International Conference

Mobility, Creativity, and Collectivity: Making Sites in Contemporary Korean Visual Culture

The Department of Asian Studies and The Harry S. Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

May 24-26, 2016

Day 1: May 24, Tuesday Beit Maiersdorf, room 405

16:30 - 17:00 Reception

17:00-17:15 Welcoming Remarks

Dr. Nissim Otmazgin, Chair of the Dept. of Asian Studies, The Hebrew University

17:15 - 18:15 Keynote Speech

Hong Kal, York University: Spectacle of the Public in Seoul

Day 2: May 25, Wednesday Abba Eban Hall, Truman Institute

09:30 - 10:00 Registration

10:00 - 10:30 Opening Remarks

Menahem Blondheim, Academic Director, The Harry S. Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace

Dr. Jooyeon Rhee, Director of Korean Studies Program

10:45 – 12:00 Panel I An Image War: Visualizing National Territory

Chair: Nissim Otmazgin, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Seunghyok Lee, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem: *Dokdo-Takeshima Dispute* and National Historical Narratives: Visual Media's Role in "Enlightening the Citizens" in South Korea and Japan

Chinsoo Bae, Northeast Asian History Foundation, Korea: Colonial Legacy and Contemporary Korean Visual Culture: The Case of Dokdo Sovereignty Issue

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch, Beit Maiersdorf

13:30 – 14:45 Panel II Wired Ways of Seeing: New Media, New Communication Chair: Jooyeon Rhee, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Je Yun Moon, University of London: From the Society of Text to the Society of Image: The Emergence of a New Communication Tactic in Internet Communities since the 1990s

Haerin Shin, Vanderbilt University: *Relocating the Emergence of Hallyu Entertainment: The Archetypal Function of South Korea's Dramatized Ballard Music Videos in the Mid to Late 1990s*

14:45 – 15:10 Coffee Break

15:10 - 16:40 Panel III Media and Community Building

Chair: Ira Lyan, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Ekaterina Pokholkova, Moscow State Linguistic University, Russia: South Korean Commercial Advertisements: Space for Social Advertising Inclusions

Su Young Choi, University of Massachusetts: *Mobile Imageries of Immobile Sit-Ins:* An Ethnographic Study of the Anti-765kV Transmission Tower Struggle of Miryang in South Korea

Bora Chung, Yonsei Univeristy and Liora Sarfati, Tel Aviv University: *Grief, Protest, and Material Creativity in the Commemoration of Sewŏl's Victims*

16:40 - 17:00 Coffee Break

17:00 - 18:15 Special Lecture

Theodore June Yoo, Yonsei University: Visualizing the Enemy: Mohammad Kansu (aka Jeong Su-il) and the Question of the 'Other' in South Korea

Day 3: May 26, Thursday Abba Eban Hall, Truman Institue

09:00 - 10:10 IV Seoul, Its Past and the Present

Chair: Wonhee Cho, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Maria V. Soldatova, Moscow State Linguistic University: Poetic Lines in Urban Space as an Element of Social Advertising: Gwanghwamun Poetry Placard

Barbara Wall, Hamburg University: The (Psycho)pathetic Prince and the Tile Wall Picture of Chŏngjo's Royal Procession to the City of Hwasŏng at the Ch'ŏnggye-ch'ŏn Stream

10:10 - 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 12:30 Panel V Reading Contemporary South Korea's Social Landscape through Visual Culture

Chair: Theodore Jun Yoo, Yonsei University, Korea

Yoo Seung-jin, Yonsei University, Korea: (Re)visualing Lee Man-Hee's Anti-Communist Films during an Era of Censorship

Moonim Baek, Yonsei University, Korea: Ethnicizing Masculinities in ROK Films

Man-Gang Lee, Yonsei University, Korea: Shifting Representations of Korea's Rural Landscape in Korean Television Dramas and Films

Yingqiu Zhao, Yonsei University, Korea: Screening Nostalgia in Korean Television Dramas: Space, Place, and the Past

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch, Beit Maiersdorf

14:00 – 15:10 Panel VI Gender and Visual Culture

Chair: Pablo Utin, Shenkar School of Art and Design

Heejung Shin, University of California, San Diego, USA: Western Princess Project

Jooyeon Rhee, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem: Feeding the Hungry Eyes: The "Mokppang" Phenomenon in South Korea

15:10 - 15:30 Coffee Break

15:30 - 16:30 Roundtable Discussion



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