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小倉山
Ogurayama

峰のもみじ葉
Mine no momijiba

心あらば
Kokoro araba

今ひとたびの
Ima hitotabi no

みゆきまたなむ
Miyuki matanamu

If the maple leaves
On Ogura mountain
Could only have hearts,
They would longingly await
The emperor's pilgrimage.

Translation by MacCauley, Clay.
Hyakunin-Isshu (Single Songs of a Hundred Poets)
Yokohama: Kelly and Walsh, 1917
Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the great city of Osaka, and to the Fifth Asian Conference on Media and Communication (MediAsia) and the Third Asian Conference on Film and Documentary (FilmAsia), which will again be held jointly this year, and will include the IAFOR International Documentary Film Awards.

The MediAsia and FilmAsia conference is an international conference that invites academics, practitioners, and researchers from around the world to meet and exchange ideas, to share in the development of intellectual discoveries, and to challenge dominant paradigms.

Although this conference is one of the smaller events held by IAFOR, the weekend will see 150 participants representing more than thirty countries, and I have every confidence that we will again see an amazing celebration of the very best in international, intercultural and interdisciplinary discussion, debate and research synergies.

I would like to thank the IAFOR International Director of Programme for Media and Film and 2014 conference chair Professor Gary Swanson, for his work in making the 2014 media conference programmes in Asia, Europe and North America such a success, as well as our plenary speakers: keynote speaker Professor Alec Klein of the Medill School of Journalism, Media, Integrated Marketing Communications at Northwestern University (USA), and plenary panelists Professor Richard Roth of the same institution and Dr Fatima Al Salem of Kuwait University. I would also like to thank featured speakers Professor Barry Natusch of Nihon University (Japan) and Beryl Hawkins of Temple University (Japan), as well as our spotlight speakers: Professor Joel Campbell of Troy University (Japan), Professor Stephen Ryan of Yamagata University (Japan), Tim Pollock of Hagoromo University of International Studies (Japan), and Dr Jamie Matthews of Bournemouth University (UK).

I have no doubt that we will all be able to use the time spent at this conference for intellectual discovery and the development of collaborative links and connections between the researchers, academics, scholars and practitioners who are attending, and I strongly encourage your active engagement throughout the event.

I look forward to meeting you all.

Dr Joseph Haldane, Ph.D. (London), F.R.A.S.
Executive Director, IAFOR
Getting to the Conference Venue

The Osaka International Convention Center is:
- a 1 minute walk from exit 2 of Keihan Nakanoshima Station (Keihan Nakanoshima Line)
- a 10 minute walk from exit 1 of Awaza Subway Station (Sennichimae Line)
- a 10 minute shuttle bus ride from JR Osaka Station

Shuttle Bus Access

The adjacent Rihga Royal Hotel operates a free shuttle bus service between the city’s main rail hub - JR Osaka Station* - and the hotel. The bus departs from the west side of the station, close to the Sakura-bashi exit. The journey takes 10 minutes, however, as there are limited seats on the bus, there may be a wait to board the bus at peak times.

Operating Hours: 07:45 to 22:15

07:45 - 10:00 every 15 minutes
10:00 - 21:00 every 6 minutes
21:00 - 22:15 every 15 minutes

*JR Kansai Airport Rapid Service trains between Kansai International Airport and Osaka run every 30 minutes

Information and Registration

If you have already paid online or by bank transfer, you will be able to pick up your registration pack at the Conference Registration and Information Desk. At this time you will also be given a name card. For those wishing to pay on the day, please note that we are able to accept credit cards, however, we cannot accept payment in foreign currencies.

The Conference Registration and Information Desk will be located at the following locations during the conference:

- Thursday 15:00-17:00 - 1F Lobby of the Rihga Royal Hotel
- Friday 08:00-12:00 - 10F Osaka International Convention Center
- Friday 12:30-17:00 - Sushiro Room - Rihga Royal Hotel 6F
- Saturday 08:30-17:00 - Kaede Room - Rihga Royal Hotel 2F
- Sunday 08:30-15:30 - Kaede Room - Rihga Royal Hotel 2F

If you have any questions or concerns, IAFOR staff and local volunteers will happily assist you in any way they can.
Thursday, November 13, 2014

8:30-17:30: Pre-Conference Tour of Osaka
This is ticketed at 9,000 JPY and is by advanced reservation only.
For more information, please email us at conferences@iafor.org.
If you are registered for the tour, please meet in the Rihga Royal Hotel 1F lobby at 8:15 AM for a prompt 8:45 AM departure.

15:00-17:00: Conference Registration & Information Desk Open (1F Lobby)

18:00-19:30: Conference Welcome Reception (Saint-Louis Amuse 1F)
To open the conference, come and enjoy a few glasses of beer, wine, sake, or a choice of soft drinks if you prefer. You can meet with fellow delegates, network, and enjoy the night view of Osaka.

The reception venue is located on the riverside across the street from the Rihga Royal Hotel (see map). All registered attendees are welcome. Join us directly at the venue or meet us in the lobby of the Rihga Royal Hotel at 17:50.

Friday, November 14, 2014

9:00-12:00: Welcome, Keynote Speaker, and Featured Speaker Session (OICC 10F)

9:00-9:15: Welcome & Introductory Addresses (OICC 10F)
Kiyoshi Mana, IAFOR 2014 Director of Events
Joseph Haldane, IAFOR Executive Director

9:15-10:00: MediaAsia FilmAsia Keynote Speaker (OICC 10F)
Alec Klein, Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University, USA

10:00-10:50: Featured Panel: Mainstream Media vs the Citizen Journalist - What is the impact of new and emerging digital formats and the rise of social media on the role of the traditional journalist or broadcaster? (OICC 10F)
Gary E. Swanson, The University of Northern Colorado, USA
Alec Klein, Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University, USA
Richard J. Roth, Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University, USA
Fatima AlSalem, Kuwait University, Kuwait

10:50-11:15: Coffee Break

11:15-12:00: IAFOR International Documentary Film Awards (OICC 10F)
Gary E. Swanson, The University of Northern Colorado, USA

12:00-12:10: Conference Photograph (OICC 1F)

12:10-13:00: Lunch Break

13:00-14:30: Parallel Session I (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)

14:30-14:45: Break

14:45-16:45 Parallel Session II (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)

18:30-21:30: A Night Out in Osaka: Official Conference Dinner
The official conference dinner will be held in a downtown Osaka izakaya, and provides a relaxed and enjoyable environment to meet and network with other delegates. This is ticketed at 5,000 JPY and there are a limited number of places; pre-reservation is required. The party will leave the Rihga Royal Hotel lobby at 18:30, so please be there in good time. The venue is a 15 minute walk away. The conference dinner will begin at 19:00 at the venue and will finish at 21:00. Afterwards, a group will be lead back to the hotel or you can continue the party with other delegates.
Saturday, November 15, 2014

9:00-10:30: Parallel Session I (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)
10:30-10:45: Break
10:45-12:15: Parallel Session II & Poster Session I (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 2F & 6F)
12:15-13:00: Lunch Break
12:15-13:00: Calligraphy Workshop (Kaede Room - Rihga Royal Hotel 2F)
Japanese Calligraphy Workshop by students from Ritsumeikan University
13:00-14:30: Parallel Session III (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)
14:30-14:45: Break
14:45-15:45 Saturday Spotlight Sessions (Suehiro & Ohgi Rooms - Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)
15:45-16:00: Break
16:00-16:45 Saturday Featured Presentation (Kaede Room - Rihga Royal Hotel 2F)
Barry Natusch, Nihon University, Japan
Beryl Hawkins, Temple University, Japan

Sunday, November 16, 2014

9:00-10:30: Parallel Session I (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)
10:30-10:45: Break
10:45-12:15: Parallel Session II (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)
12:15-13:00: Lunch Break
13:00-14:30: Parallel Session III (various rooms Rihga Royal Hotel 6F)
14:30-14:45: Break
14:45-15:15 MediaAsia FilmAsia 2014 Conference Closing Address (Kaede Room - Rihga Royal Hotel 2F)
Join us for a conference highlights photography slideshow and closing remarks from IAFOR Executive Director, Dr. Joseph Haldane and Conference Chair Professor Gary E. Swanson.

Monday, November 17, 2014

8:00-18:30 Post-Conference Tour of Kyoto
This is ticketed at 12,000 JPY and is by advanced reservation only. For more information, please check with the Registration and Information Desk. If you are registered for the tour, please meet in the Rihga Royal Hotel lobby at 8:00 AM for a prompt 8:30 AM departure.
What to Wear & Bring
Attendees generally wear business casual attire. You may want to bring a light jacket or sweater as the temperature in meeting rooms is often difficult to control.

Smoking
The Rihga Royal Hotel and Osaka International Convention Center have implemented a Clean Indoor Air Act; therefore, smoking is not permitted in any of the conference rooms. Please smoke only in designated areas.

Internet Access
There will be a free WiFi internet connection throughout the conference areas. However, this can be unreliable and we would strongly suggest that you do not rely on a live connection for your presentation.

To access the WiFi the following accounts can be accessed:
In the Rihga Royal Hotel (1F, 2F): RIHGERoyal - password: 20145368
In the OICC: FREE-OICC - password: grandcube

For your convenience, there will also be a limited number of computers at the Conference Information Desk.

Printing
There will be a printer behind the Conference Information Desk, and we are able to offer a complimentary printing service of up to ten A4 sheets should you need this. Please be advised that printing may not be available at peak times.

For additional printing needs the Osaka International Convention Center 11F Business Center offers a wide range of copy and printing services at reasonable prices.

Badges
When you check in, you will receive a conference package, which includes your name badge. Wearing your badge is required for entrance to the sessions. If you lose your badge it can be replaced for a fee of JPY 5000. You must wear your badge at all times during the Conference.

If you are not wearing your badge, security may stop you and ask you to show your ID and evidence that you are registered. Those unable to show proof may be escorted from the Conference by security.

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- YELLOW: Keynote and Featured Speakers
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Refreshment Breaks
Complimentary coffee, tea, and water will be available at the plenary session throughout Friday morning on the 10F, on Friday afternoon in Suehiro Room (6F Rihga Royal Hotel), and Saturday & Sunday in Kaede Room (2F Rihga Royal Hotel). Light snacks will be provided once in the morning and once in the afternoon. Meals are not included in the conference registration fee, however, 10% discount vouchers for the following restaurants are available from the registration desk:
- Chambord (French) - Tower Wing 29F
- Bella Costa (Italian) - Annex 7F
- Remone (Buffet) - West Wing 1F
- Royal Ryuho (Chinese) - West Wing 15F
- Naniwa (BBQ) - B1F
- Nakanoshima (Japanese) - Tower Wing 30F

Meals can also be purchased at any of the restaurants in the Osaka International Convention Center (2F, 5F) or at restaurants or convenience stores in and around the local area.
Conference Welcome, Keynote Speaker & Featured Speaker Session: Friday 9:00-12:40
The plenary session will be held on Friday morning, with the event beginning at 9:00 AM on the Osaka International Convention Center 10F. Please arrive in good time if you wish to attend the session. There will be an interval after the first keynote address and complimentary refreshments and snacks will be served. The plenary session will be followed by the official conference photograph. Please arrive in good time if you wish to attend the session.

Parallel Speaker Sessions
Parallel Sessions will run from 13:30 on Friday afternoon, and from 9:00 AM on Saturday & Sunday morning. They are generally organized into streams. Sessions include two, three or sometimes four presenters. Each presenter has thirty minutes including Q and A time. The session length reflects the number of presenters.

Presentations and Equipment
All rooms will be equipped with a MacBook computer pre-installed with PowerPoint and Keynote, as well as a screen and an LCD projector. If you wish, you may directly link your own PC laptop, although we advise you to use the computer provided by plugging in your USB flash drive.

We recommend that you bring two copies of your presentation in the case that one fails, and suggest sending yourself the presentation by email as a third and final precaution.

Session Chairs
Session Chairs are expected to introduce themselves and other speakers (briefly), hand out presentation certificates at the end of the session, and ensure that the session begins and ends on time, and that the time is divided fairly between the presentations. Each presenter should have no less than 30 minutes in which to present his or her paper, and respond to any questions.

The session chair is asked to assume this timekeeping role, and to this end, a yellow and red timekeeping card is used as a visual cue for presenters, letting them know when they have 5 minutes remaining, and when they must stop.

Please follow the order in the programme, and if for any reason a presenter fails to show, please keep to the original timeslots as delegates use the programme to plan their attendance.

Presentation Certificates
Poster presenters can pick up a certificate of presentation from the Information Desk. All other presenters will receive a certificate of presentation from their session chair or a member of staff at the end of their session.

A Polite Request to All Participants
Participants are requested to arrive in a timely fashion for all addresses, whether to their own, or to those of other presenters. Presenters are reminded that the time slots should be divided fairly and equally between the number of presentations, and that they should not overrun.

We recommend that the 30 minutes presentation timeslot be divided as follows: 20 minutes for the paper and 10 minutes for Q and A.

Poster Sessions & Poster Requirements
The poster display boards are 1800mm high x 900mm wide. We are able to provide tape and pins. Please be aware that there are no on-site poster facilities for printing posters.

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All authors may have their full paper published in the online conference proceedings. Full text submission is due by January 1, 2015 through the online system. The proceedings will be published on February 1, 2015.

Authors will have PDF copies of their offprints emailed to them by the IAFOR office by March 15, 2015.

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Gary E. Swanson
Mildred S. Hansen Endowed Chair in Journalism
The University of Northern Colorado, USA

Gary E. Swanson is currently the Mildred S. Hansen Endowed Chair and Distinguished Journalist-in-Residence at the University of Northern Colorado, USA. From 2005-2007 Professor Swanson was a Fulbright scholar to China and lectured at Tsinghua University and the Communication University of China. In summer 2008 he was Commentator for China Central Television International (CCTV-9) and their live coverage of the Beijing Olympic Games. Swanson repeated his assignment covering the London Olympics for CCTV-4 in the summer of 2012. Previously, he was professor and director of television for nine years at the Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University where he taught mostly graduate broadcast students. He has been an educator for 26 years; 20 years spent teaching at the university level.

Swanson is an internationally recognized and highly acclaimed documentary producer; director; editor; photojournalist, consultant and educator. He has given keynote speeches, presented workshops and lectured at embassies, conferences, festivals, and universities in over 20 countries.

Swanson has compiled a distinguished professional broadcast career spanning 13 years: From 1978 to 1991, Swanson worked for the National Broadcasting Company where he was honored with national Emmys for producing and editing: ‘The Silent Shame’; a prime-time investigative documentary; ‘Military Medicine,’ a two-part investigative series on NBC News; and ‘Hotel Crime,’ an investigative news magazine piece. Swanson was an editor for ‘breaking news’ and features for NBC Nightly News with Tom Brokaw, the Today Show, Sunrise, Sunday Today, NBC Overnight, A Closer Look, Monitor; and other prime time news magazines. Swanson covered ‘breaking news’ in 26 states and Canada for the network including trips and campaigns of presidents Ronald Reagan, George Bush, and Bill Clinton.

Swanson was the Fulbright distinguished lecturer and consultant in television news to the government of Portugal in 1989, and in 1992, he covered the XXV Olympics in Barcelona, Spain for NBC News as field producer and cameraman.

Swanson has earned more than 75 awards for broadcast excellence and photojournalism including three national Emmy’s, the duPont Columbia Award; two CINE ‘Golden Eagles,’ 16 TELLY’s, the Monte Carlo International Award, the Hamburg International Media Festival’s Globe Award, the Videographer Award, The Communicator Award, the Ohio State Award, the CINDY Award, the 2011 Communitas Outstanding Professor and Educator award, the 2013 Professor of the Year award, and many others. He graduated from the University of Illinois at Urbana with a Bachelor’s degree in Education in 1974, and a Master’s degree in Journalism in 1993.

Featured Panel
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Room 1001 - OICC 10F
Alec Klein is an award-winning investigative journalist, bestselling author and professor at Northwestern University’s Medill School of Journalism, Media, Integrated Marketing Communications. Klein is also the director of The Medill Justice Project (www.medilljusticeproject.org) and the founder of the Journalism Justice Network (www.journalismjusticenetwork.org). Klein, a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Brown University, is the author of several plays, a novel and the foreword to the 2011 edition of Show Me The Money: Writing Business and Economics Stories for Mass Communication, a textbook adopted at universities across the US.

For two decades, Klein worked as a newspaper reporter, including several years as an investigative reporter at the Washington Post, until the summer of 2008 when he joined the Medill faculty as a professor. He previously worked at the Wall Street Journal, the Baltimore Sun and the Virginian-Pilot. His investigations have led to significant reforms, congressional hearings, federal law, criminal convictions and more than half a billion dollars in government fines. He gives speeches and conducts workshops throughout the country and abroad on investigative reporting and other issues.

At Medill, where he has been honoured for his teaching, Klein was named director of the Medill Innocence Project in spring 2011, revamping its operations across the board. Under Klein’s leadership, the Medill Innocence Project, now called The Medill Justice Project, has uncovered revelatory information, influenced legal proceedings and successfully challenged government agencies to abide by the First Amendment. With Klein’s guidance, The Medill Justice Project has won several journalism honours.

At The Medill Justice Project, Klein also has won Freedom of Information Act appeals and access to records in federal court. Klein created The Medill Justice Project’s first board of advisers, its first series of publications, including an innovative safety manual for student journalists, as well as its first fellowship, internship and visiting scholar programs. Klein has spoken at the National Press Foundation, the American Press Institute, the Society of Professional Journalists, Investigative Reporters and Editors, the Society of American Business Editors and Writers, Unity: Journalists of Color, and various newspapers and other media outlets, schools, associations, clubs and education groups. Klein has been a guest lecturer at several colleges, including the University of California at Berkeley, George Washington University and New York University. Klein has appeared on several television and radio programs, including CNN, CNBC, CBS and NPR as well as the BBC and TV Asahi.

Keynote Address: Investigating Wrongful Convictions around the World - Building an International Network to Examine Miscarriages of Justice

Historically, journalists and other members of the media have played an important role in uncovering and airing miscarriages of justice through published investigations, documentaries and other media forms. Since 1999, The Medill Justice Project has investigated potentially wrongful murder convictions in the United States, uncovering revelatory information that has impacted people’s lives and the criminal justice system. Wrongful convictions aren’t exclusive to the United States; they occur in every country. Recognizing a need for an international community of people and organizations focused on uncovering injustices in the criminal justice system, The Medill Justice Project has built the Journalism Justice Network to foster connections among those who examine law enforcement, the courts and correctional institutions. The Journalism Justice Network embraces the multitude of ideas and approaches the network’s members discuss as each tackles its own investigation related to the universal issues involving miscarriages of justice.
Richard J. Roth
Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University, USA

Richard J. Roth returned in Fall 2014 to Northwestern’s Evanston campus after six years at the Northwestern campus in Doha, Qatar, where he served as the school’s senior associate dean. Before going to Qatar to launch the journalism degree program there, he was senior associate dean of the Medill School of Journalism in Evanston for six years and associate dean for four years before that. Roth has been an educator since 1990, except for a brief stint as a guest editor at The Wall Street Journal in New York at the time that publication launched its online edition, then called wsj.ie.com, now wsj.com. Before going to The Journal, Roth was a tenured member of the English faculty at DePauw University in Greencastle, Ind., where he also served as the adviser to the award-winning student newspaper. Before academe, Roth was a newspaperman, having been editor-in-chief of the Tribune-Star in Terre Haute, Ind., and a reporter at the late, lamented Buffalo (N.Y.) Courier-Express. He has won dozens of awards for his reporting and writing. Roth is a member of the international advisory board of the International Academic Forum, which sponsors the annual MediAsia conference in Japan. In the past, Roth has served on the national board of directors of the Society of Professional Journalists, was an international vice president of The Newspaper Guild, president of the Indiana Associated Press Managing Editors association, and academic adviser to the U.S. Project for Excellence in Journalism. He has taught or made major presentations about journalism in India, Japan, Kuwait, Lesoto, Norway, South Korea, Spain and, of course, Qatar and the United States.

Fatima AlSalem
College of Arts, Kuwait University, Kuwait

Fatima AlSalem is an Assistant Professor of Mass Communication at Kuwait University. She received her M.S. degree in Global Strategic Communication from Florida International University in 2010 and then her PhD from Indiana University in 2013 with her thesis examining political communication and new media. Fatima has received extensive journalism training at Asharq Alawsat newspaper in London and has completed several other training programs in the United States in digital media, data analysis and new advertising techniques. In 2012 Fatima participated at both United Nations and the U.S Department of State programs in New York City focusing on the use of technology during conflicts. Currently, she is involved in several public opinion research projects with Alqabas newspaper as well as several research institutes. Academically, Fatima’s own research focus is centred around the effect of digital media on political participation in the Middle East, agenda-setting Arab’s public opinion, and digital media use analysis.

Featured Panel: Mainstream Media vs the Citizen Journalist - What is the impact of new and emerging digital formats and the rise of social media on the role of the traditional journalist or broadcaster?

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Led by Conference Chair Gary E. Swanson and discussed through the lens of the conference theme “Individual, Community & Society: Conflict, Resolution & Synergy,” the 2014 MediAsia Panel will engage and debate the ongoing challenges, implications and responses by the mainstream media and media educators, to the rapid rise of new digital forms and their effect on the international media landscape. This decade in particular has seen the emergence through social media of the citizen journalist. Whether by using blogs, Twitter, Facebook or other forms of new media or digital technology, the increasing role of the private citizen as journalist is seen by some as a ‘game-changer’ that threatens the professional media and traditional investigative journalism. How can the professional react? Do we fight back or embrace the rise of the citizen journalist? What are the tensions involved in this change?
Barry Natusch is a professor at the College of Economics, Nihon University in Tokyo, who specializes in international relations, economics, and sociolinguistics. He has taught linguistics at universities and now teaches undergraduate and graduate seminars in communication theory, management theory, language learning theory, and technology enhanced language learning. His publications relate to news analysis of economics and political stories, language used in films, lexicography, translation, visual media, sociolinguistics, stylistic analysis, museology, and language in technology. His current interests also lie in documentary filmmaking, particularly in stories of people who make contributions to international negotiations, the environment, technology and the arts.

Beryl Hawkins is an adjunct professor in the Communications Department at Temple University Japan and also lectures at Waseda University and Nihon University, where she teaches journalism, media and cultural theories. Previously she has worked as a radio journalist, talk show host, and producer for NBC's radio station in Washington D.C. As a media strategist in New York City, she developed national media campaigns, press events and advertising campaigns through her public relations career, working with national leaders and cultural and advocacy groups. Her research interests and publications include international news coverage of Asian affairs, stylistic analysis of media stories, performance and cultural theories.

Featured Presentation A Corpus Stylistics News Story Analysis of a Japan-China Faceoff - The Senkaku-Diaoyu Territorial Dispute

News coverage of the Japan-China territorial confrontation (Senkaku/Diaoyu Islands) reveals marked differences in the way the two countries present their claims. This study explores this issue by showing that Japanese descriptions of the argument are more neutrally presented, through restrained and hedged lexical choices without metaphorical allusions, resulting in a rational, somewhat abstract, and arguably weaker case being put forward. Chinese descriptions tend to be more hawkish in their choice of aggressive lexis and employ forceful metaphors resulting in a more emotive presentation of the issue. Japanese concerns about Chinese representations of the Senkaku/Diaoyu issue being more vivid are supported by the results of this study, but a less inflammatory, more reasoned approach, as followed by the Japanese news agencies, also has its merits.

The research question, drawing on a corpus of Japanese and Chinese news agency articles, such as those written by Kyodo and Xinhua, and other press articles was, “Do Japanese and Chinese news stories differ stylistically in their coverage of the Senkaku/Diaoyu dispute?” To examine this question, news agency articles written in English were collected using LexisNexis. Following the approach to analyzing journalism stylistics of Broersma (2010) and corpus stylistics principles of Mahlberg (2012), analysis of English language news stories targeted at an international readership was carried out focusing on tagged lexical and metaphorical items. Discussion is scaffolded using the stylistic concepts of foregrounding and deviance (Leech, 2008). The study advances the case for using corpus stylistics to parse journalistic texts.
Satuday Spotlight Session I (14:45-15:15)
Room: Ohgi - Rihga Royal Hotel 6F

Positioning the Audience? Social Semiotic Theory and Japanese Cinema
Tim Pollock, Hagoromo University of International Studies, Japan

About the Presenter: Tim Pollock is currently a lecturer at the Hagoromo University of International Studies, in southern Osaka, Japan. He has taught English, visual literacy and film studies at the university for more than 7 years. He received his Bachelors degree in Religious Studies from the College of William & Mary, and a Masters degree in Applied Linguistics from Monash University. His research is focused on the development of standards and practices in classic Japanese cinema in general, and on the later films of Ozu Yasujiro in particular. A long-time resident of Japan, Mr. Pollock also worked as an assistant editor on the 2nd edition of the Genius Japanese-English Dictionary.

Abstract: The applicability of social semiotics to the study of cinema appears to be limited by its own theoretical foundations, as it posits that signs can only be understood by those who belong to the same cultural group as the sign-maker. Given that this theoretical approach was developed within the discursive fields of Western academia, it would seem irrelevant to the understanding of any non-Western cinemas.

This paper will argue that it is indeed possible to apply specific analytical tools and assumptions from social semiotic theory to the understanding of some non-Western cinemas, and to Japanese cinema in particular. The first step will be to deconstruct the “classical Hollywood mode” / “Japanese Cinema” dichotomy as defined in Western academic discourse.

The next step will be to look at two specific examples of film codes: The close-up code, and the encoding of temporal information in screen direction, and how they are used in both the contexts under discussion. This paper will not argue for the existence of transcultural universals, but rather offer a detailed analysis of the history and development of Japanese cinema and its connection to Hollywood film culture.

By detailing the influence of the Japanese Pure Film Movement (Jun’eiga geki undō) and the early transnational Japanese star Sessue Hayakawa, we can historicise and contextualise the development of classic Japanese cinema, and thereby develop a better understanding of the codes utilized by Japanese filmmakers, and how they were interpreted and understood by contemporary Japanese audiences.

Saturday Spotlight Session II (14:45-15:15)
Room: Suehiro - Rihga Royal Hotel 6F

Cultural Stereotypes and Media Coverage of Disaster: Analysis and Implications of International Media Framing of the 2011 Japan Disaster
Jamie Matthews, Bournemouth University, UK

About the Presenter: Jamie Matthews is Lecturer in Communication and Media in the Media School, Bournemouth University. Jamie holds an MA in International Relations from the University of Sussex and a PhD in Public Communication from Bournemouth University. He is Fellow of the Higher Education Academy.

His research interests centre on the mediation of conflict and crisis and the influence of particular media representations on the dynamics of public opinion. He has published and presented research on framing and discourses of terrorism and counterterrorism policy, news sources and audience perception. He is currently conducting research on international news coverage of the 2011 disaster in Japan, exploring the discursive construction of this event and the intersection of global discourses with public constitution of the disaster.

Abstract: The news media allow people to bear witness to disaster, enhancing emotional proximity and opening up collective spaces which enable publics to process and make sense of complex events. The representation of disasters, therefore, has the potential to resonate beyond the sovereign nation states and the immediate locales in which they occur; enabling audiences to identify and form strong emotional bonds with distant others (Corpus Ong, 2006 cited in Pantti, 2012).

International news coverage of the earthquake and tsunami that devastated Japan’s North East coast on March 11, 2011 and the subsequent nuclear accident at Fukushima was criticised for drawing on established metanarratives of disaster. Some have argued that the discursive construction of this event emphasised the indiscriminate power of nature (Pantti, Wahl-Jorgensen, & Cottle, 2012, p. 52) or contributed to an othering metanarrative by highlighting the stoicism and resilience in the Japanese response to the disaster (Huang, 2011; Rees, 2011).

By combing mapping analysis with a critical discourse analysis across three international news outlets’ coverage of the 2011 disaster, this paper will consider how representation of the disaster drew on embedded cultural stereotypes of Japan and the Japanese. It will argue that, in part, such representations were facilitated by the professional and ideological imperatives of journalism, which serve to construct disasters through “emotionally-powerful” narratives (Liebes, 1998).
Saturday Spotlight Session I (15:15-15:45)
Room: Ohgi - Rihga Royal Hotel 6F

The Force is Strong with this One - Using Star Wars to Illustrate Concepts of International Relations and Politics
Joel R. Campbell, Troy University, Japan

About the Presenter: Joel Campbell is an Associate Professor of Political Science in the Pacific Region (Japan and Korea) of the Global Campus program of Troy University, a United States University in Japan. He teaches in the Masters of Science in International Relations (MSIR) program and has had a life-long interest in East Asia and International Politics. Dr. Campbell was born in Ohio, grew up in Texas, and has lived in Arizona, Missouri, and Tennessee. He was awarded a doctorate in political science from Miami University (Ohio), and a Masters of Public Affairs (M.P.A.) from the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs at the University of Texas at Austin. Following this he worked in several governmental offices, including the Texas House Speaker’s office and the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Dr. Campbell has taught at Tohoku University, Miyazaki International College and Kansai Gaidai University in Japan, three universities in Korea as well as previously being an editor for a Japanese securities firm. He has also published extensively on his principal research interests, the politics and political economy of Northeast Asia, along with technology policy and international security. The bulk of his publications have focused on the politics and political economy of East Asia, especially in Japan, South Korea, and China. Dr. Campbell is also a contributor to IAFOR’s Eye Magazine.

Abstract: The “Star Wars” film franchise has been one of the most successful in movie history. George Lucas’s film universe is an intriguing blend of mythological and multi-genre film plot devices, but also combines various elements that illustrate key international relations and political concepts. The first trilogy, which was released between 1977 and 1983, dealt with themes of political rebellion, authoritarianism/totalitarianism, and the state/religion relations. Lucas described the essential message of the second trilogy, between 1999 and 2005, as how republics decay to empires, and how peoples lose their freedoms. Both trilogies also dealt with important themes of intercultural relations, diplomacy, human rights, rights of indigenous peoples, feminism, the efficacy of military force, and the nature of state organizations. Examination of the franchise also allows us to examine the relative claims of realist, liberal, and constructivist theories of international relations.

Saturday Spotlight Session II (15:15-15:45)
Room: Suehiro - Rihga Royal Hotel 6F

Recognizing Hidden Bias in Cross-Cultural Diplomacy
Stephen Ryan, Yamagata University, Japan

About the Presenter: Stephen Ryan is a Professor at Yamagata University, Japan. He is a long term resident of Japan and is currently researching the areas of Intercultural Communication and Cross-Cultural Psychology. He is most interested in how unconscious cultural background knowledge affects communication and decision-making in cross-cultural contexts.

Abstract: Diplomats and those in the field of Intercultural Communication (IC) are both concerned with international relations as well as communicating and interpreting information across distinct national cultures. Those in public diplomacy attempt to inform, influence and communicate effectively with foreign government officials. An understanding of IC theory can make these tasks easier because IC seeks to understand how and why people from different cultures communicate differently and interpret the same events in unique ways. This presentation will cover three areas before presenting cross-cultural research data. First, IC theory can provide diplomats with a clear starting point for understanding their counterpart’s worldview. Second, recognizing national cultural differences, even at the risk of stereotyping, is an area worthy of study because this is an environment where a diplomat assigned abroad for a short time is required to work and make consequential decisions. Third, unconscious cultural background knowledge, or schema, often holds hidden bias that, when applied to cross-cultural contexts, may be highly significant to those in diplomacy. After discussing these three areas above, an example of cultural background knowledge related to diplomacy will be given from the author’s cross-cultural research with the aim of showing how deep cultural knowledge can unconsciously influence our world view and judgment of someone from a different national culture. Research data collected from Japanese and Americans will be given as an example.
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Moving beyond one particular field, larger questions arise. What function should universities prioritize in the 21st century? What do businesses see as their contribution to social and global well being? How can people on the ground, trying to implement improvements that will transform human life, best be supported? And perhaps above all, what are the agendas that will drive mechanisms to enable these groups to interact effectively.

One piece of distilled thought that came from early exchanges at one of our conferences was the recognition that some of the rhetoric of concern about the problems of developing nations was perhaps over-focused on the term “poverty” because it can be defined only in a relative way. “Hunger” was put forward as being more immediate and itself a contributory factor to poverty, rather than the other way round. One key to the hunger issue could be the provision of safe drinking water, or water for irrigation in some contexts, while flood management might be necessary elsewhere. These, in and by themselves become valuable only insofar as they help to relieve hunger in specific contexts.

IAFOR is affording opportunities that do not exist elsewhere. The base is Osaka, Japan’s great commercial and manufacturing hub, one symbol of the emerging Pacific economy that is already eclipsing the long dominant Atlantic zone. Our conferences present those taking part with three unique dimensions of experience. First of all, it encourages interdisciplinary activity to be expanded. Depending on the field, this can face varying degrees of difficulty, ranging from discouragement to downright prohibition. Those overly dependent on fixed academic structures often see lateral thinking as a threat. None of these negatives apply in IAFOR. Its purpose is to generate new approaches that cross any disciplinary lines. The principle employed is to let the imagination permit intuitive responses to questions. There are no panels of critics. There are simply people who want to listen and reflect. The model of academic work as potholing is replaced by the metaphor of mountaineering. While respecting the need for solid and well-founded academic work, we feel the need to go beyond it from time to time to discover fresh approaches to old questions.

Secondly, it facilitates the heightening of intercultural awareness. Again, we encourage innovation through cross-cultural perception. Cultural roots influence people in their attitudes more than most would realize or admit. The need to see and internalize insights gained from other viewpoints is met by a process of steady illumination.

Thirdly, it promotes the broadening of international exchange. We may live in a globalized world, but in reality parochialism still holds sway. The collapse of the U.S.S.R and the break-up of Yugoslavia led to the re-establishment of numerous former countries. While this may be desirable for the peoples concerned, it merely adds to the world’s cultural confusion. Exchange leads to explanation and that helps the growth of intercultural awareness.

IAFOR makes all of these developments possible in one gathering. Our conferences are not a substitute for specialist conferences. We intend our events to be an alternative that functions as a balance or even a corrective to the extreme tendencies that can arise from more narrowly defined research parameters. In short, IAFOR is promoting and facilitating a new multifaceted approach to one of the core issues of our time, namely globalization and its many forms of growth and expansion. Awareness of how it cuts across the worlds of business, and academia, along with its impact on societies and institutions is one of the driving forces that has given the organization its momentum, and is making it a pioneer in this global age.

Rev. Professor Stuart DB Picken
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The Reverend Professor Stuart D. B. Picken, Order of the Sacred Treasure, M.A. (Hons), B.D., Ph.D. (Glasgow), F.R.A.S.

Professor Picken is the Chairman of the IAFOR International Advisory Board. The author of a dozen books and over 130 articles and papers, he is considered one of the foremost scholars on Japan, China, and Globalization in East Asia. As an academic, Professor Picken has devoted more than 30 years to scholarship in Japan, notably as a Professor of Philosophy at the International Christian University in Tokyo, where he specialized in ethics and Japanese thought, and as International Adviser to the High Priest of Tsubaki Grand Shrine (Mie prefecture). He has also served as a consultant to various businesses, including Jun Ashida Ltd., Mitsui Mining & Smelting Corp., Kobe Steel, and Japan Air Lines. In November 2008, the Government of Japan awarded Professor Picken the Order of the Sacred Treasure for his pioneering research and outstanding contribution to the promotion of friendship and mutual understanding between Japan and the UK. The honour is normally reserved for Japanese citizens and is a mark of the utmost respect in which Professor Picken is held by the Japanese Government. More recently, in 2012 he was invited to London to attend a reception at the Japanese Embassy, hosted by Emperor Akihito and Empress Michiko as an expression of their gratitude towards Britons who had helped support Japan after the 2011 Tohoku earthquake and tsunami. Professor Picken helped organize fundraising efforts through both the Japan Society of Scotland, of which he is the chair, in the UK, and IAFOR in Japan. As Chairman of the IAB, Professor Picken is responsible for the academic affairs and direction of the organization. He is also responsible for the development of the IAFOR Research Institute. Although now resident in Scotland, Professor Picken maintains his interests in Japan, as Chair of the Japan Society of Scotland, and through the IAFOR IAB. He is also the Chairman of the Academic Board of New College, Birmingham. He lives near Glasgow with his wife and two children.

Vice-Chairman of the International Advisory Board
Professor Jerry Platt, B.S. (Michigan State), MBA (Wayne State), MA, PhD (Ohio State), MS (Stanford)

Jerry Platt is Professor of Global Business at Akita International University, Japan and Professor Emeritus at San Francisco State University. Professor Platt holds a B.S. in Multidisciplinary Social Sciences from Michigan State University, an MBA from Wayne State University, an M.A. in Public Administration, and a Ph.D. in Public Policy and Management from the John Glenn School of Public Affairs at Ohio State University, and an M.S. Statistics Post-Doctoral Degree from Stanford University. His research interests span business, technology and public policy and he is the author of over 85 peer-reviewed papers in these and associated fields. Balancing industry with academic interests, Jerry also served as head of financial analysis for a Bay Area Fortune 500 company, and as CEO of an aviation firm. He has been Principal Investigator on more than twenty U.S. federal research grants. From 1976-2004, Professor Platt was on the faculty of the School of Business at San Francisco State University, and was named Dean in 2001. From 2004 he was Senecal Endowed Dean of the Business School at the University of Redlands, California, before holding concurrent professorships at Redlands and Akita International University, Japan from 2010 until 2012. As Vice-Chair of the IAFOR International Advisory Board, Professor Platt advises the organization on matters pertaining to IAFOR’s development and strategy, as it faces the challenge of sustainable growth as both a regional and global organization.

Executive Director
Dr Joseph Haldane, B.A., Ph.D. (London), F.R.A.S

Joseph Haldane is the Executive Director of the International Academic Forum. He was Academic Director from IAFOR’s inception in 2009 until January 2011, when he assumed his current enlarged role. He is responsible for setting policies, forging institutional partnerships, implementing projects, and overseeing the research and publications of the organization, as well as maintaining responsibility for overseeing IAFOR’s growing global operations. Joe’s academic interests include politics and international affairs, literature, history, and the history of ideas, and he holds a PhD from the University of London in French Studies. He has taught at the University of Paris XII [2002-2004], at the French Press Institute in the University of Paris II - Pantheon-Assas [2003-2004] and was a full-time lecturer at Sciences Po in Paris, where he directed a postgraduate course on British Politics and Media in the School of Journalism [2004-2005]. In 2005 he moved to Japan, and immediately prior to this post was an Associate Professor at Nagoya University of Commerce and Business in both the undergraduate and graduate schools, teaching the Ethics course in the graduate school. He is a fellow of the Royal Asiatic Society.
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Mr Kiyoshi Mana - Director of Operations & Business Development
Kiyoshi Mana is the Director of Business Development as well as project director for the 2014 Events Team, overseeing IAFOR's conferences in Asia, Europe, and North America. An American of Japanese descent, Kiyoshi has long been fascinated by the country of his ancestors, studying both Japanese language and culture at San Francisco State.

Mr Michael Kedzie - Research and Policy Manager
Michael Liam Kedzie is a New Zealander who currently works as the Research and Policy Manager. He is responsible for formulating legal policy as well as liaising with the organisation's university partners and the International Directors of Program. He is also editor of Eye Magazine. He has a Master's degree in Education from Massey University as well as a Law degree from the University of Waikato Law School. He is an enrolled Barrister and Solicitor of the High Court of New Zealand.

Mr Thaddeus Pope - Media and Design Manager
Born and raised in Brighton, UK, Thaddeus is an experienced commercial and editorial photographer with a BA in Photography from the London College of Communication (University of the Arts London). Thaddeus's duties at IAFOR include overseeing the design and media output of the organisation.

Mr David George - Coordinator: Events and Marketing
Raised in Brisbane, Australia, Dave graduated from the University of Queensland with a Bachelor of Arts specialised in Psychology. Dave has a background in project based media and public relations work with experience at events in Australia, India, Singapore and Dubai.

Ms Lindsay Lafreniere - Coordinator: Publications and Communications
Originally from Canada, Lindsay Lafreniere came to Japan in 2012. She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology and English and a graduate diploma in Journalism. Lindsay brings her experience of media, publishing, and broadcast work in Canada to IAFOR.

Mr Bryce Platt - Technology & Operations Manager
After growing up in the Silicon Valley in California, Bryce graduated from Gustavus Adolphus College (Saint Peter, Minnesota) with a degree in sociology, and in 2013 earned a Master’s degree in Global Communication from Akita International University in Japan. As well as coordinating IAFOR's technology strategy, he is also responsible for managing the organisation's internal and systems operations, and is the project manager for IAFOR's North American events.

Mr Takumi Saito - Coordinator: Finance and Administration
Born and raised in Yamagata, Japan, Takumi studied English literature at Waseda University. A language lover, he has also studied German, Spanish, French and Polish and can also speak Italian. Takumi recently joined IAFOR to handle its finance and administration.

Mr Alexander Pratt - Business Development Manager
A civil engineering graduate from the University of Nottingham, UK and a self-confessed jack of all trades, Alex first came to Japan in 1997. At IAFOR he helps with the general administration and operation of conferences, as well as with the website, and works alongside the Director of Business Development to expand IAFOR’s operations in Japan and internationally. He is also the project manager for IAFOR's European Events.

Ms Mai Hasuno - Events, Marketing and Domestic Relations Manager
Mai oversees the organisation’s conferences in Japan, and is responsible for developing and implementing IAFOR’s marketing strategy within Japan. She also acts as a special assistant to the Executive Director and the IAB Chair in the administration of the Japan International Liaison Committee. Previous to joining IAFOR, Mai worked for the Aioi Nissay Dowa Insurance Corporation. She is also the project manager for IAFOR's Asian Events.

Mr Shawn Mahler - Coordinator: Video and Media
Los Angeles native Shawn Mahler has a wealth of experience working on film, video, and theater productions in the United States and Japan. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Film Theory and Production from the University of California, Irvine. Shawn has spent over ten years in Japan where he has worked with numerous industry professionals to develop television shows, movies, and theatrical productions.
Japanese Calligraphy Workshop

Saturday, November 15
12:15-13:00
Rihga Royal Hotel
2F - Kaede Room

Art students from Kyoto’s Ritsumeikan University will run a workshop for delegates to try the ancient art of Japanese Calligraphy.

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**Top left:** Professor Frank S. Ravitch, Walter H. Stowers Chair in Law and Religion at the Michigan State University College of Law, delivers his Asian Conference on Ethics, Religion and Philosophy (ACERP) 2014 keynote speech titled, "Government Officials’ Visits to the Yasukuni Shrine: Constitutional and Ethical Struggles". **Top right:** Professor Edward Yagi, a business faculty leader at Nanzan University, Japan, presents 'When Problem Solvers Never Solve the Problem' at the Asian Business and Management Conference 2013 (ABMC2013).

**Above left:** ACP/ACERP 2014 Keynote presenter Professor Minoru Karasawa of Nagoya University, Japan, addresses the conference with a speech titled "Blameworthy Character Invites Harsher Punishment: A Social Psychological Approach to Punitive Motives against Individuals and Groups". **Above right:** Conference Co-Chair Professor Jiro Takai of Nagoya University, Japan delivers a featured speech at the ACP/ACERP 2014 plenary session.

**Below left:** Professor Nicholas Benes of The Board Director Training Institute of Japan, presents “Director Training: The Easiest, Most Obvious Way to Improve Japanese Boards” at ABMC2013. **Below center:** Bradley J. Hamm, Dean of the Medill School of Journalism, Media, Integrated Marketing Communications at Northwestern University delivers his keynote speech at MediaAsia/FilmAsia 2013 on "The Power of Journalism in a Post-Mass Media Age". **Below right:** ABMC2013 Keynote Speaker Professor Yozo Yokota, President of the Japanese Center for Human Rights, speaks on the relationship between business and human rights.
Top left: Professor Georges Depeyrot, monetary historian at the French National Center for Scientific Research, introduces the DAMIN Program at the Asian Conference on Arts and Humanities (ACAH) and the Asian Conference on Literature and Librarianship (LibrAsia) 2014.

Top right: Paul Lowe, University of the Arts London, addresses ACAH/LibrAsia 2014 with his featured speech, "Testimony of Light: Using Photography to Bear Witness to Genocide in the Former Yugoslavia."

Above left: Featured Speaker Professor Donald E. Hall, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Lehigh University, USA, presents at ACCS/ACAS2014: "Looking Beyond Our Horizons: Interdisciplinary Education as Our Best Hope for the Future." Above right: His Excellency Dr. Lars Vargö, Ambassador of Sweden, announcing the winners of the 4th Vladimir Devidé Haiku Award at ACAH/LibrAsia 2014.

Below left: Professor Bill Ashcroft, University of New South Wales, Australia and author of "The Empire Writes Back," delivers his ACAH/LibrAsia 2014 keynote speech "Revolution, Transformation and Utopia: the Function of Literature." Below center: Professor Koichi Iwabuchi, Director of Monash University’s Asian Institute, Australia, delivers his Keynote Speech at ACCS/ACAS 2014, “On the Predicament of the Borderland Imagination.” Below right: Dr. John Hope, Dean of International Relations from the University of Auckland, New Zealand, delivers his keynote address at ACTC2014 titled "Improving School/Home Communication With Online Blogs."
Top left: Professor Arthur J.A. Stockwin from the University of Oxford, UK (left) and Jun Arima, Director General of JETRO London (right) discuss the emerging defence and international relations posture of Japan at the 2014 European Conference Series. Top right: Professor Baden Offord, Professor of Cultural Studies and Human Rights at Southern Cross University, Australia, and Vice-President of the Cultural Studies Association of Australasia, addresses delegates at the ACAS/ACCS 2014 closing session.

Above left: Dr Amy Szarkowski & Dr Yukinori Komine from Harvard Medical School, USA, address the Asian Conference on the Social Sciences and the Asian Conference on Sustainability, Energy & the Environment (ACSS/ACSEE2014) plenary session with “Conceptualizing Soft Power in the U.S.: Decision to Implement the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities”. Above right: Lowell Sheppard, Asia Pacific Director of the HOPE International Development Agency, presents his powerful featured speech, “Individual, Community and Society: Conflict, Resolution and Synergy” at the ACSS/ACSEE 2014 plenary session.

Below left: Conference Chair Professor Sue Jackson, Professor of Lifelong Learning and Gender & Pro-Vice Master of Teaching and Learning, Birkbeck, University of London, welcomes delegates to the European Conference on Education 2014 (ECE2014). Bottom centre: Professor Heidi Sofia Mirza from Goldsmiths College, University of London, during her keynote address at ECE2014. Professor Mirza spoke on “Decolonizing Pedagogies: Black feminist reflections on teaching race, faith and culture in higher education”. Bottom right: Professor Penny Jane Burke, Roehampton University, London, speaking during the plenary session of ECE2014 on “Transforming Pedagogical Spaces: Knowledge, Becoming and Belonging.”
Top left: Lord Charles Bruce, the keynote speaker at the European Conference on Arts and Humanities 2014 (ECAH-2014), during his address “In Between The Occident And The Orient,” traced the encounters of Europeans and Asians during the colonial period. Top right: Professor Joe Elliott from Durham University, UK, presents his featured speech “The Dyslexia Debate” at the European Conference on Psychology and Behavioral Sciences 2014. Professor Elliott outlined the nature of the dyslexia debate and called for an end to the use of the dyslexia label.

Above left: ECLL2014 Keynote speaker Ken Wilson, prominent ELT author and trainer, during his featured speech “Motivating the unmotivated - Ten ways to get your students to DO something.” Above right: Professor Michael A. Cusumano, the Sloan Management Review Distinguished Professor of Management at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, addresses the North American Conference on the Social Sciences (NACSS2014) on the topic of “Japanese Firms and Staying Power”.

Below left: Professor Yuriko Saito from the Rhode Island School of Design, speaks during the North American Conference on Media, Film, and Cultural Studies (NACMFCS2014) plenary session on “Everyday Aesthetics and World-Making.” Bottom centre: Linda Toyo Obayashi, the Senior Mediation Officer at The World Bank Group’s Internal Justice System speaks at NACSS2014 on the topic of conflict resolution in the workplace. Bottom right: Professor Svetlana Ter Minasova from Moscow State University, during her keynote presentation, “The Influence of National Classical Literature on Moulding National Identity,” discussed to what extent national classical literature can be regarded as a source and a pivot of national identity.
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Eye Magazine is available on the IAFOR website (iafor.org/eye) and through the ISSUU reader on your browser or mobile device.
Friday Morning Events

08:00-09:00
Conference Registration
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Welcome Address
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09:15-10:05
MediaAsia2014 Keynote Address: Professor Alec Klein
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Featured Panel: Mainstream Media vs the Citizen Journalist
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10:55-11:15
Coffee Break

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Lunch Break
### Friday Session I: 13:00-14:30

**MediaAsia - Interdisciplinary Journalism**  
**Session Chair:** Melanie Viloria-Briones

1. **6667 13:00-13:30**  
*Training Journalists in Newsroom Management: An Illustration of Conflict between Individual and Organizational Concerns*  
Matthieu Lardeau, Clermont University, France

2. **4084 13:30-14:00**  
*Narratives and Experiences of Journalists in the Face of Disaster*  
Anna Ruby P. Gapasin, Polytechnic University of the Philippines, Philippines  
Cecilia M Suerte-Felipe, The Philippine Star, Philippines

3. **5489 14:00-14:30**  
*Article 19 of the Universal Declaration on Human Rights (UDHR): Does it Reach Philippine Campuses?*  
Melanie Viloria-Briones, University of the Assumption, Philippines

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**MediaAsia - Social Media & Communication Technology**  
**Session Chair:** Christine Anne R. Cox

1. **6323 13:00-13:30**  
*Leisure and E-Leisure: An Exploration of the Changes Internet has Made in the Life of Youth*  
Shubha H S, Manipal University, India

2. **4825 13:30-14:00**  
*Empowerment or Restriction: Young Indigenous Peoples as the Subject Access to Communication Technologies*  
YuPei Chang, National Chiao Tung University, Taiwan  
Jui-Kai Yang, National Chiao Tung University, Taiwan

3. **3847 14:00-14:30**  
*Food Fight! Cross-cultural Conflict in a Polish Blogger’s Post about Filipino Food*  
Christine Anne R. Cox, University of the Philippines Diliman, Philippines

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**FilmAsia - Film Criticism & Theory**  
**Session Chair:** Jose Montaño

1. **4072 13:00-13:30**  
*Stray Dog, A Gun, The Individual and Society in Shinji Aoyama’s “An Obsession”*  
Patrick D. McCoy, Meiji University, Japan

2. **4567 13:30-14:00**  
*Rebellion and Despair: Children and Adolescents in Recent Japanese Films*  
Jose Montaño, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain
Friday Session I: 13:00-14:30

MediAsia - International Communication
Session Chair: Bruno Lovric

4062 13:00-13:30
Social Media Modi-Fication: Narendra Modi’s Use of Social Media in Indian Elections 2014
Shirin Abbas, Shri Ramswaroop Memorial University, India
AK Singh, Shri Ramswaroop Memorial University, India

4996 13:30-14:00
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   - The "Soft Power" Paradox: The Commercial and Cultural Decline of Japanese Animation's Popularity in Italy and France
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   - Jakub Morawski, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

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   - Salma Medhat, Cairo University, Egypt

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Please meet in the Rihga Royal Hotel Lobby at 18:30.

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  Sakulsri Srisaracam, Panyapiwat Institute of Management, Thailand

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  Eman Mohamed Soliman, Cairo University, Egypt  
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  Abdulaziz H Alabdullah, Kuwait University, Kuwait

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Min-Chih Lee, Chung Chou University of Science and Technology, Taiwan

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Joe Carter, Queensland University of Technology, Australia

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Aparna Shukla, National University of Singapore, Singapore

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Robert Cross, Doshisha University, Japan

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Session Chair: Fábio Henrique Pereira

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Matthieu Lardeau, Clermont Université, France

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Matana Charoenwongsa, Silpakorn University, Thailand

Sawitree Panatung, Independent Researcher, Thailand

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Fábio Henrique Pereira, University of Brasilia, Brazil

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Diyah Hayu Rahmitasari, University of Atma Jaya Yogyakarta, Indonesia

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*The Stereotype of Female Roles in TV Drama of Taiwan and Japan*

Ya Ting Tang, National Taiwan University of Arts, Taiwan

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Peixin Cao, Communication University of China, China
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Yousef Al Failakawi, Kuwait University, Kuwait

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Huang Jifeng, RMIT University, Australia

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Pichit Thi-in, National Institute of Development Administration, Thailand  
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