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through the generosity of the estate of Charles M. Hall, the Harvard-Yenching Institute is an independent foundation dedicated to advancing higher education in Asia in the humanities and social sciences, with special attention to the study of Chinese culture. Located on the campus of Harvard University, the Institute currently enjoys partnerships with more than fifty universities and research centers in China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Japan, Korea, Singapore, India, Vietnam, Thailand, and Cambodia. We support doctoral scholarships, visiting fellowships, academic publications, advanced training programs, conferences and other scholarly initiatives—in Asia, at Harvard University, and elsewhere—intended to promote graduate and post-graduate research in Asian studies (and other topics in the humanities and social sciences) and to increase scholarly communication among Asian scholars and between them and their counterparts in other regions of the world. To learn more both about us and about Asia, we invite you to visit our website, www.harvard-yenching.org.

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History

Harvard-Yenching Institute

The Harvard-Yenching Institute (HYI) was founded in 1928 with funding provided solely from the estate of Charles M. Hall, the inventor of a process for refining aluminum and the founder of the Aluminum Company of America (ALCOA).



Charles Martin Hall

Although the Institute has close ties with Harvard University, it is a legally and fiscally independent public charitable trust. Mr. Hall's charge to the trustees of his estate was to promote higher education in Asia and to that end the trustees of his estate partnered with Harvard University in order to fulfill the Harvard-Yenching Institute's mission as stated in its Articles of Incorporation, "to conduct and provide research, instruction and publication in the culture of China and/or elsewhere in Continental Asia and Japan and/or Turkey and the Balkan States in Europe, by founding, developing, supporting, maintaining and/or conducting one or more educational institutions and/or by supporting in whole or in part, co-operating with or joining or affiliating with other institutions now in existence or hereafter formed..."

In the 1930s, the Institute supported the development of what became the Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations at Harvard and founded the Harvard-Yenching Library as well as the Harvard Journal of Asiatic Studies. During the 1930s and 40s, the Institute provided direct support to Yenching University, because of its focus on the humanities, along with five other colleges in China, Fukien, Lingnan, Nanjing, Shantung Christian and West China Union Universities, and Allahabad Agricultural Institute in India.

Since the 1950s, the Institute's core activity has been to offer fellowships for overseas study and research to doctoral scholars and younger faculty members at leading East and Southeast Asian universities in all fields of the humanities and social sciences. Although the Institute has a special commitment to promoting the study of Asian culture, its support is not limited to that field. To date over 1,000 faculty from Asia have received Institute fellowships and over 300 doctoral students have received their degrees with Institute support. In addition to providing fellowships, the Institute supports publications through Harvard's Monograph Series as well as overseas publications in Chinese and Vietnamese, conferences, workshops, and training programs.

The Harvard-Yenching Institute has a nine-member Board of Directors, consisting of three each representing Harvard University and the United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia, and three independent members with significant experience in Asia. In addition, a HYI Faculty Advisory Committee functions as an informal advisory group to the Director, offering general advice on Institute operations and academic directions.

In its 90 year history, the Harvard-Yenching Institute has had seven directors, each a member of the faculty of Harvard University.

Serge Elisséeff
1934-1956

Edwin O. Reischauer
1956-1964

John Pelzel
1964-1975

Albert Craig
1976-1986

Patrick Hanan
1987-1995

Tu Weiming
1996-2008

Elizabeth J. Perry
2008-



Harvard-Yenching Library

Although as an organized library it dates back to only 1928, the collection can trace its beginning back to 1879, when Chinese was first offered as part of Harvard University's regular curriculum. In that year a group of Bostonians engaged in the China trade invited Ge Kunhua (戈鯤化), a Chinese scholar from the city of Ningbo in Zhejiang Province, to give instruction in Chinese at Harvard. The small collection of books that was bought for his courses, the first acquisitions in any East Asian language at Harvard College Library, marked the beginning of a Chinese collection.

The Harvard-Yenching Library is the largest university library for East Asian research in the Western world.

A Japanese collection was similarly launched in 1914 when two Japanese professors, Hattori Unokichi (服部宇之吉) and Anesaki Masaharu (姉崎正治), both of Tokyo Imperial University, came to lecture at Harvard and donated several important groups of Japanese publications on Sinology and Buddhism to the Harvard College Library. In 1928 these two collections, then consisting of 4,526 volumes in Chinese and 1,668 volumes in Japanese, were transferred from Widener Library to the newly established Chinese-Japanese Library of the Harvard-Yenching Institute, which had itself been independently incorporated that year in Massachusetts. Dr. A. Kaiming Ch'iu (裘開明), a renowned bibliophile and then a Harvard PhD candidate, who had begun cataloging the collections a year before, was appointed librarian of the Chinese-Japanese Library.

With financial support from the Harvard-Yenching Institute, the expert bibliographical knowledge of Dr. Ch'iu, and the assistance of Yenching University Library in Peking, the library's collections grew rapidly. At the end of its first decade the library's holdings amounted to more than 110,000 volumes—18 times the original size. Although the library first collected only in Chinese and Japanese, with the major emphasis on the humanities, subsequent expansion in Harvard's East Asian curriculum led to a similar expansion in the library's scope. Tibetan, Mongolian, and Manchu publications were added, as were Western-language monographs and journals. A Korean collection was inaugurated in 1951, and a Vietnamese collection was added in 1973. Social science publications were given increased attention in the post-World War II years, and collecting in this area has been greatly accelerated since the mid-1960s. Thus, the once predominantly humanistic collection has gradually evolved into a research library that encompasses East Asian materials in all of the academic disciplines, including, to some extent, the natural and applied sciences.

In 1965 the name Chinese-Japanese Library of the Harvard-Yenching Institute was changed to Harvard-Yenching Library in order to reflect more accurately the expanded nature of the library's collections. The management of the library, which had been under the Harvard-Yenching Institute from the beginning, was transferred in 1976 to the Harvard College Library.

Photograph by Peter Vandewarker, courtesy of Harvard College Library

Fellowship Programs

The Harvard-Yenching Institute has several fellowship programs that bring scholars from Asia to conduct research at Harvard University, to participate in special training programs, or to attend graduate school through a Joint Scholarship Program.

In conjunction with the mission of the Harvard-Yenching Institute, nominated scholars should be working in the humanities and social sciences with an emphasis on culture. Applicants do not have to be working on Asian studies topics to be eligible. We seek outstanding scholars whose work is academic rather than applied. Scholars whose research is comparative, and includes one or more Asian countries, are especially welcome.



Eligible Fields

Fields of research in the humanities and social sciences to be considered are:

Anthropology	Literature
Archaeology	Media and Film Studies
Area and International Studies	Philosophy
Art and Architectural History	Politics
History (including economic and legal history)	Sociology
Linguistics	Study of Religion
	Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies

Scholars in the fields of Economics, Education, Geography, Law, Psychology, and Public Administration may be considered, but must check with the Institute before submitting applications



HYI Fellowship Programs

For additional information, please visit www.harvard-yenching.org/fellowship.

Visiting Scholars Program

A program for younger faculty members in the humanities and social sciences to undertake 10 months of independent research at Harvard University. Those pursuing Asian and comparative studies are especially welcome. Preference will be given to younger scholars who are in the early stages of their academic career. In cases where qualifications are roughly equal, priority is given to those candidates who have not recently spent substantial time at an American university.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicant must be nominated by one of our partner institutions in Asia*. Candidates should have been serving at their home university for at least three years as a full time faculty member. Scholars who gained their PhD from an institution outside of Asia in the past five years (from the start date of the fellowship program) are not eligible. Previous recipients of a Visiting Scholar fellowship from HYI are not eligible to reapply for this program.

**For a list of our partner institutions in Asia, see page 11.*

Advanced Training Programs for Field Development

The Advanced Training Program is a recent initiative of the Harvard-Yenching Institute, in which a small group of promising young Asian scholars in particular fields of the humanities and social sciences are brought together either at Harvard or in Asia. Following the conclusion of each training program held in Asia, a small number of outstanding trainees may be invited to come to HYI for a one-year research stay.

For more information, please see page 25.





Joint Doctoral Scholarship Programs

This program allows for young faculty at HYI partner institutions in Southeast Asia* to pursue a PhD at either the National University of Singapore or the University of Hong Kong, with one academic year of dissertation research at Harvard University.

The University of Hong Kong-HYI Joint Scholarship Program

Candidates complete a PhD at the University of Hong Kong, with one academic year of dissertation research at Harvard University. Nominated faculty should be working in the humanities and social sciences with an emphasis on history, culture and society. Scholars whose focus of research is comparative, and includes one or more Asian countries, are especially welcome.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants for the NUS-HYI or HKU-HYI joint scholarship are required to have a Master's degree in a relevant discipline or an Honors degree (First Class) or equivalent in a relevant discipline. They must hold a teaching/research position at one of HYI's partner institutions in Southeast Asia, with assurance that the candidate will be strongly considered for reemployment after graduation from the program.

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National University of Singapore — HYI Joint Scholarship Program

The Harvard-Yenching Institute and the National University of Singapore have established a joint doctoral scholarship program, whereby candidates apply simultaneously for HYI funding, and for an NUS PhD and the NUS funding to support it. Candidates' research should focus on East and Southeast Asian Studies, either with a disciplinary or interdisciplinary approach, and with the expectation that they will enroll in NUS's Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, with up to one academic year of dissertation research at Harvard University.

ELIGIBILITY: Same as The University of Hong Kong-HYI Joint Scholarship Program.

China-India Studies Program

A joint doctoral fellowship program with the Institute for Chinese Studies in Delhi to encourage Chinese studies in India. This new program, facilitated by the participation of four partner institutions in China (Fudan University, Peking University, Sichuan University, and Yunnan University), also seeks to foster a cross-national network of scholars by bringing to the Harvard-Yenching Institute students of Indian Studies in China and students of Chinese Studies in India. A small number of promising doctoral candidates in Chinese Studies at Indian universities will be selected for the joint doctoral fellowship program. The program's host institutions in China will also be invited to nominate a small number of outstanding doctoral students or younger faculty members in Indian studies to come to HYI as Visiting Fellows or Visiting Scholars.

ELIGIBILITY: For more information visit www.harvard-yenching.org/china-india-studies-program.

Coordinate Research Program

This program provides Harvard faculty with a chance to invite faculty members to join them in collaborative research projects in established Asian Studies. While joint research is the primary focus, collaboration may also include co-teaching and/or co-organizing conferences and workshops. Grants are made to qualified scholars to permit them to spend between 3 and 9 months at Harvard.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicant must be nominated by, and must conduct joint research or co-teach with, a Harvard faculty member. Applicants must be based at an institution of higher education outside of the United States at the time of application. Preference will be given to scholars at Asia-based universities. This grant is not intended to extend the stay of a scholar currently at Harvard.

HYI & Regional Studies — East Asia A.M. Fellowship Program

A grant supporting two years of coursework and study in the RSEA Master's Program at Harvard University. The fellowship is for those who are committed to pursuing a PhD as preparation for an academic career and who plan to return to Asia to teach upon completion of their graduate studies.

ELIGIBILITY: Fellowship recipients must be Asian citizens—US citizens and permanent residents are not eligible. Applicants who hold degrees from English-medium universities located outside of Asia are ineligible. Eligible candidates admitted into the RSEA Program are automatically considered for the fellowship. There are a limited number of fellowships available and nominations for the fellowship are made solely by the RSEA Admissions Committee.

Associate Program

A program exclusively for past HYI affiliates to return to Harvard, with their own funding, to conduct new or additional research in their respective fields for 3 months to a year. This program does not include a stipend.

ELIGIBILITY: Program is limited to past Harvard-Yenching Institute grantees.

Harvard-Yenching Library Research Grant

This grant allows Asia-based senior scholars with proven publication records who have identified a specific collection of Asian-language materials uniquely available in the Harvard-Yenching Library to apply for 3-6 months of research support to use these materials. Priority is given to scholars working on inter-Asian comparative projects.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants must be based at an institution of higher education outside of the United States at the time of application. Preference will be given to scholars at Asia-based universities. Former recipients of HYI scholarships/fellowships are not eligible. This grant is not intended to supplement or extend another award the applicant has already received.





HYI Partner Institutions

Individuals from HYI's partner institutions may be nominated to the Visiting Scholars Program. The Joint Scholarship Program for Doctoral Studies is limited to faculty at our partner universities in Cambodia, Thailand, and Vietnam. Please check with the foreign affairs or international office at your university for more information.

CAMBODIA

Pannasastra University of Cambodia
Royal University of Fine Arts
Royal University of Phnom Penh

CHINA

Beijing Normal University
Central China Normal University
Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
East China Normal University
Fudan University
Jilin University
Minzu University of China
Nanjing University
Nankai University
Peking University
Renmin University of China
Shandong University
Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences
Sichuan University
Sun Yat-Sen University
Tsinghua University
Wuhan University
Xiamen University
Zhejiang University

HONG KONG

Chinese University of Hong Kong
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
University of Hong Kong

JAPAN

Hitotsubashi University
Hokkaido University
International Christian University
Keio University
Kyoto University
Kyushu University
Nagoya University

Rikkyo University
University of Tsukuba
Tohoku University
Toyo Bunko
University of Tokyo
Waseda University

KOREA

Chonnam National University
Ewha Womans University
Hanyang University
Korea University
Kyung Hee University
Kyungpook National University
Pusan National University
Seoul National University
Sogang University
Sungkyunkwan University
Yonsei University

SINGAPORE

National University of Singapore

TAIWAN

Academia Sinica
National Chengchi University
National Taiwan University
National Tsing Hua University

THAILAND

Chiang Mai University
Chulalongkorn University

VIETNAM

University of Social Sciences and Humanities, Ho Chi Minh City
Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences
Vietnam National University, Hanoi

Opportunities for HYI Alumni

HYI PUBLICATION GRANT

In order to encourage publication of high-quality academic monographs issuing from a research stay at the Harvard-Yenching Institute, the Institute invites applications from HYI alumni for a subsidy to facilitate publication by a reputable press. This Publication Grant will be awarded on a competitive basis to authors who are former HYI visiting scholars or fellows. Please visit www.harvard-yenching.org/grants for more information.

AAS ANNUAL MEETING: TRAVEL GRANT AND HYI RECEPTION

Each year, the Institute holds a reception and sponsors a keynote speaker from Asia at the Association for Asian Studies annual meeting. The Institute also offers a travel grant for alumni who are presenting a paper which has been accepted by the AAS program committee as part of the annual meeting. Details are available at www.harvard-yenching.org/aas-annual-meeting. For more information on AAS, please visit www.asian-studies.org.

WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING PROGRAMS IN ASIA

The Institute strongly encourages alumni to organize workshops, conferences or training programs at our partner institutions in Asia. If you would like to discuss potential HYI support for an event or program, please email us. For examples of past training programs, visit www.harvard-yenching.org/training-programs.

ASSOCIATE PROGRAM

This program is designed to provide an opportunity for past affiliates of the Harvard-Yenching Institute to return to Harvard for 3 months to a year, with their own funding, to conduct new or additional research in their respective fields. The Associate Program is limited to past Harvard-Yenching Institute grantees. For terms and conditions, visit www.harvard-yenching.org/associate-program.

ALUMNI DATABASE

The HYI alumni database contains a listing of all HYI alumni and their current affiliations, research interests, recent publications, etc. Please visit www.harvard-yenching.org to update your listing. If you cannot find your alumni profile, please contact us and we'll create one for you.



SUBMIT NEWS AND RECENT PUBLICATIONS

If you would like to share news or information on a recent publication, please contact the Institute. We publish Alumni News and Recent Publications by HYI-Affiliated Scholars on our website.

NEW FRONTIERS IN ASIAN SCHOLARSHIP

New Frontiers in Asian Scholarship is a feature on our website which highlights recent Asian-language books and important articles published in East and Southeast Asia, relating to the humanities and social sciences, with an emphasis on Asian culture. If you would like to submit a brief book review, please contact us.

WORKING PAPER SERIES

The Harvard-Yenching Institute is pleased to make available working papers by HYI affiliated scholars on topics in the humanities and social sciences, with special attention to the study of Asian culture. The HYI Working Paper Series welcomes submissions from alumni. Scholars are invited to post papers either in English or in an Asian language. To view current papers, go to www.harvard-yenching.org/working-paper-series.



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Alumni Profiles

To date over a thousand faculty from Asia have received Institute fellowships and over 300 doctoral scholars have received their degrees with Institute support. Over the past several decades, HYI affiliates have organized alumni conferences throughout East and Southeast Asia. Below are profiles of several former HYI scholars and grantees.



Aoyama Waka

THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO, JAPAN

Visiting Scholar, 2013-2014

Dr. Waka Aoyama is an associate professor at the Institute for Advanced Studies on Asia, the University of Tokyo, where she teaches urban economy in the global south at the Graduate School of Economics. Her experience as a HYI Visiting Scholar led her to broaden her research scope to include religion and economy in insular Southeast Asia. She is presently working on a case study of the Sama-Bajau conversion to Pentecostal Christianity in the Southern Philippines while continuing her effort to (re-)write ethnographies in collaboration with the community in her research site. Her publications include *An Ethnography of Poverty: Socio-economic Life of Five Sama Families in Davao City, Philippines* (The University of Tokyo Press, 2006), and *Living with Aid: Development Project Observed from Multiple Perspectives* (co-authored, Daigaku-kyoiku Shuppan, 2010).



Cho Young-hun

KOREA UNIVERSITY, SOUTH KOREA

Visiting Fellow, 2004-2005

Dr. Cho is currently an associate professor in the Department of History Education at Korea University, Seoul, South Korea. His research focuses on Chinese socio-economic history during the Ming-Qing period. He received his PhD from Seoul National University in 2006, focusing on "The Grand Canal and Huizhou Merchants in Late Imperial China." In 2011 he published a book on the topic entitled *The Grand Canal and Chinese Merchants, 1415-1784: The Rise and Growth of Huizhou Merchants in the Huai-Yang Region* (Minumsa: Seoul). He has also translated Timothy Brook's *The Troubled Empire: China in the Yuan and Ming Dynasties* into Korean. His current research interests include Beijing and the changing auxiliary capitals in late imperial China, the silver trade, long-distance transportation, Huizhou merchants, and the Seventeenth-Century Crisis. He is presently working on a new book entitled *The Age of the Grand Canal, 1415-1784: Why did China hesitate to open Maritime Trade?*



Ge Zhaoguang

FUDAN UNIVERSITY, CHINA

Coordinate Research Scholar, 2009 & 2014

Ge Zhaoguang is Distinguished Professor of Fudan University, Shanghai, China. He served as Director of the National Institute for Advanced Humanistic Studies at Fudan University from 2007-2013. His research interests include ancient East Asian and Chinese religion, culture, and history. His publications include *A History of Chinese Zen Buddhist Thought: From the Sixth to Ninth Century* (1995), *An Intellectual History of China* (Volumes 1-2, 1998, 2000), and *Here Was China: Reconstructing the Historical Narratives about "China"* (2011). He has been a visiting professor or visiting scholar at the City University of Hong Kong, National Taiwan University, Kyoto University, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Princeton University, and the University of Chicago. He was as a Coordinate Research Scholar at the Harvard-Yenching Institute in 2009 and 2014.



Shih-chung Tristan Hsieh

NATIONAL TAIWAN UNIVERSITY, TAIWAN

Visiting Scholar, 1997-1998

Dr. Shih-chung Tristan Hsieh received his PhD in Anthropology from the University of Washington in 1989, and has taught at the Department of Anthropology, National Taiwan University since then. Professor Hsieh is an expert on Tai culture, including the Tai-speaking peoples in southernmost China and Laos. He has extensive field experience in contemporary Laos, including research on Laotian immigrants now living in western countries. He is also interested in the Ainu ethnicity and cultural revival in Hokkaido, Japan. Prof. Hsieh's goal is to compare the two cases (in Southeast Asia and North Asia), specifically looking at the relationships between indigenous people and national culture.



Ido Misato

KYOTO INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, JAPAN

Visiting Fellow, 2010-2011

Ido Misato received her PhD from the Interdisciplinary Cultural Studies Department, the University of Tokyo (2011). Her doctoral dissertation investigated the visual representations and symbolic meanings of pre-modern Japanese genre paintings. As a lecturer at the Kyoto Institute of Technology, she researches medieval Japanese art in multimedia and international contexts, paying particular attention to folding screens and the spaces within which they were appreciated. She is a recipient of a grant from the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (2015-), and is currently conducting an international collaborative research project on East Asian Art with previous Yenching fellows.



Kim Jang Hwan

YONSEI UNIVERSITY, SOUTH KOREA

Visiting Scholar, 2004-2005

Dr. Kim Jang Hwan is a professor and currently chair of the Department of Chinese Language and Literature, Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea. His research areas include Chinese traditional philology, Chinese ancient fictions, cultural ideology of the Six Dynasties, and Korean Chinese Literature and translation studies, especially Chinese literary sketches. He has published over 40 papers, 10 books and 50 translations, including "The Circulation and Study of the *Shishuo Xinyu* in Korea" (*Early Medieval China* 12, 2008), *Anthology of Chinese Literature* (3 volumes, 2010) and annotated translations of *Shishuo Xinyu* 世說新語 (3 volumes, 2000, 2008 revised edition), *Taiping Guangji* 太平廣記 (21 volumes, 2005), and *Tang Zhiyan* 唐摭言 (2 volumes, 2013).



Moon Kyungnam

TOHOKU GAKUIN UNIVERSITY, JAPAN

Visiting Fellow, 2013-2014

Moon Kyungnam is Associate Professor in the Department of Language and Culture at Tohoku Gakuin University in Sendai, Japan. He received his Ph.D. from the Department of Comparative Literature and Culture, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, the University of Tokyo. His research areas include ancient Western philosophy, with a primary focus on Aristotle, and contemporary analytic philosophy. His dissertation looked at the explanatory interpretation of Aristotle's hylomorphism and its impact on contemporary philosophy of mind. Influenced by many of his colleagues at the Harvard-Yenching Institute, he became interested in the history of the reception of Aristotelian philosophy in East Asian countries, and plans to expand his research scope in the near future.



Apiwat Ratanawaraha

CHULALONGKORN UNIVERSITY, THAILAND

Doctoral Scholar, 2000-2003; Visiting Scholar, 2014-2015

Apiwat Ratanawaraha teaches in the Department of Urban and Regional Planning and serves as an adviser at the Urban Design and Development Center at Chulalongkorn University in Bangkok. He has also been a visiting assistant professor at the MIT Department of Urban Studies and Planning. His recent research includes projects on city innovations in Southeast Asian megacities, land grabbing and land policy in Thailand, and informal sectors and urban development in Bangkok. He is the editor of *Innovation Systems in Southeast Asia* and co-author of a volume entitled *Scenarios of Thai Life in 2033*. He co-founded Haak Square, a social enterprise that develops community-based social network portals for informal workers and low-income communities in Thailand. As a HYI Visiting Scholar, he conducted research on the history and political economy of urban standards in Thailand, and completed a manuscript for his new book on the land economy of Thailand.

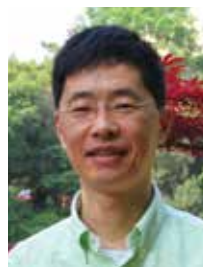


Wu Fengshi

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, SINGAPORE

Visiting Scholar 2008-2009

Dr. Wu Fengshi is an associate professor at the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. Trained in political science, she is a leading expert on China's environmental politics and socio-political activism, and her recent publications include "Web 2.0 and Political Engagement in China" (*International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations*, forthcoming), "Environmental Activism and Protest in East Asia" (in *Routledge Handbook of Environment and Society in Asia*, 2014), and "Sino-American Environmental Relations: The Potential of Trans-Societal Linkages" (*Issues and Studies*, Vol. 49/3, 2013). Dr. Wu is currently working on a book manuscript of civil society in China partly based on the research she conducted at HYI. She was among the inaugural class of Graduate Fellows of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences in 2004.



Yang Yang

EAST CHINA NORMAL UNIVERSITY, CHINA

Visiting Scholar, 2005-2006

Yang Yang is a professor and doctoral supervisor at East China Normal University, where he focuses on modern and contemporary Chinese literature. His publications include the books *A Study of Mao Dun's Early Thought on Literature*, *The Commercial Publisher: The Rise and Fall of Publishing Industry in Chinese Civil Society*, and *A Study on Shanghai Literature since the New Century*. As vice president of the Shanghai Writers' Association, he judges the Lu Xun Literature Prize and the Mao Dun Literature Prize. Dr. Yang is a recipient of the "Dawn Scholar" prize from the Shanghai Education Commission and the "New Century Excellent Talents" prize from the Ministry of Education, China, and is accredited as Chair Professor by the Shanghai Theatre Academy. Dr. Yang has hosted many important academic programs, including "Modernization Progress and Cultural Transformation of Chinese Society," approved by the Ministry of Education of China, and "Internationalization and National Education – a Literature Volume," approved by the National Social Science Fund.

Publications & Projects

HJAS and HYI Monograph Series



HARVARD JOURNAL OF ASIATIC STUDIES

Since 1936 the *Harvard Journal of Asiatic Studies* (HJAS) has without interruption published outstanding original research and in-depth reviews of books about China, Japan, Korea, and Inner Asia. HJAS publishes the highest-quality scholarship in a multidisciplinary forum that includes premodern and modern literature, art history, and religious studies; digital humanities; premodern history and social science; and modern history and humanistic social science through the mid-twentieth century.

The journal values analytically rigorous articles that place

specialized research findings in a broader context for scholars working across East and Inner Asia. HJAS occasionally publishes clusters of articles that present focused and vibrant debate on specific topics. The Editor is David L. Howell, Professor of Japanese History at Harvard University. The Managing Editor is Melissa J. Brown.

For a complete run of back issues online, with a five-year moving wall, see JSTOR (www.jstor.org). Starting with Volume 69 (2009), issues are also available through Project MUSE (muse.jhu.edu). For more information, please visit www.hjas.org.

HARVARD-YENCHING INSTITUTE MONOGRAPH SERIES

Overseen by the Asia Center Publications Program, the Harvard-Yenching Institute Monograph Series consists of over 100 titles. Recent publications include *Transgressive Typologies: Constructions of Gender and Power in Early Tang China* (Rebecca Doran), *Li Mengyang, the North-South Divide, and Literati Learning in Ming China* (Ong Chang Woei), *Bannermen Tales* (Zidishu): *Manchu Storytelling and Cultural Hybridity in the Qing Dynasty* (Elena Suet-Ying Chiu), and *Upriver Journeys: Diaspora and Empire in Southern China, 1570–1850* (Steven B. Miles).

For more information, please visit asiacenter.harvard.edu/publications.

Support for Publications in Asia

CHINESE PUBLICATION SERIES

The Institute is a supporter of the following independently published journals and books in China:

Title (English)	SDX and HYI Academic Series	China Scholarship
Title (Chinese)	三联哈佛燕京学术丛书	中國學術
Editor	Zeng Cheng	Liu Dong
Publication	Since 1997	Since 2000
Frequency	6-8 titles per year	Biannual



NTU & HYI ACADEMIC BOOK SERIES

The NTU & HYI Academic Book Series, published by National Taiwan University Press, is a collaboration between the Harvard-Yenching Institute and the College of Liberal Arts of National Taiwan University. The Series publishes scholarly monographs in Chinese which make a major original contribution to the humanities and social sciences.



VIETNAMESE PUBLICATION SERIES

Responding to the urgent need for an interdisciplinary, high-quality, peer-reviewed and independent academic publication in Vietnam, the Harvard-Yenching Institute now supports a scholarly series that concentrates on various disciplines of the humanities and social sciences. The first three-year plan of the series includes volumes on anthropology, literature, sociology, history and archeology, philosophy and religion, and cultural studies. Six books dedicated to these disciplines will be printed in Vietnamese. The first book in anthropology, *The Transformation of Religions and Religious Beliefs in Vietnam Today*, came out in 2008. The second book in the series, *Literary Study in Vietnam: Possibilities and Challenges*, was published in 2009. The third book in the series, published in 2011, is titled *Historical Heritage and New Approaches*. The fourth book, *Cultural Heritage in Vietnamese Contemporary Society*, was published in 2014.

The following two publication series can be found on the HYI website, www.harvard-yenching.org:

HYI WORKING PAPER SERIES

The Harvard-Yenching Institute is pleased to make available working papers by HYI-affiliated scholars on topics in the humanities and social sciences, with special attention to the study of Asian culture. Visit www.harvard-yenching.org/working-paper-series to browse the series.

NEW FRONTIERS IN ASIAN SCHOLARSHIP BOOK REVIEW SERIES

This series highlights recent books and important articles published in Asian languages, relating to the humanities and social sciences, with an emphasis on Asian culture. Book reviews can be found on our website at www.harvard-yenching.org/new-frontiers-asian-scholarship.





The Harvard-Yenching Institute is an independent foundation dedicated to advancing higher education in Asia in the humanities and social sciences, with special attention to the study of Chinese culture. The Institute supports scholarly initiatives intended to promote graduate and post-graduate research in Asian studies (and other topics in the humanities and social sciences) and to increase scholarly communication among Asian scholars and between them and their counterparts in other regions of the world.

New Initiatives

SUPPORT FOR RESEARCH AND NEW INITIATIVES IN ASIA

The Harvard-Yenching Institute is committed to its tradition of serving as a resource for Asian scholars. Therefore, in addition to its scholarship programs, the Institute regularly supports scholarly work, advanced training programs and conferences in Asia. These projects help to make basic reference materials available to researchers and encourage further research in Asia. Recent initiatives or events supported by the Institute include a number of training programs held in Asia and international conferences on “20th Century Chinese Revolution and its Historical Legacy,” “The Dilemma of Colonial Language Reform Movements in East Asia,” and “Modern Chinese Higher Education in a Global Perspective.”

ADVANCED TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR FIELD DEVELOPMENT

The Advanced Training Program is a recent initiative of the Harvard-Yenching Institute, in which a small group of promising young Asian scholars in particular fields of the humanities and social sciences are selected and brought together either at Harvard or in Asia. The Training Programs held in Cambridge involve close work with eminent scholars at Harvard and other major universities in the United States. The Training Program visiting scholars and fellows join academic activities organized by the academic community at large. The programs aim to increase scholars' knowledge of new work in their field and to foster collaborative work as a community. Recent training programs held at Harvard University include Mesoamerican Archaeology (2016-17), led by Professors Rowan Flad and William Fash of the Archaeology Department, Tibetan Studies (2012-14), led by Professor Leonard van der Kuijp in the Department of South Asian Studies, Art History (2010-12), led by Professor Eugene Wang in the Department of History of Art and Architecture, and Comparative Literature (2008-2010), led by Professor Stephen Owen in the Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations.



The Harvard-Yenching Institute also co-sponsors training programs held in Asia. The programs seek to bring together students and scholars from different disciplines across Asia and beyond to create a new network conducive to collaborative research. As part of the programs, HYI and its co-sponsoring institutions organize a series of lectures (including several by Harvard faculty). Following the conclusion of each training program, a small number of outstanding trainees may be invited to come to the Institute for a one-year research stay during the next academic year.

The Institute's most recent training programs in Asia:

From Empirical Research to Theorization: Contributions of the Study of China to Political Science and Political Theory

JUNE 2016 Co-sponsored with the School of Government, Sun Yat-sen University, in partnership with the School of International Relations and Public Affairs, Fudan University, and the School of Government, Nanjing University, held in Guangzhou

Humanities, Social Sciences and Medicine in East Asia: Interdisciplinary Approaches

AUGUST 2015 & AUGUST 2016 Co-sponsored with the Hong Kong Institute for the Humanities and Social Sciences at the University of Hong Kong, the Institute of Medical Humanities and Center for History of Medicine at Peking University, and the Key Research Institute of Social History of China at Nankai University, held in Beijing and Tianjin

Qualitative Methods in the Study of Chinese Politics: History and Ethnography

JUNE 2015 Co-sponsored with the School of Government at Nanjing University, Fudan University, and Sun Yat-sen University, held in Nanjing

New Departures in Comparative and World Literature Studies: Themes and Methods

JUNE 2014 Co-sponsored with the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, Tsinghua University; the Center for Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies, Tsinghua University, held in Beijing

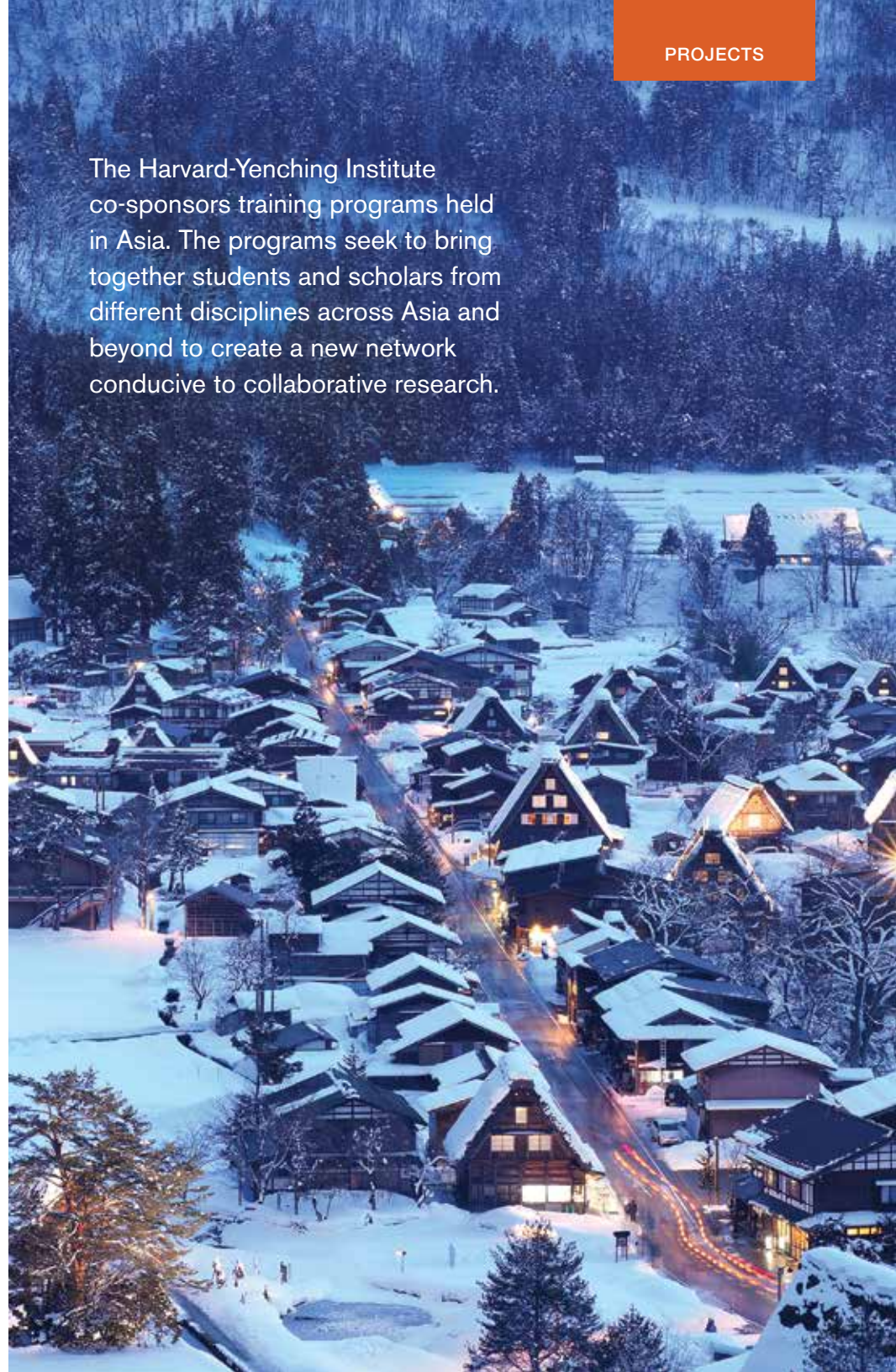
Urban Studies Training Program

JUNE 2013 & AUGUST 2014 Co-sponsored with East China Normal University and the Hong Kong Institute for Humanities and Social Sciences, held in Shanghai and Hong Kong



Participants in the 2016 Training Program on "From Empirical Research to Theorization: Contributions of the Study of China to Political Science and Political Theory," held in Guangzhou.

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Events

Academic Events

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

Each year the Harvard-Yenching Institute sponsors conferences and workshops on the humanities and social sciences, with a particular focus on Asian culture, both at Harvard and at academic institutions in Asia. Recent HYI-sponsored events at Harvard include "Intermediation and Sensibilities: New Media Poetics in Modern China," "Diffusion and Transformation of Trusts: From England to East Asia," and "The Time-Capsule Prince: The Sedgwick 'Shōtoku Taishi At Age Two' and the Horizons of Medieval Japanese Religious Art."



HYI ANNUAL ROUNDTABLE

Each spring the Harvard-Yenching Institute holds a roundtable at Harvard University. The roundtables are intended to introduce the work of leading Asia-based scholars on issues of interest and concern across Asia. Previous sessions have focused on such topics as "Asian Studies in Asia," "Asian Archaeology: Recent Discoveries and Controversies," "Civil Society in East Asia," "Cross-National Lessons: What are East Asian Countries Learning from Each Other Today?," "State Capacity and Local Governance: China and India Compared," "Varieties of Asian Socialism: China, India, Vietnam," and "Explaining the Rise of China: A Challenge to Western Social Science Theories?"

LUNCH TALK SERIES

During the fall and spring semesters, each HYI Visiting Scholar is asked to give a presentation on his or her current research for the Harvard community. These lunchtime talks provide the opportunity for scholarly exchange and promote an academic community within and beyond the Institute. Talks are also occasionally given by invited professors from Harvard and other universities and colleges. Events in the talk series are open to the public and are listed on the Events section of our website, www.harvard-yenching.org.

EVENTS OUTSIDE HARVARD

Each year, the Institute holds a reception at the Association for Asian Studies annual meeting. The Institute also offers a travel grant program for current and former scholars and fellows to attend the AAS meeting. Details are available at the Institute website. In addition to the AAS reception, HYI also sponsors alumni conferences and workshops in Asia, organized by HYI alumni and/or Harvard faculty. Recent HYI-sponsored events in Asia include "Recent Trends in Buddhist Research" (held in Hangzhou, China); and "Culturally Mediated Environmental Issues: Ecological Connectedness in East Asia" (held in Nagoya, Japan).

Social Events

Each year the Harvard-Yenching Institute organizes a series of social events and outings for its affiliates, including holiday celebrations and tours in Cambridge, Boston, and New England. All HYI fellowship recipients are welcome to join HYI's social activities during their year in residence.



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— 哈佛燕京學社社長、哈佛大學政治學系裴宜理教授

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—Elizabeth J. Perry, Giám đốc Viện Harvard-Yenching, Giáo sư Quý Henry Rosovsky, Khoa Chính trị học, Đại học Harvard

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