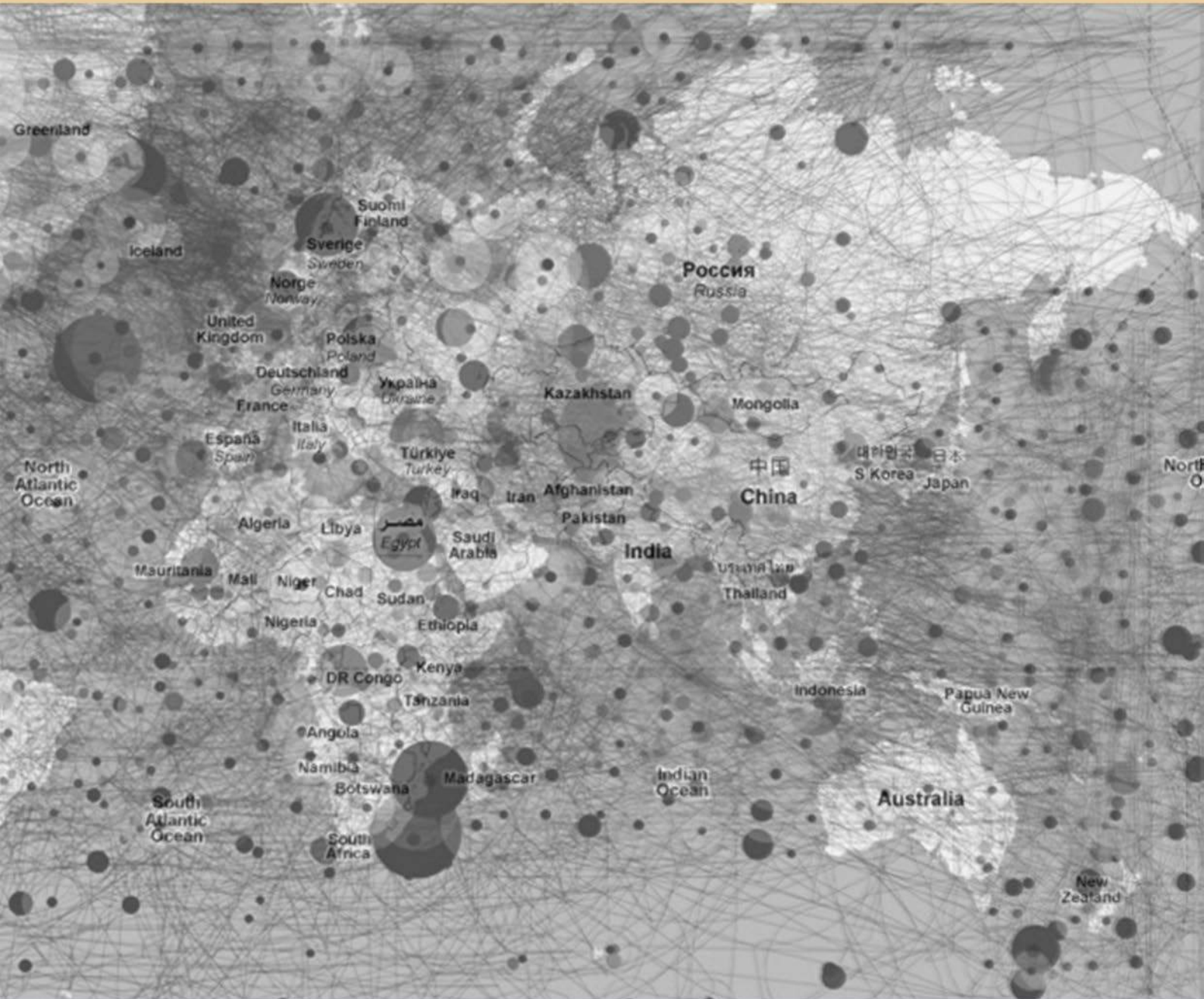


The 2nd Center for Global Asia & Global Perspectives on Society
Young Scholars Symposium on “Asia and the World”

Asia Mobility



April 18–19, 2019
1505 NYU Shanghai

Overview



This second annual symposium brings together undergraduates and graduate students, as well as postdoctoral fellows researching at NYU Shanghai, whose work examines and expands the ever-changing intellectual boundaries of academic scholarship on China, Asia and the broader world. Inaugurating this two-days event, Patrick Manning (Professor Emeritus of History, University of Pittsburgh) will deliver a special keynote address on "Three Eras of Asian Migration: Pleistocene, Holocene, and Anthropocene." The research of these young scholars represents some of the newest and most dynamic directions in the fields of anthropology, art history, history, literature, film, and Chinese studies.



Day 1

Thursday, April 18, 2019

10:30-10:45 Coffee/Tea

10:45-11:00 Welcome Remarks

Duane Corpis (Associate Professor of History, NYUSH)

Panel 1: Agile East Asia

Chair: Lena Scheen (Assistant Professor, NYUSH)

11:00-12:00 Travis Shutz (PhD Candidate, Binghamton University)
Mobile, Agile, Hostile: Maritime Mobility, Violence, and Territoriality in Sixteenth Century Ming China

Elke Papelitzky (CGA Postdoctoral Fellow)
Sailing Routes on Chinese, Japanese, and Korean Maps

12:00-13:45 Lunch Break

13:45-14:15 Poster Session: SoYoung & Beautiful

Serena Clarisse Go Uy (GCS Major, NYUSH)
Tensions of SoYoung: Social Media Platforms and the Discourse on Plastic Surgery in China

Panel 2: Tricky Southeast Asia

Chair: Duane Corpis (Associate Professor and Co-Director of GPS, NYUSH)

14:15-15:45 Weilin Pan (CGA-ARC Postdoctoral Fellow)
The British China Tin Trade and Tin Mining in Nineteenth Century Southeast Asia

Florence Nick (General Visiting Student NYUSH / Graduate Student, United Nations University and University of Bonn)
Environmental Governance of Transboundary Haze from Forest Fires in Indonesia

Dada Docot (GPS Fellow)
Tricky Contracts in Precarious Times: Filipino Teachers in China



Day 1

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Thursday, April 18, 2019

17:30-19:00 Keynote Address

Venue: Room 1504

Patrick Manning (Andrew W. Mellon Professor of World History, Emeritus, University of Pittsburgh)

Three Eras of Asian Migration: Pleistocene, Holocene, and Anthropocene

Introduction by Joanna Waley-Cohen (Provost and Professor of History, NYUSH; Julius Silver Professor of History, New York University)

Day 2

Friday, April 19, 2019

10:00-10:30 Coffee/Tea

Panel 3: Mobile Images

Chair: Michelle Hyun (Director of the NYUSH Art Gallery)

10:30-12:00 Fared Ben-Youssef & Rebecca Ehrenwirth (GPS Fellows)
Painting a Rainbow: Border Crossing and Refuge at the Shanghai Queer Film Festival

Fan Zhang (GPS Fellow)

Migration of Image: Artistic Exchange Between Hexi and Pingcheng in Early Medieval China

Roslynn Ang (GPS Fellow)

Mediating Indigeneity: Representing, Appropriation, Consumption and Resistance

12:00-13:45 Lunch Break



Day 2

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Friday, April 19, 2019

Panel 4: The Weird Nineteenth Century

Chair: Zhao Lu (Assistant Professor, NYUSH)

13:45-15:15 Vidhya Raveendranathan (CGA Doctoral Fellow)
Mobile and Unruly Boatmen: Caste, Custom and Law in the Making of a late Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Urban Labor Force in Colonial Madras

Tapsi Mathur (GPS Fellow)
In the Service of Empire: Natives and Trans-frontier Exploration in India in the Nineteenth Century

Asligul Berktaý (GPS Fellow)
African Dwellings in a Brazilian City: Freed African Patterns of Land and Property Ownership in Nineteenth-Century Salvador da Bahia

15:15-15:30 Coffee/Tea Break

Panel 5: Complicated China

Chair: Tansen Sen (Director of CGA & Professor of History, NYUSH)

15:30-16:30 Savannah Billman (GCS Major, NYUSH)
Zhang Qian Goes West: Developing the Myth of Zhang Qian as Silk Road Founder

Shirley Zhao (GCS Major, NYUSH)
An Anti-Japanese Site? The Historical Narratives and Political Connotations at the Memorial for Victims in the Nanjing Massacre

Jeanne Le Galcher Baron (GCS Major, NYUSH)
The Impact of the Belt and Road Initiative on Global Environmental Governance

Concluding Remarks

Tansen Sen (Director of CGA & Professor of History, NYUSH)

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