

Fall 2008 Events Calendar

September

All listed events are free and open to the public unless noted. Wheelchair accessible. For more information, including a full list of event sponsors, visit our website at: http://ieas.berkeley.edu/events/

Tuesday, September 2, 12:00 p.m.

Room 00-3122

Lynn Price, Research Scientist, Energy Analysis Department, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

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"The Challenge of Reducing Energy Consumption in China's Industrial Sector"

1 Cyclotron Road

Audience must pre-register. Contact (510) 486-4835 or JMLambert@lbl.gov

Wednesday, September 3, 12:10-1:00 p.m.

2232 Piedmont Avenue

2621 Durant Avenue

Avi Ebenstein, Robert Wood Johnson Postdoctoral Scholar, Harvard

"Water Pollution, River Currents, and Digestive Cancers in China"

Wednesday, September 3, 4:00 p.m. IEAS Conference Room Wen-hsin Yeh, Professor, History, UC Berkeley 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

Book Talk—"Shanghai Splendor: Economic Sentiments and the Making of Modern China, 1843-1949"

Thursday, September 4, 5:15 p.m. Nestrick Room Tang Danhong, Filmmaker and Poet (142 Dwinelle Hall)

"Sky Burial in Tibet: A Film Screening and Discussion with Tang Danhong" Lecture will be conducted in Chinese with English translation

Room 105 Monday, September 8, 12:40-1:40 p.m. You-tien Hsing, Associate Professor, Geography, UC Berkeley Boalt Hall

"The Great Urban Transformation: Politics of Land Development in Post Mao China"

RSVP required: BCLBE@law.berkeley.edu or contact Phyliss Martinez at 510.642.0532

September 10, 2008-January 4, 2009 Berkeley Art Museum "Mahjong: Contemporary Chinese Art from the Sigg Collection" 2626 Bancroft Way

Wednesday-Sunday, 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Closed Monday and Tuesday

Museum Admission \$3-\$8

September 12-October 17, 2008 PFA Theater "Unknown Pleasures: The Films of Jia Zhangke" 2575 Bancroft Way at Bowditch

Sponsored by the PFA--Advance Tickets: (510) 642-5249

Saturday, September 13, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Museum Theater "Places at the Table: Asian Women Artists and Gender Dynamics" Berkeley Art Museum Admission free. Registration required. See website for details 2621 Durant Avenue

Museum Theater Sunday, September 14, 3:00 p.m. Uli Sigg, Former Swiss Ambassador to China, Art Collector Berkeley Art Museum Orville Schell, Director, Center on US-China Relations, Asia Society 2621 Durant Avenue

"Art, Censorship, and Politics"

Wednesday, September 17, 12:00 p.m. 3401 Dwinelle Hall Brown-Bag Lunch Lecture

Alice Siu, PhD Candidate, Communication, Stanford University

"Deliberative Democracy in China: A Deliberative Poll on Zegou Township's 2008 Budget"

IEAS Conference Room Friday, September 19, 4:00-6:00 p.m. Christian DePee, Assistant Professor, History, University of Michigan 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

"A Tale of Two Cities: Imperial Space and Commercial Space in Song-Dynasty Kaifeng, 960-1127"

Sunday, September 21, 3:00 p.m. Museum Theater Hou Hanru, Curator and Critic, San Francisco Art Institute Berkeley Art Museum Jane DeBevoise, Chair, Board of Trustees of Asia Art Archives 2621 Durant Avenue

Ou Ning, Multimedia Artist

"China's Emerging Art" Museum Admission \$3-\$8. Programs free with museum admission.

IEAS Conference Room Monday, September 22, 4:00-6:00 p.m. Uli Sigg, Former Swiss Ambassador to China, Art Collector 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

Wen-hsin Yeh, UCB Professor, History "In Conversation: Uli Sigg and Wen-hsin Yeh"

Thursday, September 25, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Sibley Auditorium

Symposium—"How Can China and the US Work Together to Address Climate Change?"

Admission free. See website for details

Thursday, September 25, 12:00 p.m. Museum Theater Uli Sigg, Former Swiss Ambassador to China, Art Collector Berkeley Art Museum

Ai Weiwei, Artist

"Gallery Talk"

Museum Admission \$3-\$8. Programs free with museum admission



Fall 2008 Events Calendar

September-December

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Thursday, September 25, 4:00 p.m. 2008 Sanford Elberg Lecture

Lipman Room 8th Floor, Barrows Hall

James Fallows, National Correspondent, The Atlantic Monthly

"China and the United States"

Tuesday, September 30, 4:00 p.m. Museum Theater

Ai Weiwei, Artist Berkeley Art Museum Jeff Kelley, Curator and Critic 2621 Durant Avenue

"In Conversation"

Museum Admission \$3-\$8. Programs free with museum admission.

IEAS Conference Room Friday, October 3, 4:00-6:00 p.m. 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

Yanjie Bian, Professor, Sociology, University of Minnesota "The Increasing Significance of Guanxi in the Chinese Transitional Economy"

Wednesday, October 8, 4:00 p.m. IEAS Conference Room 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

Kirk W. Larsen, Professor, History, George Washington University Book Talk—"Tradition, Treaties, and Trade: Qing Imperialism and Chosôn Korea, 1850–1910"

Thursday, October 9, 12:00 p.m. Center for Labor Research and Education 2521 Channing Way

Ching Kwan Lee, Associate Professor, Sociology, University of Michigan

"Raw Encounters: Labor Relations in Africa's Chinese Enclaves"

Friday, October 10, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. 2008 Travers Conference on Ethics and Accountability in Government Lipman Room 8th Floor, Barrows Hall

Special Fall Workshop—"Holding China Accountable? Strategies for Protecting Consumers in a Globalized World" See website for details

Friday-Saturday, October 17-18

Museum Theater Special Fall Conference—"China Transformed: Artscape/Cityscape" Berkeley Art Museum Admission free. See website for details 2621 Durant Avenue

October 23-October 27, 2008 PFA Theater

2575 Bancroft Way at Bowditch "I Love Beijing: The Films of Ning Ying"

Sponsored by the PFA--Advance Tickets: (510) 642-5249

Friday, October 24, 1:30-6:00 p.m. Luce "New Media in China" Colloquia Series Sproul Room, International House Special Workshop— "The Emergence of New Media in Premodern China" 2299 Piedmont Avenue

See website for details

Wednesday, October 29, 4:00 p.m.

IEAS Conference Room Michael Szonyi, Professor, Asian Languages and Civilization, Harvard University 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

Book Talk—"Cold War Island: Quemoy on the Front Line"

Friday, November 7, 4:00 p.m. Elvera Kwang Siam Lim Memorial Lecture Heyns Room Faculty Club

Li Zhang, Associate Professor, Anthropology, UC Davis "Revalorizing Gendered Self-Worth in China's New Age of Private Property"

"Patterns of Interaction in Chinese, Japanese, and Korean Painting"

Brown Bag Lunch Lecture Wednesday, November 12, 12:00 p.m.

3401 Dwinelle Hall

Ban Wang, Professor, Asian Languages and Comparative Literature, Stanford University

"The Image of China in the American Classroom"

IEAS Conference Room Friday, November 14, 4:00-6:00 p.m. Guang Lei, Professor, Political Science, San Diego State University 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor

Leveraging the Power of the State: Citizen Protests and the Reactionary State

Sunday, November 16, 3:00 p.m. Museum Theater Peter Hessler, Author & David Spindler, Historian Berkeley Art Museum

"Inside/Outside: The Great Wall of China" 2621 Durant Avenue

Museum Admission \$3-\$8. Programs free with museum admission.

Wednesday, November 19, 4:00-6:00 p.m. IEAS Conference Room 2223 Fulton Street, 6th Floor James Cahill, Professor Emeritus, Art history, UC Berkeley

Friday, December 5, 1:30-6:00 p.m. Luce "New Media in China" Colloquia Series Sproul Room, International House

Special Workshop—"New Media and the Documentary Impulse" 2299 Piedmont Avenue See website for details