2024 AAAS Student Research Symposium

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Panels & Schedule

12:00 -12:05 pm  Welcome  Janet Clarke, University Libraries
                  Agnes He, Asian & Asian American Studies

Panel 1

12:05-12:35 pm

Exploring Connections: Asian Diaspora in Puerto Rico  
Presenter: Adamaris Pabon-Seda, Asian & Asian American Studies/Korean Studies  
Advisor: Sandra So Hee Chi Kim

Indigenous Peoples as Tools of the Nation: Using the Ainu to Revitalize the National Image in Japan  
Presenter: Peter Keenan, Asian & Asian American Studies/Japanese Studies  
Advisor: Gregory Ruf

Sociolinguistic Comparison of Jejueo and Long Island Eastern Algonquian Languages  
Presenter: Julie Wolfe, Linguistics, Globalization Studies and International Relations/Korean Studies  
Advisor: Heejeong Sohn

12:35-12:40 pm  Discussant: Sandra So Hee Chi Kim

12:40-12:55 pm  Discussion & Q&A
Panel 2

12:55-1:25 pm

Soseki’s Relevating Hypotheticals
Presenter: Alena Huynh, Political Science/Japanese Studies
Advisor: Eva Nagase

White Rice, Human Capital, and (Post)colonial Exploitation in *Pachinko*
Presenter: Ling Liu, Visiting scholar in English, Ph.D candidate at Hong Kong Baptist University
Advisor: Jeffrey Santa Ana

Themes of "To Live": Understanding Contemporary Chinese Culture and History through Yu Hua's Modern Classic
Presenter: Oliver Pitts, Applied Mathematics and Statistics
Advisor: Dongmei Zeng

1:25-1:30 pm Discussant: Heejeong Sohn

1:30-1:45 pm Discussion & Q&A

Panel 3

1:45-2:05 pm

Exploring Cross-Cultural Moral Lessons and Cultural Retention through Classic Children’s Literature
Presenter: Juhi Sarin, Biology/Asian & Asian American Studies
Advisor: Agnes He

The Universality of Language and Its Limitations: Perspective from Toshihiko Izutsu
Presenter: Yasuko Fujita, Contemporary Asian & Asian American Studies
Advisor: Eriko Sato

2:05-2:10 pm Discussant: Yi Wang

2:10-2:25 pm Discussion & Q&A

2:25 pm Closing    Gregory Ruf, Asian & Asian American Studies