

**International Conference on “Hopes and Fears in a Divided World:  
East and Southeast Asia during the Cold War”**

**3-4 May 2019**

Venue: Connie Fan Multi-media Conference Room, 4/F., Cheng Yick-chi Building,  
City University of Hong Kong

Organizer: Department of Chinese and History, City University of Hong Kong

**Conference Program**

**1-2 May 2019 (Wednesday - Thursday)**

Arrival of foreign participants

**3 May 2019 (Friday)**

10:00 - 10:15 Opening Ceremony

Welcome Speech by Professor LI Hsiao-ti, Head of Department of Chinese and History, City University of Hong Kong
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10:15 - 11:45 First Panel: Cold War in Southeast Asia

Chair: Tze-ki Hon (City University of Hong Kong)
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Black Site: The Cold War and the Shaping of Thailand’s Politics Kevin Hewison (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA)
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To Build the World Anew: Decolonization and Cold War in Indonesia Shofwan Al Banna Choiruzzad (University of Indonesia)
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Indigenizing the Cold War in Malaysia and Singapore: Interethnic Decolonization, Developmental Syntheses and the Quest for Sovereignty Alan Chong (S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore)
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Commentator: Chih-yu Shih, 11:15 - 11:30
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Open Discussion: 11:30 - 11:45
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12:00 - 13:45 Lunch

14:00 - 15:30 Second Panel: Cold War in East Asia (1) – Japan and Korea

Chair: LI Yiwen (City University of Hong Kong)
The Im/possibility of Decolonization: Imperial Power and the Postcolonial Desire in the Relations between Japan and South Korea Boyu Chen (University of Niigata Prefecture, Japan)
Subaltern ROK's Drive of Non-Western, Anti-Communist Cooperation in Asia in the early Cold War: An 'IR from (a bit) Below' Interpretation Joonseok Yang (Seoul Theological University, South Korea) & Young Chul Cho (Chonbuk National University, South Korea)
Teaching Development and Change: A Peculiar Reflection on the Cold War, Conceptual Privileging & Pedagogical Negotiations, and Korean Historical Drama Tina S. Clemente (University of the Philippines Diliman)
Commentator: LIN Shaoyang, 15:00 - 15:15 Open Discussion: 15:15 - 15:30

15:30 - 16:00 Tea Break

16:00 - 17:30 Third Panel: Cold War in East Asia (2) – Rituals, Divination, International Relations

Chair: Chih-yu Shih (National Taiwan University)
A World Order Created through Rituals – The Tributary System of East Asia from an Anthropological Point of View LIN Shaoyang (The University of Tokyo, Japan)
Divining the Future during the Cold War: Divinatory Methods as a Tactic of Dealing with Insecurities in East Asia Anne Schmiedl (FAU Erlangen–Nürnberg, Germany)
Chinese Nationalism and China's East Asian International Relations Yi-tsui Tseng (University of Colorado at Denver / International College Beijing)
Commentator: Joonseok Yang, 17:00 - 17:15 Open Discussion: 17:15 - 17:30

18:00 - 20:00 Conference Dinner

**4 May 2019 (Saturday)**

10:15 - 11:45 Fourth Panel: Cold War in PRC and India

Chair: LEUNG Shuk Man (The University of Hong Kong)
The Dawn of Chinese Political Science: Rediscovering Politics in the 1980s John Hsien-hsiang Feng (The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen)
Building a Healthy Body for a Strong and Healthy Nation – Health Practices in the PRC during the Cold War Era Renée Krusche (FAU Erlangen–Nürnberg, Germany)
Bridging ‘New China’ and Postcolonial India: The 1951 Indian Goodwill Mission TSUI Kai Hin Brian (The Hong Kong Polytechnic University)
Commentator: Tze-ki Hon, 11:15 - 11:30 Open Discussion: 11:30 - 11:45

12:00 - 13:45 Lunch

14:00 - 15:00 Fifth Panel: Cold War in Taiwan

Chair: TSUI Kai Hin Brian (The Hong Kong Polytechnic University)
From “Asia’s East” to “East Asia”: Aborted Decolonization of Taiwan in the Cold-War Discourse Chih-yu Shih (National Taiwan University)
Exchange between Hong Kong and Taiwan during the Cold War Mariko Tanigaki (The University of Tokyo, Japan)
Commentator: LI Hsiao-ti, 14:40 - 14:50 Open Discussion: 14:50 - 15:00

15:00 - 15:30 Tea Break

15:30 - 17:30 Sixth Panel: Cold War in Hong Kong

Chair: Mariko Tanigaki (The University of Tokyo, Japan)
Inscribing the Cultural Revolution in the Hong Kong Everyday: Lü Da and Hong Kong’s <i>Wen Wei Po</i> LEUNG Shuk Man (The University of Hong Kong)
The Myth of “Laissez Faire Economy”: Re-examining Hong Kong Industrialization (1958-1969) ZHANG Zhixiang (City University of Hong Kong)
Before China Studies: Private Foundations, Cold War Politics, and the U.S. Government in Colonial Hong Kong Xin Fan (State University of New York at Fredonia, USA)

The Making of Cold War Memorial Landscape: Song Emperor's Terrace and Chinese University of Hong Kong

Tze-ki Hon & Hok-yin Chan (City University of Hong Kong)

Commentator: LEE Pui Tak, 16:50 - 17:10

Open Discussion: 17:10 - 17:30

17:30 - 17:45 Summary and Reflection: Tze-ki Hon & Chih-yu Shih

18:00 Conference Dinner

End of the Conference

Notes: 1) Each speaker has 20 minutes to present his or her paper; 2) lunch and dinner are for conference participants and guests.

## **List of Participants**

### **Speakers and Panel Chairs**

Dr Hok-yin Chan (City University of Hong Kong)  
Dr Boyu Chen (University of Niigata Prefecture, Japan)  
Dr Young Chul Cho (Chonbuk National University, South Korea)  
Dr Shofwan Al Banna Choiruzzad (University of Indonesia)  
Dr Alan Chong (S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Singapore)  
Dr Tina S. Clemente (University of the Philippines Diliman)  
Dr Xin Fan (State University of New York at Fredonia, USA)  
Dr John Hsien-hsiang Feng (The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen)  
Professor Kevin Hewison (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA)  
Professor Tze-ki Hon (City University of Hong Kong)  
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