu (SNU), Gukseon Kim (SNU), Naeun Kim (Sogang Univ.), Sumin Kim (SNU), Seungjeong Kim (SNU), Yeeun Kim (Ewha Womans Univ.), Gyuyeon Nam (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Kayoung Son (Incheon Univ.), Minseok Song (Myongji Univ.), Sujin Yoon (SNU), Jeongmi Lee (Handong Global Univ.), Jonghyeok Choi (Sogang Univ.)

20th Cohort

Sehwan Kim (SNU), Jaehee Kim (SNU), Gyuyeon Nam (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Yejin Park (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Junyoung Park (Sungkyunkwan Univ.), Junyong Yang (SNU), Sihoon Yoo (Dept. of Religious Studies), Hayoung Yoo (Ewha Womans Univ.), Hyeonjun Yoon (Sogang Univ.), Jiwoo Lee (Dept. of Russian Language & Literature), Minhwa Jeong (SNU), Yujin Jeong (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Seunghoon Chae (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Chaeyeong Hong (Ajou Univ.)

ODA Young Professional (YP) Project

* Youth capacity development program in the area of international development and cooperation sponsored by KOICA

* Main responsibilities: support for international development cooperation and regional research / administrative support for research projects / international cooperation and others / support for international exchanges and networking / support for organizing international domestic academic events

2024.02.-2024.08. - Seungwon Kang (Asia-Africa Center), Jiwon Park (Asia-Africa Center), Dongwon Lee (Research Dissemination Project Group)

2024.08.-2024.12. - Seowon Kim (Asia-Africa Center), Hyunseok Lee (Asia-Africa Center), Yoojin Jeong (Research Dissemination Team)

2025.02. - Myoungjin Ko (Research Dissemination Team), Younghoo Kim (Research Dissemination Team)

SEAC Research Group for Young Scholars

- * Promoted next-generation scholars to nurture SNU graduate students preparing their dissertations on Southeast Asia
- * Provided networking opportunities with domestic researchers studying the topics of interest in research groups
- * Offered financial support of maximum 500,000 KRW and seminar space

First Semester of 2024

Eunjung Lee (Dept. of Anthropology), Hyein Myo (Grad. School of Int'l Studies) | The Transnational Lives and Political Activism of Undocumented Migrants: Focusing on Burmese Political Exiles in Mae Sot, Thailand after the 2021 Coup

Inae Kim (Dept. of Agricultural and Resource Economics), Raeyoung Kim (Department of Forest Environmental Science), Sujeong Heo (Interdisciplinary Program in Landscape Architecture), Minjeong Kim (Dept. of Social Welfare), Seona Kim (Dept. of Social Welfare) | Climate Change and Environmental Studies in Southeast Asia

Second Semester of 2024

Chanmi Kim (Global Education Cooperation), Jina Choi (Grad. School of Public Administration), Seyeon Kim (Grad. School of Public Health), Yoonjung Heo (Grad. School of Public Administration), Seoyeon Lim (Grad. School of Public Administration)

| Analyzing the Impact of Empowerment and Digital Literacy Among Cambodian Women

SEAC Young Scholars' Workshop

- * Organized a workshop for graduate students specializing in Southeast Asian studies in Korea
 - Aimed at building networks among students interested in the Southeast Asian region
 - Held annually in the first half of the year
 - Based on the workshop, participants were encouraged to form sessions and present or submit papers at the Southeast Asia Conference held in the second half of the year

Suhong Chae (Dept. of Anthropology)

Seoyoung Kim (Sogang Univ.), Jeongwoo Lee (Korea Univ.), Gyeongjin Jeon (Sogang Univ.), Chan Bik Ceu (SNU), Kyeongmin Kim (Dept. of Anthropology), Junyoung Park (Dept. of Geography), Kyunghwan Bu (Dept. of Anthropology), Bui Thi My Hang (SNUAC)

Nurturing Next-Generation Scholars in West Asian Studies

- * Supported undergraduate student organization for Middle East research, 'El-Naafidha'
 - Fostered the growth of next-generation scholars in West Asian studies by supporting study groups and various activities of undergraduate students with majors related to West Asia or academic interests in the region
 - Supported seminars, news sharing, reading discussions and cultural events

Promoting Next-Generation Scholars in Central Asian Studies

- * Supported student organization for Central Asian and Eurasian studies, 'Eurasia Research Organization' to foster next-generation scholars and build a network of students by supporting the organization of students interested in Central Asia and Eurasia
- * Held five academic seminars organized by the Eurasia Research Group
 - Covered topics such as maritime refugees, the war in Ukraine, Ukrainian refugees, middle-power diplomacy, the formation of international governance, and countries of the Global South
- * Hosted the 2024 Eurasia Research Group Academic Conference (Next Generation Forum for emerging scholars, Dec. 19, 2024)
 - Featured presentations and discussions on a wide range of topics related to international politics, migration, refugees, and diaspora

Supervisor: Beomshik Shin (Director of CECAS, Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Seonhee Kim (SNUAC)

Participants: Junseok Lee (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Minki Jung (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Changha Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Myung-hye Cho (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Yeokyoung Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Yuna Kim (Interdisciplinary Program in Peace and Unification Studies), Jiwoo Lee (Dept. of Russian Language & Literature), Seunghoon Chae (Hufs), Soyoung Lee (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Hyunryul Ahn (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Kyungmin Baek (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Taegyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Jungeun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Eunji Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Jaeyoon Lee (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Jooyoung Jo (Dept. of Anthropology), Noori Kwon (Chung-Ang Univ.)

Supporting SNU Africa Studies

- * Fostered the growth of rising scholars interested in African studies
- * Promoted next-generation researchers through supporting research groups and networks
- * Held three research meetings in 2024

Yeeun Kim (Ewha Womans Univ.) | The Identity and Current Issues Faced by Immigrants Settled in the Central Asia Street of Gwanghui-dong



SNUAC Research Grants for Asian Studies

2024 SNUAC Research Grants

- * Beomshik Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations) et al. | 2024 Asia Brief
- * Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC) et al. | Asia Center Webzine
- * Eunyoung Nam (SNUAC) | Planning of 2024 Asia Review Commissioned/Special Papers
- * Young Nam Cho (Grad. School of Int'l Studies) | Governing System in China: Focusing on the Political System of Constitution
- * Juyeon Lee (Dept. of Asian History) | Translation and explanation of the Safar nama, an 11th-century Muslim pilgrim's travelogue
- * Jiyoung Kim (Dept. of Chinese Language & Literature) | The Comparative Study of Evaluation on Han Yu's Poetry and Prose
- * Hyunji Kwon (Dept. of Sociology) et al. | Industrial and labor transitions in Korean manufacturing conglomerates in the context of the complex crisis: the case of the expanding automotive industry ecosystem
- * Wonjung Min (SNUAC) et al. | Asia and Korea Meet Latin America: Past, Present, and Future
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Humanities Korea Plus (HK+) - NRF

Asias and Mega-Asia: Identities, Dynamics, Data-Telling - Phase 1, Year 5 (2024.05.01.-2025.04.30)

Research Funds: KRW 1,260,000,000 (including matching fund)

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Institute Programs in the Humanities & Social Sciences - NRF

A Study on Commons-Based Urban Transition Strategies Beyond Speculative Urbanization - Phase 2 Fourth Year (2024.6.1.-2025.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 324,194,000

Principal Investigator: Bae-Gyoon Park (Dept. of Geography Education)

Researchers: Kyoung-ae Han (SNUAC), Hyunjo Jung (Dept. of City Planning), Do Young Oh (College of Liberal Studies)

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Institute Programs in the Humanities & Social Sciences - NRF

(Matching Fund) A Study on Commons-Based Urban Transition Strategies Beyond Speculative Urbanization - First Year (2024.6.1.-2025.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 43,000,000

Principal Investigator: Bae-Gyoon Park (Dept. of Geography Education)

Researchers: Kyoung-ae Han (SNUAC), Hyunjo Jung (Dept. of City Planning), Do Young Oh (College of Liberal Studies)

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Eurasian Refugees as Cross-Border Migrants: the Multifaceted Changes and Impacts of Migration Dynamics - Phase 1 Second Year (2024.3.1.-2025.2.28)

Research Funds: KRW 371,320,000

Principal Investigator: Beomshik Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations)

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Group Research Support Program - NRF

Cultural and Industrial Characteristics of Hallyu Creative Industry: Towards a Co-evolutionary Model of Production and Consumption - Second Year (2024.3.1.-2025.2.28)

Research Funds: KRW 65,225,000

Principal Investigator: Eun Mee Kim (Dept. of Communication)

Researchers: Seok-Kyeong Hong (Dept. of Communication), Yunhwa Koh (ICR.SNU)

MENA in the Era of Complex Crisis: Emerging Security, Alternative Orders, and Civil Society - Second Year (2024.3.1.-2025.2.28)

Research Funds: KRW 130,450,000

Principal Investigator: Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)

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Academic Research Professors A - NRF

The Correlation Between Ruling System and Urban Space: Aspects of Urban Planning and Spatial Changes in Modern Pyongyang (1937~1960) - Phase 2 First Year (2024.4.1.-2025.3.31)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Taeyoon Kim (SNUAC)

A Systematic Evaluation on the Security Policy Bandwagoning with Big Powers, and a Search for Korea-Oriented Security System - Phase 2 First Year (2024.4.1.-2025.3.31)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: JinMyoung Lee (SNUAC)

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Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

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Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Jeong-Kyung Seo (SNUAC)

Military power sharing and party-military relations of CCP, 1931-1954 - Phase 1 Second Year (2024.6.1.-2025.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Pansu Kim (SNUAC)

A Study of Samādhimaraṇa in India: A Thanatological Approach to Yogic Meditation Anticipating Death - Phase 1 Second Year (2024.6.1.-2025.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Youngsun Yang (SNUAC)

A comparative research on spatialities and subjectifications of finance: Focusing on financial practices around "home" in Tokyo and Seoul - Phase 1 Second Year (2023.6.1.-2024.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

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The Effectiveness and the Influence of Official Development Assistance and the Change of a Targeted Village: A Case Study of a Resettlement Village of Returned Karen Refugees in Karen State, Myanmar - Second Year (2023.7.1.-2024.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Yuseok Han (SNUAC)

A Study on International Trade Networks of Marine Products, Fisheries ODA and International Trade, Commerce, Maritime Dispute Resolution between Korea and ASEAN - Third Year (2023.7.1.-2024.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Jimoon Park (SNUAC)

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Research Funds: KRW 30,000,000

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Non-paternal Kindred and Making the Family: proposing Neo Historical Korean Family Sociology - Phase 2 First Year (2024.10.1.-2025.3.31)

Research Funds: KRW 20,000,000

Principal Investigator: Mee Hae Park (SNUAC)

Basic Research Program for Young Researchers

From Assimilation K to Hospitality K: YouTube Channel 'OBBA STUDIO' and New Cultural Exchange Model of Korea-China in the era of Anti-China - 2024.6.1~2025.5.31.

Research Funds: KRW 21,197,000
Principal Investigator: Lan Jin (SNUAC)

Basic Research Program for Mid-Career Researchers

Machine Learning and Highly-nonlinear Econometric Models – Seventh Year (2024.7.1~2025.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 13,020,000
Principal Investigator: Myung Hwan Seo (Dept. of Economics)

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A Study on the Sustainable Smart City Appropriate Development Models in India – Third Year (2024.7.1~2025.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 26,090,000
Principal Investigator: Myungmoo Lee (SNUAC)

Academic Research Professors B – NRF

Circumventing Mobility Regime Loophole: Focusing on the mobility experiences of 'visa runners' in Korea– First Year (2024.6.1~2025.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 20,000,000
Principal Investigator: Daeun Lee (SNUAC)

Korea Academic Translation Project – The Academy Of Korean Studies

Korean Popular Culture Series – Third Year (2024.11.1~2025.10.31.)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000
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KF Global e-School – Phase 1 Fifth Year (2024.03.01~2025.02.28.)

Research Fund: KRW 282,000,000
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Exploring Strategies for Establishing Good Governance in Africa (Ministry of Foreign Affairs) – 2024.5.7~2024.9.30.

Research Funds: KRW 36,363,635
Principal Investigator: Taekyoon Kim (Grad. School of Int'l Studies)
Researchers: Joonhwa Cho (SNUAC), Kyungha Kim (The Export-Import Bank of Korea), Sang Hyun Seo (POSCO Research Inst.)

The 8th Korea EU International Conference on Middle Eastern and North African Affairs (Ministry of Foreign Affairs REPUBLIC) – 2024.7.3~2024.10.02.

Research Funds: KRW 2,727,273
Principal Investigator: Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)
Researchers: Soyeon Ahn (SNUAC)

Establishment of a Multilayer Climate and Environment Research Network for a Sustainable Earth (Ministry of Environment, Korea) – 2024.6.27~2025.2.21.

Research Funds: KRW 38,909,091
Principal Investigator: Soolin Park (Dept. of Geography)
Researchers: Joon Kim (SNUAC), GoWoon Kim (SNUAC), Hoonchong Yi (Inst. for Korean Regional Studies)

Feasibility Study for Forest Disaster Restoration in Peatlands of Indonesia (Forestry Agency) – 2024.10.11~2024.12.20.

Research Funds: KRW 29,672,727
Principal Investigator: Soolin Park (Dept. of Geography)
Researchers: Do Chan Bae (SNUAC), Jae-Jun Lee (Grad. School of Int'l Agricultural Technology)

Project title: Trends in the Indian Media and Entertainment Industry and Strategies for Korea-India Cooperation through Cultural Content Commissioned by Korea Creative Content Agency (KOCCA) – 2024.6.4~2025.2.16.

Research Funds: KRW 31,818,182
Principal Investigator: Sung Yong Kang (Inst. of Humanities)
Researchers: Hyunchul Maeng (SNUAC), Youngsun Yang (SNUAC)

A Study on Official Development Assistance (ODA) Strategies for Central and South Asia – 2024.4.3~2024.10.30.

Research Funds: KRW 109,090,909
Principal Investigator: Sung Yong Kang (Inst. of Humanities)
Researchers: Beomshik Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int'l Relations), Hyunchul Maeng (SNUAC), Yoon Jung Choi (The Sejong Institute), Jiwon Park (SNUAC), Youngsun Yang (SNUAC), Young Min Yoon (Hanyang Univ.), Sang Joon Lee (Kookmin Univ.), Young Ho Kim (IKCRI)

Research Project on Korean Exhibition in Foreign Museums – 2024.11.7~2025.3.31.

Research Funds: KRW 9,090,910
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Researchers: Youngchan Oh (Ewha Woman's Univ.)

ODA Young Professional (YP) Program (First Half of 2024) (Korea Int' Cooperation Agency (KOICA) – 2024.2.1~2024.8.31.

Research Funds: KRW 60,000,000
Principal Investigator: Joonhwa Cho (SNUAC)

ODA Young Professional (YP) Program (Second Half of 2024) (Korea Int' Cooperation Agency (KOICA) – 2024.8.1~2025.2.28.

Research Funds: KRW 60,000,000
Principal Investigator: Taekyoon Kim (Grad. School of Int'l Studies)

Establishment of the Design Identity 5.0 Diagnostic System (Private Sector Support Project) – 2024.7.15~2024.11.10.

Research Funds: KRW 110,767,059
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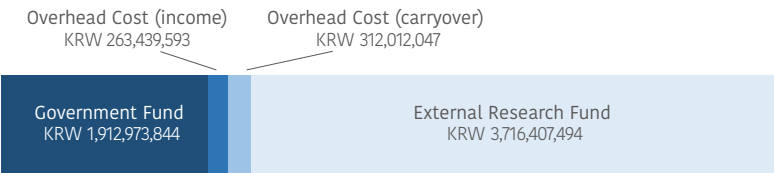
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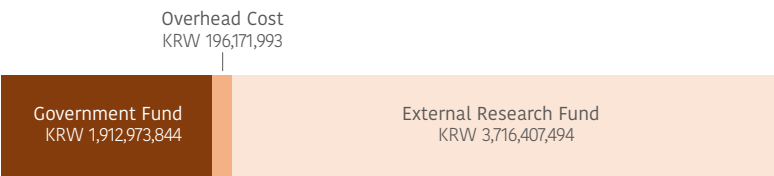
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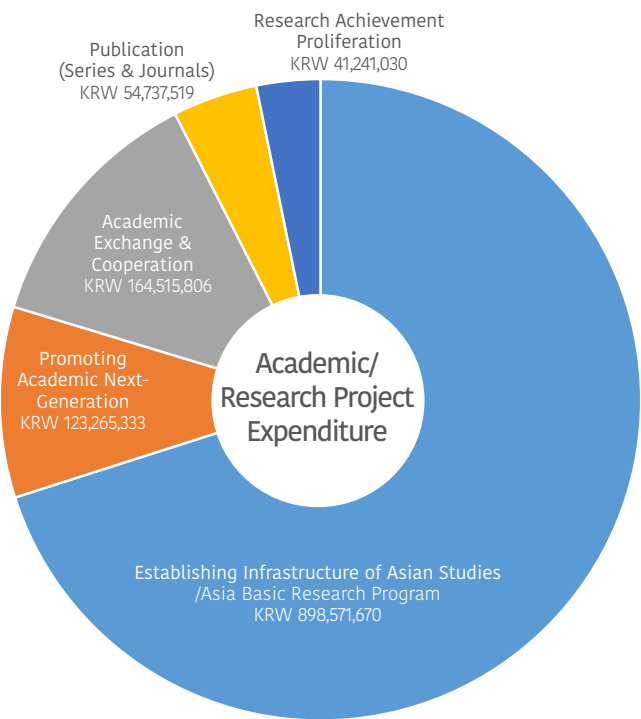
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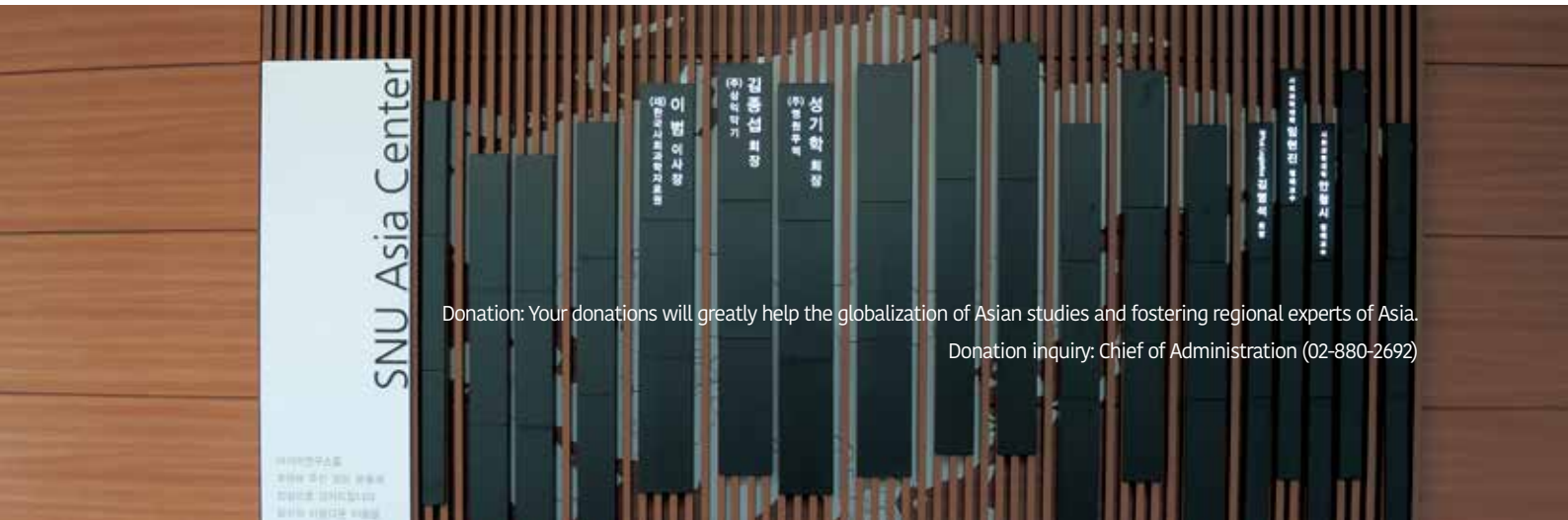
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Sep	The first SNUAC International Conference: What Is Asia? Retrospectives and Prospects
2010 Jul	Groundbreaking for the SNUAC building (completion in February 2013)
Sep	Designation as a Key Research Institute by the National Research Foundation of Korea
2011 Mar	Selection as part of the Korea Foundation Global e-School Program
Oct	The second SNUAC International Conference: Global Challenges in Asia: New Development Model and Regional Community Building
2012 Sep	Selection as part of the Emerging Economies Research Program (NRF)
2013 Mar	Commencement of the Asia Basic Research Program
Apr	Open lecture series: "The Age of Asia"
May	Opening ceremony of the SNUAC building
Sep	Appointment of Prof. Myungkoo Kang as the 3rd SNUAC director Initiation of the second phase in Key Research Institute Project "Cooperation and Integration of East Asian Economic and Social Community"
2014 Mar	International Conference for directors of Asia research institutes: New Horizons of Asian Studies
Sep	Initiation of the second phase in the Emerging Economies Research Program; Initiation of the medium-scale project "International Trade, Trade Order, and Standardization" within the SSK program; Initiation of a new project "East Asian Cities"; Reception of a grant for Foundational Research from the NRF
2015 Jun	Affiliation of the Korea Social Science Data Archive (KOSSDA) with SNUAC
Jul	Selection of Asia Review as a candidate for inclusion in the Korean Citation Index (KCI)
Oct	International conference: Capitalism and Capitalisms in Asia: Origins, Commonalities, and Diversity
2016 Apr	International conference: Inter-Asian Connections V: Seoul
Dec	Initiation of the third phase in Key Research Institute Project "Cooperation and Integration of the East Asian Economic and Social Community"
2017 Aug	Selection of Asia Review to be registered in KCI
Sep	Appointment of Prof. SooJin Park as the 5th SNUAC Director
Oct	Advancement of East Asian Cities project to SSK large-scale research project by the NRF; Commencement of the Center for Asian Urban Societies
2018 Feb	Commencement of the Asia Regional Information Center
Apr	Organization of the Council of Asia Regional Research Institutes at Seoul National University
Jun	Publication of the first issue of Diverse+Asia by SNUAC Asia Regional Review Research Team
Aug	Ranked in the top level in the SNU Research Institute Evaluation in the humanities and social sciences field (3rd place)
2019 Sep	Commemoration of SNUAC's 10th anniversary and announcement of new visions International conference: Managing, Sharing, and Employing of Regional Information in Asia
Oct	Affiliation of Korea Association of International Development Cooperation, East Asian Sociological Association, and Future Earth Korea with SNUAC
2020 May	Selected as part of Humanities Korea Plus (HK+) Program (NRF)
Oct	Commencement of Vietnam Center
Dec	Initiation of Asian Journal of Political Science (AJPS) as the official English journal of SNUAC
2021 Mar	Establishment of Asia Brief, the policy brief of SNUAC
Aug	Ranked first in the SNU Research Institute Evaluation in the humanities and social sciences field
2022 Mar	Commencement of Center for Hallyu Studies
Apr	Commencement of Asia-Africa Center
2023 Feb	Commencement of Center for Asian Migration
Sep	Appointment of Prof. Suhong Chae as the 8th SNUAC director Selected as part of Institute Programs in the Humanities & Social Sciences supported by the NRF (Migration+Refugees+Diaspora (MRD) Research Center)
2024 Sep	Launch of the Global Advanced Management Program (GAMP) in Vietnam

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