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MESSAGE FROM THE NEWSLETTER EDITOR

The EACS Newsletter continues to be dependent upon member contributions. All contributions should be sent to the editor by e-mail. Please remember to check your copy carefully before submission. Workshop and conference reports should not exceed 600 words. Calls for papers should not exceed 100 words. For new books, please include all relevant information (author, title, publication place, publisher, year, pp., price in EURO and ISBN). Names and titles in non-Latin script (e.g. Cyrillic) are welcome provided that the author's name in transcription and a short content summary in English are included.

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REPORT FROM THE PRESIDENT

In my previous President's Letter, I mentioned the boredom with digital academic life many of us felt. We are now about one year later, and, luckily, after a long period during which many of us in academia had been confined to our home offices and have been, in some sense, alienated from our colleagues, students, and research centers, international students and colleagues are gradually returning to our campuses, and also lectures, workshops, and conferences 'en présentiel' are returning. Sterile conversations can – for the time being – be exchanged again for engaged academic discussions and some (cautious) wining and dining.

Not unrelated to the pandemic and its multifarious consequences, China has continued to be in the focus of mainstream media and political analyses. This, of course, is concomitant with the growing interconnectedness of economic, political and scientific life in the contemporary world, and the growing importance of China herein. That is to say – and here I refer to Ralph Weber's 2016 publication "All about Fiction: European Global Studies, Chinese Studies and Sinology" published in the series *Basel Papers on Europe in a Global Perspective* – that we are living in a world in which it is increasingly becoming clear that the question who we, 'Westerners', are, is no longer (solely) defined by us, 'Westerners', but is increasingly defined by the larger non-West. The

statement "Laissez donc la Chine dormir, car lorsque la Chine s'éveillera le monde entier tremblera" that is attributed to Napoleon I may to all likelihood be an apocryphal quotation, invented for the 1963 release of the movie 'Les 55 jours de Pékin' (a movie about the Boxer rebellion), it has, in hindsight, been of a prophetic nature. The 21st century has been an important wake-up call to the fact that all actors in the global world act in response to mutually subjective expectations and understandings, whereby both of these are importantly determined by cultural heritage. I would in this respect contend that, when engaging with China, it is important to keep the following reflection the French-born American cultural historian Jacques Barzun already posited in 1965 ("The Man in the American Mask." *Foreign Affairs* 43(3), 1965: 426) in mind: "To see ourselves as others see us is a rare and valuable gift, without a doubt. But in international relations what is still rarer and far more useful is to see others as they see themselves. The two talents, the double *giftie*, would, if generalized, abort many preconceptions that delay or obstruct agreement, and would also reduce that sterile indignation on which the newspaper-nurtured peoples feed". The last part of this quotation, it may be clear, is an appeal to fact-based judgements – a goal that we, academics, should uphold.

The general acknowledgement of China's importance in the contemporary world also explains why the European Commission has launched its China focused call

Horizon-CL2-2021. I know that some of our colleagues have responded to that call by submitting a research proposal. This shows how sinological studies have a more than purely academic importance in the contemporary world – regardless of whether one does linguistic, literary, historical, philosophical, or religious research; economic, political or international relations research; or any other domain of the expanding scope of sinology and Chinese studies.

The vitality of sinological research in an expanding number of domains was also evident in our postponed Leipzig EACS 202(0)1 conference ‘en distanciel’ for which the organizers received 108 panel proposals (each covering 4 abstracts on average) and 522 individual paper proposals, which makes 954 abstracts altogether. If this conference could have taken place as originally planned, it would have been the largest EACS physical meeting ever. The fact, moreover, that most of you did not retract your submissions when we had to decide to ‘go digital’ shows your trust in the EACS and the professional organization of our conferences. Established values – also in times of crisis – are indeed something we all need to hold on to.

The postponement of the Leipzig conference has as a logical result that our next EACS conference is already next year, 2022, when I hope to meet all of you in Olomouc, Czech Republic. By that time, also a new EACS website should be operational, and the third volume of our *Journal of the European Association for Chinese Studies* should be on its way.

Devoted readers of the EACS Newsletter will have noticed that I have made reference to a piece of music in all of my ‘President’s Letters’. I should do so also this time. In ‘On ira’, the French singer Zaz sings the following: “Oh qu’elle est belle notre chance; aux milles couleurs de l’être humain; mélangées de nos différences; à la croisée des destins”. I hope that before we meet again in Olomouc in August 2022, we all may have savoured the one thousand colours of humankind, have mixed our differences; that our destinations may have crossed, and that we have opened ourselves for the wonders of our chances.

The closure of the Leipzig conference was the beginning of my last year as EACS President. On the upcoming Olomouc conference, a successor will have to be elected. For that aim, a call for candidates will be published in early 2022.

Bart Dessenin

REPORT FROM THE SECRETARY

1. EACS Website

The EACS website is currently being upgraded to provide a more user-friendly platform to EACS members. The new website, which is scheduled to go live at the end of this calendar year, uses the WordPress contact management system. It will be designed for desktop computers, i.e., big screens, but the display will also adapt to other screen sizes, depending on which device is being used.

New features of the new website include:

- A dedicated space for the *Journal (JEACS)*;
- A contact form for members who wish to send announcements about events;
- Clear signposting to upcoming events and improved archiving of past events to create a clean web presence;
- A slider at the top of the page to make the website more dynamic and EACS events and activities more visible;
- An up-to-date data protection and privacy statement.

Better integration of the website with our member database will make it easier for members to keep their membership information up-to-date as well as allowing us to conduct member surveys or online votes.

2. Guidelines for Sharing Information via the EACS Mailing List and Website

The EACS Board has written a protocol for sharing information via the EACS mailing list and website. A copy of this document is contained in this newsletter.

3. EACS Archive at Collège de France

The EACS will have office space at Collège de France which will also house the association's archive. Members who have materials pertaining to the history of the EACS (e.g., printed conference programmes) are encouraged to contact the Secretary-General.

4. Host EACS Conference 2024

The EACS Board held on 27 August 2021 via Zoom reviewed applications to host the bi-annual conference in 2024. The following institutions submitted an application and presented their bid at the General Assembly of the Leipzig conference:

- MGIMO University, Moscow
- Tallinn University
- Ca' Foscari University of Venice

After detailed discussion of the three proposals, EACS Board members selected Tallinn University as the host of the 2024 conference by secret ballot.

5. EACS Auditors

Alexei A. Rodionov (St Petersburg) and Gilles Guiheux (Paris) have kindly agreed to serve as auditors of the EACS accounts in 2022.

Thomas Jansen
1 November 2021

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE TREASURER

1 July 2020 – 30 June 2021

In June 2020, the aggregate balance of the European Association of Chinese Studies' accounts was €121.870,24 (Paypal account and Bank account).

As of 30 June 2021:

- The Association counted **1911 members** (+ 1.5% compared with June 2020)
- The overall balance of the Paypal and Bank accounts was **€137.435,8 (+12.7%)**

On this total, the EACS still has €25,000 from the CCK foundation (transferred early 2020), including €10.000 for the library travel grants period, €12.000 to support the 2021 Leipzig conference, and €3.000 for the 2020 Young scholars' award. Most of this amount has not been spent.

The increase can be explained by the incomes generated by membership and conference entry fees:

- Leipzig conference income: +€50.307,00
- Membership fees: +€9.849,00

The balance recently started to decrease due mainly to expenses related to the organization of the Leipzig conference (so far, the web conferencing system) and refunds of conference expenses claimed during the first semester of 2021:

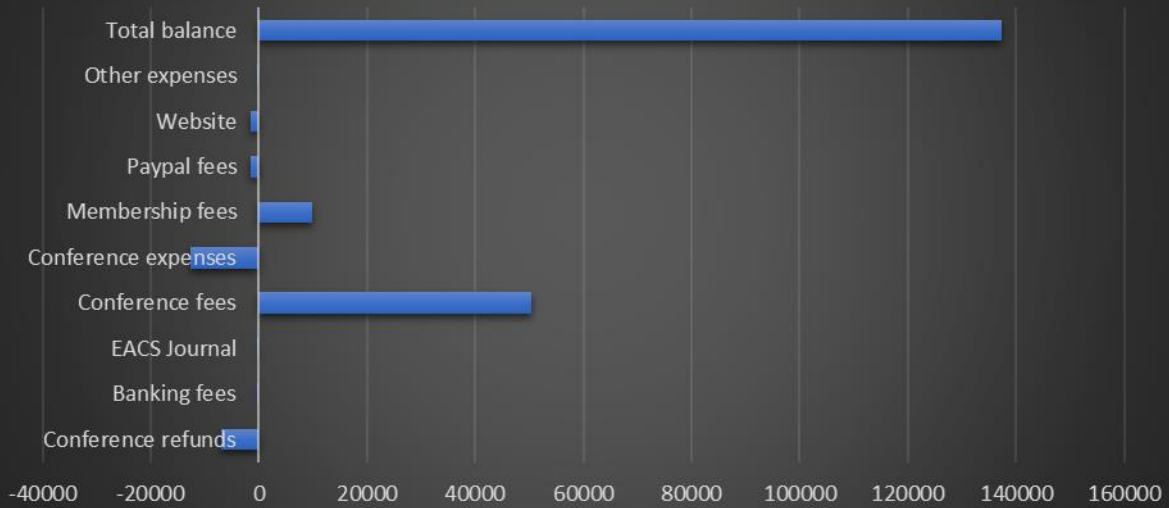
- Conference fees refunds: -€6.962,49
- Conference logistics -€12.559,8

Conference-related expenses have increased since June 30 and will appear on next year's report.

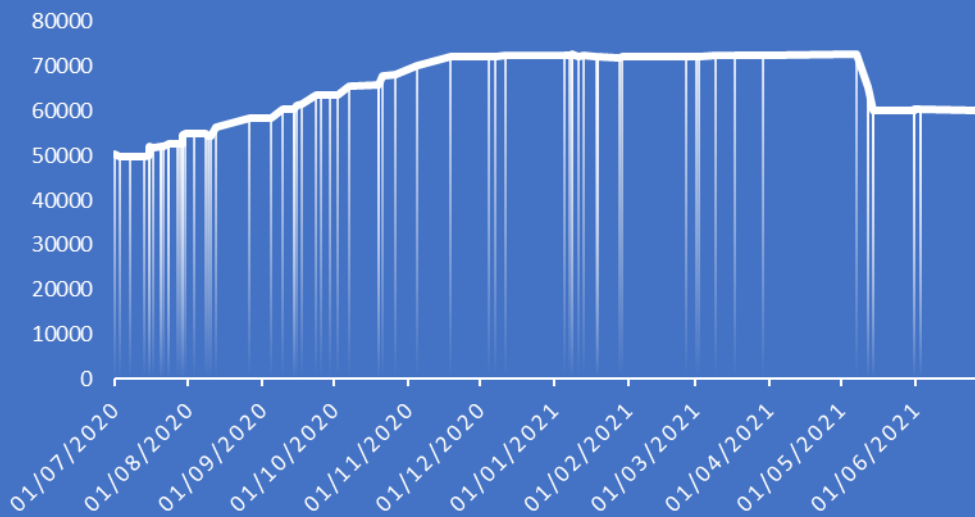
As to other expenses, Paypal fees remain high, mainly because of the number of operations on the account (i.e. payment of membership and conference fees). EASSH membership fees, website management and banking fees remain stable. The *European Journal of Chinese Studies* has not generated important costs in the past year, and a little sum was spent in using an online poll system to organize the 2020 EACS elections (ElectionRunner):

- ElectionRunner: -€55,89
- EASSH membership: -€125,00
- EACS Journal: -€200,00
- La Poste Banking fees: -€78,00
- Paypal fees: -€1.429,38
- Website: -€1.595,00

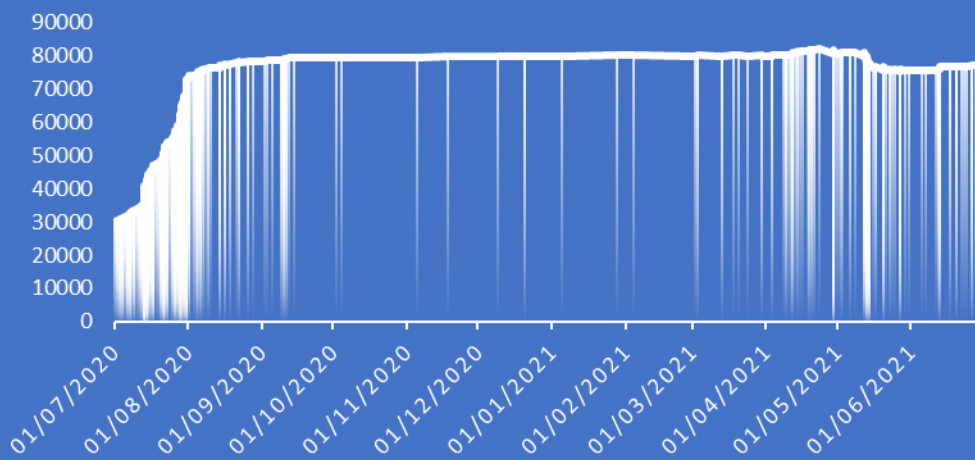
EACS 2020-2021 All Accounts Balance



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PAYPAL ACCOUNT TREND 2020-21



Claude Chevalyere (CNRS)
Treasurer

CCK FOUNDATION LIBRARY TRAVEL GRANT

Thanks to the support of the Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation, the EACS in 2022 will continue to fund one-week visits for specialized research in Sinological libraries or for research in one of the major European museums for Chinese art, depending on the availability of funds.

Applications received before the two deadlines of 20 March and 20 October will be considered within 3 weeks after receipt.

Applicants should be Sinologists based permanently in Europe, preferably paid-up members of the EACS. Non-members will be considered, especially in case of students and young scholars (up to 35 years), if accompanied by a recommendation letter from an EACS member.

Applications for Travel Grants are restricted to two applications by the same applicant, with first-time applicants having priority. Once the grant has been approved, the beneficiary must use it in maximum six months from the approval date.

Priorities are given to applicants as follows:

- a. Central and Eastern Europe students
- b. Western Europe students
- c. Central and Eastern Europe scholars
- d. Western Europe scholars

APPLICATIONS must include:

- a letter stating the library/museum to be visited and intended dates of travel;

- a statement of purpose, including a short description of the research project, with precise indication of the sources and material to be used (the easiest way to obtain this information is to consult the electronic catalogues of the respective libraries accessible also through the EACS website) or the collection;
- a written statement obtained from the librarian of the institute/curator where the proposed visit is to take place, confirming that the research materials required are available for consultation;
- a one-page curriculum vitae with a list of main publications (in case of more advanced scholars);
- a statement of the travel expenses (Apex economy airfare or 2nd class rail fare), including a note of other sources of funding;
- in the case of PhD students, a letter of recommendation from their supervisor;
- in the case of non-members, a letter of recommendation from an EACS member;
- address for correspondence, including e-mail.

Applications should be sent to the following coordinators by e-mail only:

1) for research on pre-modern China (i.e. before 1840) to:

Prof. Bernhard Fuehrer, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, Thornhaugh Street, Russell Square, London WC1H 0XG, United Kingdom. E-mail: bf3@soas.ac.uk.

Prof. Fuehrer is able to process applications sent by e-mail only;

2) for research on modern China (i.e. since 1840) to:

Prof. Andrea Riemenschnitter,
University of Zurich, Institute of
Asian and Oriental Studies,
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Zürichbergstr. 4, CH-8032 Zürich,
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3) for research in one of the major European museums for Chinese art to:

Minna Törmä, University of Glasgow,
History of Art, 8 University Gardens,
Glasgow G128QH, United Kingdom,
E-mail:
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Payment of Grants

1) If applications are approved, grants will be made to include travel expenses and a per diem allowance, which will vary from place to place.

2) The grants will be paid on completion of the visit.

3) Applicants who, due to special circumstances, need to receive the grant in advance, should indicate so in their application.

4) For citizens of Russia and other countries not belonging to the Euro Zone, arrangements will be made for them to collect the grant at the place of the library upon their arrival.

5) On completion of their visit, all recipients of a grant should obtain a letter signed by the librarian, certifying that the visit has been made

and specifying the dates when it began and ended.

6) The librarian's letter and a brief report of about one page should be sent directly to the administrator of the LTG finances: Claude Chevaleyre, Institut d'Asie Orientale (IAO), Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon, 15 Parvis René Descartes, BP 7000, 69342 Lyon Cedex France, E-mail: cchevaleyre@gmail.com

7) Any publication using material collected during the programme should include acknowledgement of support received from the CCK Foundation.

Librarians

(For further details about the libraries, see our website or the website of the European Association of Sinological Librarians at: www.easl.org.)

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REPORT ON THE LEIPZIG 2021 EACS CONFERENCE

The XXIII biennial conference of EACS was held virtually from 24 August to 27 August 2021. It was organised by the Sinology Department, Institute of East Asian Studies, of Leipzig University. The conference brought together 641 scholars from 43 countries, which made the event truly international and going far beyond the European boundaries. The top 10 of the most represented countries and regions included Germany (132 scholars), Great Britain (69), United States (62), People's Republic of China (51), Italy (48), Taiwan (43), Hong Kong (37), France (36), Switzerland (18), and Japan (18). 180 participants were PhD candidates or MA students. 68 % of the delegates were EACS members. 108 panel proposals (each covering 4 abstracts on average) and 522 individual paper proposals were received. This makes 954 abstracts altogether. After review by an international board of referees, consisting of 90 senior scholars, 102 panel abstracts and 376 individual paper abstracts were accepted. The organisers are deeply grateful to the jury for their expertise, devotion, and discipline.

The opening ceremony was held on Tuesday, 24 August, where the participants were addressed by Leipzig University Rector Professor Beate Schücking, President of EACS Professor Bart Dessein, and Professor Philip Clart of the Leipzig Sinology Department. The finalists and winner

of the 2020 digital Young Scholar Award competition were also given the floor.

The conference had two keynote speeches. The first keynote speech following the opening ceremony was delivered by Professor Dagmar Schäfer, Director of the Max Planck Institute for the History of Science (Berlin); the title of her presentation was ‘The Politics of History: How Political Was Knowledge Change in

China?’ The second keynote speech took place on Friday, 27 August, and was presented by Professor Michael Lackner of the University of Erlangen-Nuremberg: ‘Prognostication in Chinese Culture’.

The organisation of the conference programme was based on 20 thematic sections, late breaking sessions, and accompanying events. The final programme included the following numbers per section:

	Panels (usually 4 presenters + chair)			Individual papers		
	Applied	Passed	Presented	Applied	Passed	Presented
Archeology & Material Culture	3	3	3	16	14	4
Contemporary Arts, Performing Arts & Art History	6	6	3	34	27	16
Chinese as a Second Language	1	1	/	12	8	15
Language & Linguistics	6	6	3	32	23	
Economics	/			8	5	3
Environment	/			7	3	/
Gender & Queer	1	1	/	11	10	3
History (Modern)	16	14	13	45	33	21
History of Science and Technology	/			4	3	
History (Premodern)	17	15	15	21	17	14
Law	1	1	/	9	8	4
Literature (Modern)	7	7	3	69	47	29
Literature (Premodern)	11	11	7	53	41	31
Philosophy & Intellectual History	10	8	2	48	31	24
Religion	11	11	10	39	30	28
Politics (Domestic)	4	4	4	27	18	11
Politics (International Relations)	2	2	1	36	24	7
Sinology & Sociology of Scientific Knowledge	4	4	2	11	7	4
Sinophone Worlds	1	1	1	11	8	4
Sociology & Anthropology	7	7	4	29	19	3
Late Breaking Panels	5	5	3	/		
Accompanying Events	/		12	/		
Total	108	102	86*	522	376	221

* incl. 5 double panels

The academic programme of the conference was enriched by the exhibitions of a number of publishing houses. Amsterdam University Press, Brill, National Central Library Taiwan, CEPIEC, CNKI, CrossAsia, Peter Lang, and Walter de Gruyter were present with virtual displays; in addition, two publishers (Johns Hopkins University Press and CNKI) booked advertisements for the programme booklet.

Besides the contribution of the organising institutions, the conference was generously supported by the grant of the Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange. Considerable support was provided by the academic partners of the conference, including the German Research Foundation (DFG).

The organisation of the conference could not have been carried out without the dedicated input of Thorben Pelzer, Philip Clart, Elisabeth Kaske, Jessica Steinman, the film festival curator Philipp Niemitz, and 13 student assistants.

EACCS 2022

24th Biennial Conference

of the European Association for Chinese Studies

August 24–27, 2022 | Olomouc, Czech Republic

The next biennial conference of the European Association of Chinese Studies (EACS) will be held in Olomouc, Czech Republic, 24–27 August 2022, and organized by the Department of Asian Studies at Palacký University Olomouc.

Palacký University Olomouc was founded in the 16th century. It is the oldest university in Moravia and the second-oldest university in the Czech Republic. Its history goes back to 22 December 1573, when the former Jesuit College in Olomouc was given the right to confer degrees. It is one of the most prestigious universities in the Czech Republic and Central Europe, with a wide range of study programmes and copious scientific and research activities.

The EACS conference will be hosted at the Faculty of Arts in the heart of the historic part of Olomouc. Recently restored faculty buildings will provide all the necessary facilities and equipment for the conference.

Two keynote speeches will be delivered during the first two days of the conference, first by Professor David Uher, Associate Professor at the Department of Asian Studies at Palacký University Olomouc, and Professor Julie Yu-Wen Chen, Professor of Chinese Studies at the Department of Cultures at the Faculty of Arts at the University of Helsinki,

Finland. Both are leading scholars in their respective fields and have had an invaluable impact on the development of Olomouc Chinese studies.

Olomouc is the historical capital of Moravia and the administrative centre of the Olomouc Region. With a population of about 100,000 inhabitants, the city ranks as the sixth largest in the Czech Republic. Lonely Planet included it in its list of “Ten hidden gems of Europe” and called it “arguably the Czech Republic’s most beautiful town”. The historical heart of Olomouc is the second most important monument zone in the Czech Republic after Prague. It offers numerous places of interest, including the UNESCO world heritage site, the Holy Trinity Column, numerous museums, galleries, and other areas of interest.

We genuinely believe that the 24th Biennial Conference of the European Association for Chinese Studies will be held in physical form, and after four years, the scholars in Chinese studies from Europe and beyond will be able to meet again here in Olomouc.

For more information, please visit the Conference website at: <https://eacs.upol.cz/>

The abstract submission deadline is **15 January 2022**.

NEW BOOKS

- Bao, Hongwei. *Queer Media in China*. London: Routledge, 2021.
- Cherubini, Donatella and Anna Di Toro (eds.). *Da Siena all'Europa guardando alla Cina. Antonio Montucci (1762-1829). Atti della Giornata di Studi - Catalogo della Mostra documentaria*. Pisa: Pacini, 2021.
- van Els, Paul, and Carine Defoort. *Confucius spreekt*. Antwerpen: Pelckmans, 2021.
- Goodman, Bryna. *The Suicide of Miss Xi: Democracy and Disenchantment in the Chinese Republic*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2021.
- Goossaert, Vincent. *Heavenly Masters. Two Thousand Years of the Daoist State*. Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press & Hong Kong: Chinese University Press, 2021.
- Goossaert, Vincent. *Vies des saints exorcistes: Hagiographies taoïstes, 11^e-16^e siècles*. Paris, Les Belles Lettres (Bibliothèque chinoise), 2021.
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- Hardie, Alison, and Duncan M. Campbell (eds.). *The Dumbarton Oaks Anthology of Chinese Garden Literature*. Washington, DC: Dumbarton Oaks, 2020.
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- Kurz, Johannes. *The Imperial Library of the Northern Song: A Complete Translation of the Lintai gushi (canben) 麟台故事 (殘本) by Cheng Ju 程俱 (1078-1144)*. Heidelberg: CrossAsia-eBooks, 2021.
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- Li, Wai-yee and Yuri Pines (eds.). *Keywords in Chinese Culture*. Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press, 2020.

- Marinaccio, Julia. *Linking Theory with Practice? Cadre Training and Environmental Governance in China*. München: Ökom, 2021.
- Matthyssen, Mieke. *Ignorance Is Bliss: The Chinese Art of Not Knowing* (with a contribution from Louise Sundararajan). Cham: Palgrave Macmillan, 2021.
- Müller, Gotelind. *Chinese grave problems: the historical trajectory of the Republican-Era Sun-Chiang-Soong families as mirrored in their tombs*. Heidelberg: CrossAsia-Repository, 2021.
- Ng, Damien. *Currency Wars with China and Japan in Western Newsmagazines*. London: Routledge, 2022.
- Papelitzky, Elke. *Writing World History in Late Ming China and the Perception of Maritime Asia*. Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz, 2020.
- Pines, Yuri. *Zhou History Unearthed: The Bamboo Manuscript Xinian and Early Chinese Historiography*. New York: Columbia University Press (Translations from the Asian Classics Series), 2020.
- Pines, Yuri, Michal Biran and Jörg Rüpke (eds.). *The Limits of Universal Rule: Eurasian Empires Compared*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2021.
- Портяков, Владимир. *Экспериментальные зоны свободной торговли в Кумае*. Москва: Институт Дальнего Востока Российской академии наук, 2021. (Portyakov, Vladimir. *Pilot Free Trade Zones in China*. Moscow: Institute of Far Eastern Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences, 2021.)
- Tola, Gabriele. *John Fryer and The Translator's Vade-mecum: New Perspectives on the History of Modern Chinese Scientific and Technical Lexicon*. Leiden: Brill, 2021.
- Wang, Dong. *The United States and China: A History from the Eighteenth Century to the Present*. Lanham: Rowman & Littlefield, 2021.
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CALL FOR PAPERS

Journal of the European Association for Chinese Studies Volume 4 (2023)

The *Journal of the European Association for Chinese Studies* (JEACS) specially calls for panels to be held during the EACS conference in Olomouc under the topic "Culture and Memory". We invite investigations in all disciplinary fields of Chinese studies. A first panel on *Culture, Memory and Literary Style* is already in preparation. The journal appreciates a wide spectrum of contents. After the discussions in Olomouc, presenters will decide whether to submit a full research article for volume 4 by 1 September 2022. Submitted papers will all undergo the standard double peer-review procedure. To ensure that mutual participation of panelists in the discussions of other panels in relation to JEACS volume 4 will be possible, please inform Frank Kraushaar (franks.kraushaars@gmail.com) about your plan to submit a panel-abstract to the 2022 conference's organizing committee.

GUIDELINES FOR SHARING INFORMATION VIA THE EACS MAILING LIST AND WEBSITE

The aim of the EACS mailing list is to provide EACS members with information about the following:

- **academic events** (conferences, workshops, seminars and webinars, lecture series, roundtables, special panel sessions, interviews, summer and winter schools, and similar academic events that include more than just one speaker or presenter);
- **calls for papers or conference presentations;**
- **job advertisements** (including academic positions at all levels at universities, research centres and libraries; PhD scholarships and postdoctoral positions);
- **travel, study or research grants as well as fellowships;**
- **events of general interest to EACS members**, such as China-related lecture series, exhibitions, festivals or cultural events organized by or in collaboration with a Chinese Studies department.

In addition, the EACS mailing list publishes updates (e.g. deferred deadlines, changes of venue) of events or activities organized by its members. Individual lectures will generally not be advertised through the mailing list. Occasional exceptions might be made on a case-by-case basis.

The EACS treats all requests to post information on its mailing list equally. However, the final decision regarding all posts lies with the Vice Secretary-General who is also the chief mailing list editor.

Only members of the EACS are eligible to advertise events, calls or announcements through the EACS mailing list, or to receive emails via the list. The EACS mailing list uses membership information and email addresses stored in its member database. Mailing list posts are sent to the email address you have specified in your membership section. Members are kindly asked to ensure that their **personal information** is up-to-date.

The EACS mailing list and the website are two separate channels of communication. The mailing list is managed by the Vice Secretary-General, while the website is administered by the Webmaster. If you would like an item to be advertised via the mailing list as well as to be published on our website, please include both officers (vice secretary-general and the webmaster) in your request. Announcements will not automatically be circulated through the mailing list and posted on the website. The emails of all EACS officers can be found on the EACS website.

Posts send to the Vice Secretary-General for circulation on the mailing

list should as much as possible be written in gender-inclusive and non-discriminatory language. The EACS reserves the right to reject or to edit posts that do not conform to baseline standards of gender-inclusivity. Guidelines for the use of gender-inclusive language can be found here:

<https://www.un.org/en/gender-inclusive-language/guidelines.shtml>

All members must at all times observe an appropriate and professional tone in their communications with EACS officers. We will not tolerate any form of verbal abuse to EACS officers.

16 October 2021

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The EACS membership fee is presently €31 per annum for individual and corporate members (for members from Eastern European non-EU countries the cost is €16), and €16 per annum for student members (remember to send in a copy of your student ID). Members receive invoices asking to contribute their membership fees biannually. Fee payment for up to five years is recommended to save transfer costs. The EACS Newsletter and all other information about Chinese studies in Europe and beyond is sent free of charge to all members.

Please send payments to the EACS Treasurer Claude Chevaleyre via bank transfer or via the PayPal link on the EACS website.

Members living in the EURO zone are kindly asked to pay by bank transfer to the EACS account. Please use standard international transfer with the following:

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