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MESSAGE FROM THE NEWSLETTER EDITOR

It is my great pleasure to take over as Editor of the Newsletter from our colleague Nicholas Loubere who has done such an excellent job on the last two issues. I hope I can keep close to his high standards and I would like to thank him for all his help and kindness as I learn the ropes.

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.,) and the citation in Harvard style. 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.

Every effort is made to include all relevant news, but the editor reserves the right to edit all contributions for publication.

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REPORT FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear members of the EACS:

As usual at the end of the year, it is my pleasure to offer you a summary of our Association's activities for 2024, along with some information for the coming year.

First, I am glad to confirm that our Association enjoys good health in terms of membership and finances, as you can see in our Secretary-General's and our Treasurers' reports. At the General Assembly held in Tallinn on August 29th, the President, Secretary-General and Treasurers' reports have been shared with the attending members, discussed and approved. They summarized the activities and decisions taken by the Board over the last two years.

At the General Assembly I was deeply honored to have been confirmed as President for a second term, alongside the new Board members who were also elected. On behalf of all EACS members, I would like to express my deep gratitude to the colleagues who have served the Association as Board members in the last two years for their dedication and commitment, and especially those who have finished their term. At the same time, I give my warmest welcome to the new members of the Board and thank them for their enthusiasm and generosity in offering their expertise and energies to the benefit of the Association.

During the General Assembly, we also conferred the titles of Honorary Members of EACS to Professor Michael Loewe and to Professor Marianne Bastid-Bruguière for their invaluable contributions to Chinese Studies in Europe and to our Association. It was a significant moment, as all the members who were there can testify.

Our XXV Biennial Conference successfully took place at the University of Tallinn from August 27th to August 30th. The convenor, our Vice-President Prof. Lisa Indraccolo, did an excellent job and we are all deeply grateful to her for the enthusiasm and professionalism she poured into it. As you read in her report, the Conference has gathered a huge number of members and non-members for four intensive days of academic exchange and the quality of the presentations and of the debates has been very high. The participation of China scholars from all over the world testifies to this being the largest conference specifically dedicated to Chinese Studies in the West. It enhances the global visibility of Europe as a center for Chinese Studies, due to a rich and stimulating research environment, which is nourished by cultural diversity and by cooperation. As in recent years, the Conference and the Young Scholar Award, benefited from the financial support of the Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation.

The XXVI Conference will take place at Ca' Foscari University in Venice from the 20th to 26th of July 2026. The Conferences and Summer Schools that are usually

organized in alternate years are strategic initiatives for EACS. It is EACS members' responsibility to take charge of and develop them, with the full support of the Board. I am aware of the huge organizational effort behind conferences and summer schools, and I extend our gratitude to the colleagues who agree to do it. These initiatives are a significant contribution to the objectives of our Association and an enhancement of the visibility and significance of Chinese studies in Europe.

This coming year some important initiatives that were initiated by the previous Board will be completed.

The most important one concerns the improvement of our digital infrastructure. We identified the necessity of updating our member database, which represents a fundamental tool for our Association. The old database is now technically obsolete and consequently it has been shut down. Our new database is currently under construction, it will be hosted by an independent provider, and will hopefully be operational early next year. The need to ensure the protection of members' data means construction of the database will take several months and, as I said during the General Assembly, its implementation will require the cooperation of EACS members as they must accept the legal terms concerning the use of personal data.

The database will offer new functionalities and tools for the management of the Association as well as for individual members. For example, the provision of information through a mailing list, coupled with the ability to establish research networks among EACS members using the database, will be beneficial to all our academic activities. I am certain that EACS members will find the new database helpful and user-friendly.

Another important activity for next year concerns the collection of historical materials and sources concerning the EACS. In 2025 we will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the establishment of our Association, which was founded in Autumn 1975 and legally registered in January 1976 in Paris. The Board is planning some specific activities to celebrate that moment, and all the members will be informed by the mailing list or the website. As President, I think it is specifically important to acknowledge our history and to preserve the memory of these five decades. In these fifty years the European Association of Chinese Studies has grown to its present role as probably the largest scholarly association specifically dedicated to Chinese Studies, and one of the most important in Asian and area studies in general. This growth has been the outcome of the dedication and talents of many members over these years, who have believed that Chinese studies in Europe represent a fundamental resource in the European intellectual and academic world. Our anniversary will give us the opportunity to acknowledge their contribution and the long road we have travelled, as well as a chance to envision our future path. In my view, a real strength of the European Association of Chinese Studies has always been its inclusiveness, in terms of disciplines and research and academic cultures, and its capacity and willingness to preserve independence.

Relying mainly on universities, personal commitment and independent resources for the support of its academic and scientific activities, EACS has been able to pursue its mission and to act as an open platform of exchange and dialogue. It is our responsibility as members to maintain this.

This important past should be celebrated and its evidence should also be preserved. As already mentioned in the previous Newsletter, the Board is working to collect archives, visual sources and any kind of materials that witness our past in order to preserve them for future studies. I hope that we can count on the ongoing collaboration of EACS members to this end.

While preserving and reflecting on our past development, we should be aware that future times can be challenging for Chinese studies in Europe. The decrease in number of centers dedicated to Chinese and Asian studies due to reorganization and financial uncertainties in the higher educational and research sectors as well as the lower numbers of students of Chinese language in several countries are real phenomena to cope with. However, there is still room for growth and consolidation, as Chinese studies in Europe are not evenly developed, and that there are countries and areas where their growth needs support and help. As a scholarly association, but also due to its multinational and inclusive character, EACS can be instrumental in supporting this development, facilitating the exchange of experiences, knowledge and enhancing the academic networks within the European space and beyond.

As a conclusion, I hope that our Association will continue to be acknowledged by all members as an opportunity of connection and intellectual and professional growth in our field. As its President, with all the Board members, we are committed to this goal, and I wish to personally thank all the EACS members for their trust and support to our work.

Laura De Giorgi
President
29th November 2024

Sad news reached us on Jan 1st that Prof Loewe passed away at the age of 102. His loss will be keenly felt. A full obituary will appear on our website and in the next edition of the newsletter. – ed.

REPORT FROM THE SECRETARY

Election of EACS President and Board

On 29th August 2024, the General Assembly of the EACS reelected the President and elected a new Board for the Association. Prof. Laura De Giorgi (Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia), the only candidate standing for election, was reelected with 85 against 0 votes (abstentions: 3; invalid votes: 6).

EACS Board Members 2024-26 (in alphabetical order)

Bogushevskaya, Victoria (Università degli Studi di Bergamo)	IT	2024
Bréard, Andrea (Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg)	DE	2024
De Giorgi, Laura (Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia) – EACS President	IT	2022
Du, Juan (CY Cergy Paris University) – EACS Co-Treasurer	FR	2022
Indraccolo, Lisa (Tallinn University) – EACS Vice-President	EST	2020
Jaguścik, Justyna (University of Bern) – EACS Secretary-General	CH	2022
Liu, Jun (University of Copenhagen)	DK	2020
O'Brien, David (Jagiellonian University)	PL	2024
Rom, Avital H. (University of Cambridge) – EACS Vice Secretary-General	UK	2024
Rysakova, Polina (Saint Petersburg University)	RU	2020
Salmon, Nolwenn (Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3) – EACS Co-Treasurer	FR	2022
Sernelj, Téa (University of Ljubljana)	SI	2024
Schweiger, Irmy (Stockholm University)	SE	2022
Soffel, Christian (Universität Trier)	DE	2022
Torck, Mathieu (Ghent University)	BE	2020
Zádrapa, Lukáš (Charles University, Prague)	CZ	2020

EACS Young Scholar Award 2024

On 27 August 2024, the two finalists of the EACS Young Scholar Award presented their lectures at the EACS conference opening ceremony held in the Astra Foyer of the University of Tallin.

Eighteen papers were submitted for the YSA. The submissions, which were generally of high quality, were subsequently reviewed by both internal and external reviewers. The selection panel invited the following finalists to present their paper at the conference:

1. Marco Pouget (FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg), “Between Cooperation and Competition – A Comparative Reading of Eastern Han Commentaries to the Liji 禮記”;
2. Roman Lashin (Hong Kong Baptist University), “Reading Yan Lianke’s Fiction Through the Lens of Shijing Exegesis”.

The Selection Panel announced Marco Pouget (FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg) as the winner of the 2024 EACS Young Scholar Award. Congratulations to all finalists in the Young Scholar Award competition for their excellent papers and lectures.

EACS Honorary Members

On 29 August 2024, during the meeting of the EACS General Assembly in Tallinn, Marianne Bastide-Bruguère (CNRS, Paris; Académie des sciences morales et politiques) and Michael Loewe (University of Cambridge) were officially bestowed with the title of honorary membership in recognitions for their exceptional contribution to the EACS.

EACS Conferences 2026 and 2028

The 26th Biennial Conference of the EACS will take place at Ca’ Foscari University of Venice (Italy). The confirmed conference dates will be announced in due course.

The host of the 27th Biennial Conference has not been yet announced. EACS currently solicits application from academic institutions to host the 2028 EACS Conference. The EACS Board plans to begin review of expressions of interest on January 16, 2025.

50th Anniversary of the EACS

The European Association for Chinese Studies, founded 1975 in Paris, will celebrate its 50th anniversary in Fall 2025. To commemorate this important event, the EACS Board is planning to put together an online exhibition featuring information from the Association’s history (e.g. list of presidents, bi-annual conferences, conference programmes, summers schools), scholarly events hosted by EACS, publications and so forth. We would therefore like to encourage all members to submit materials they would like to contribute to this exhibition. Members can send us materials via a dedicated email address: eacs50@chinesestudies.eu.

Justyna Jaguścik & Thomas Jansen
(Current and Former Secretaries)
23rd December 2024

REPORT FROM THE TREASURERS

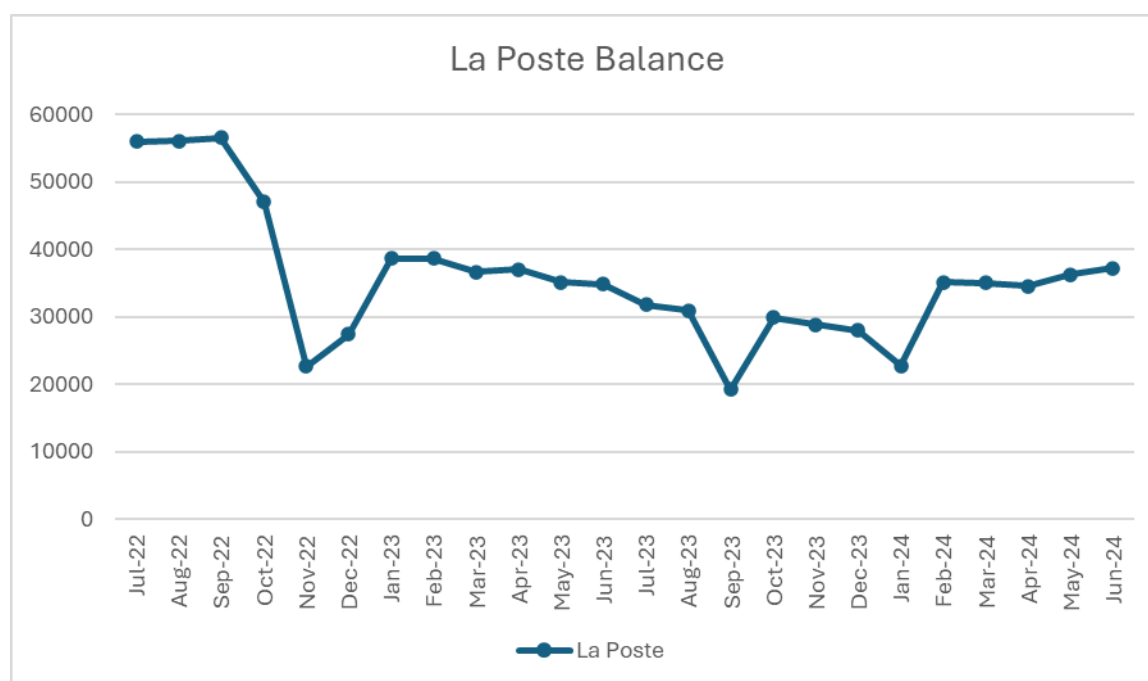
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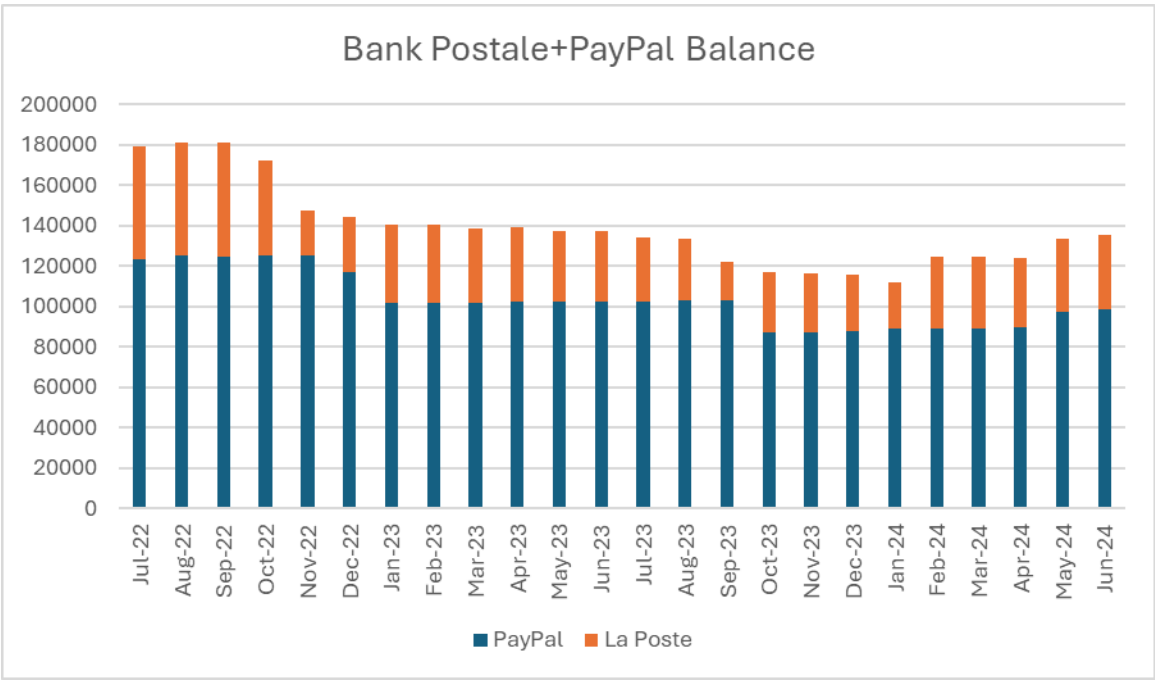
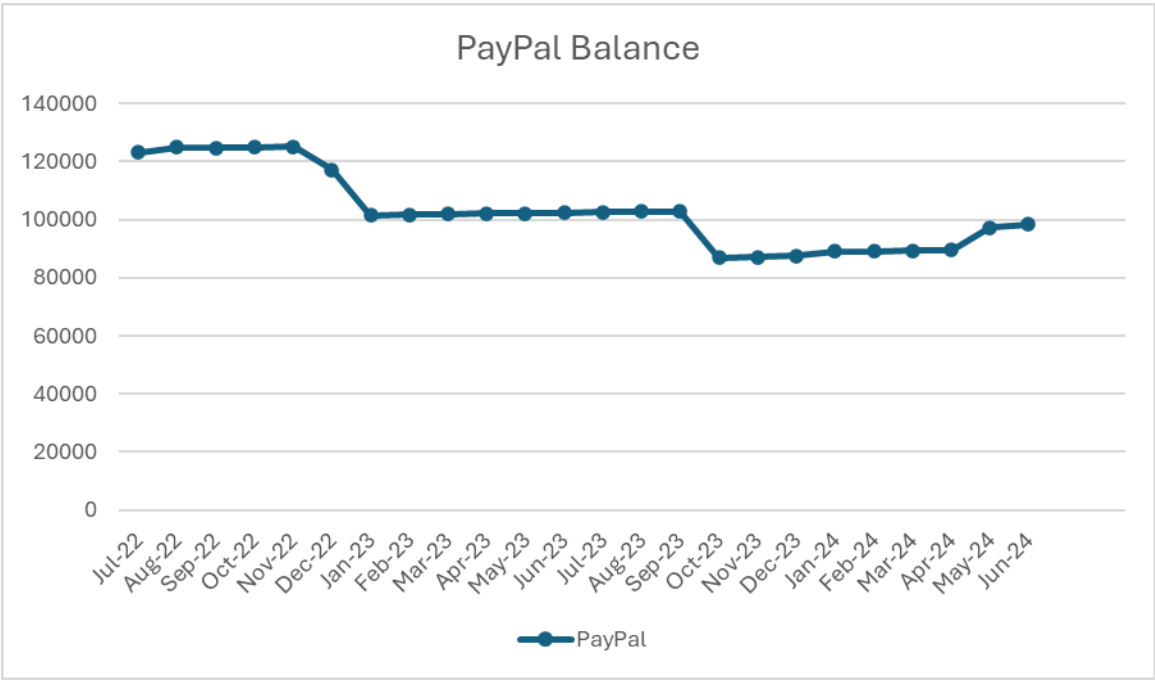
Membership

As of 30th June 2024, the EACS members database recorded 2231 members. Compared to June 2022 (2024), this represents an increase of +10,23%. Among these members, 93 were newly registered since May 2024. As to subscriptions, there were +255 membership subscriptions and renewals during the past year, against +89 in 2022-2023. This difference can be explained by the fact that the Association send a call for membership renewals in February 2024 (such calls are made every second year) and the coming of the Conference in Tallinn.

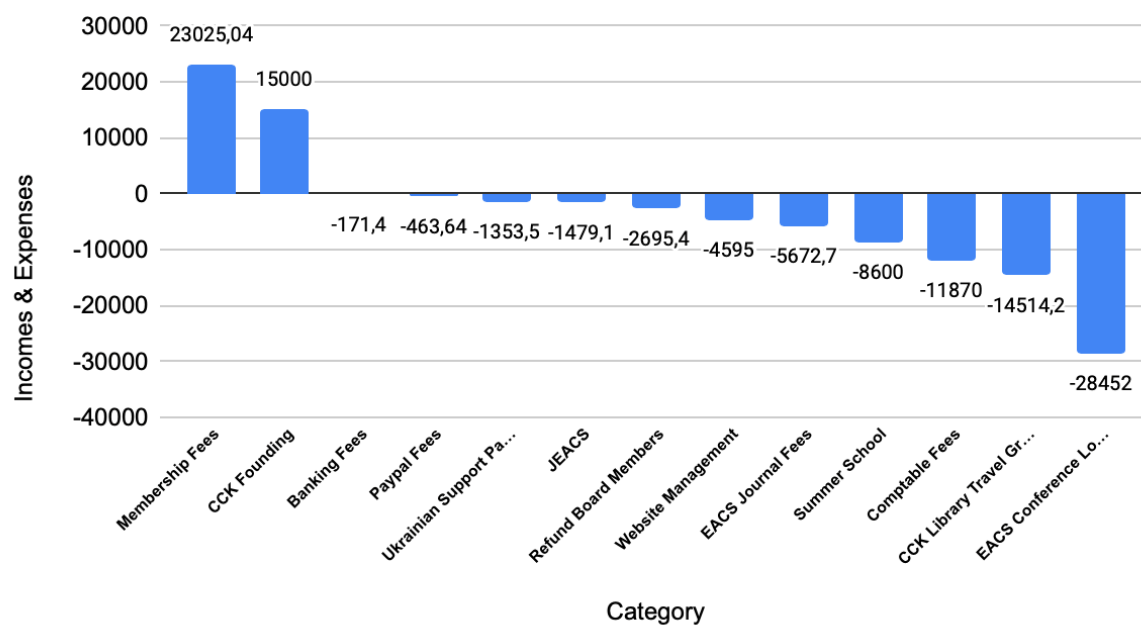
Accounts

By June 2024, the aggregate balance of the European Association of Chinese Studies' (Bank+Paypal) was €135 625,51, which represents a decrease of 24,56% compared to June 2022 (€179 777,08). In the detail, the balance on the Paypal account was €98 406,60, and the balance on the La Poste account was €37 218,91. In addition, the EACS still has fixed assets (investment), the amount of which remains at **€38591,40 Euro**. Interest earned over the last decade stands at **1589,23 Euro** (information from Michael Schimmelpfennig, our former treasurer).





Incomes & Expenses 2022-2024



YOUNG SCHOLAR AWARD 2024

EACS Young Scholar Award 2024

On 27th August 2024, two (instead of the expected three) finalists of the EACS Young Scholar Award presented their papers at the EACS conference in Tallinn. 18 papers were submitted for consideration for this year's YSA, after the extension of the initial deadline. The submissions were subsequently blind peer-reviewed by 24 internal and external reviewers. After the late withdrawal of the third nominee, the YSA Selection Panel invited the following finalists to present their paper at the conference:

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These papers are now published in JEACS vol. 5, 2024.

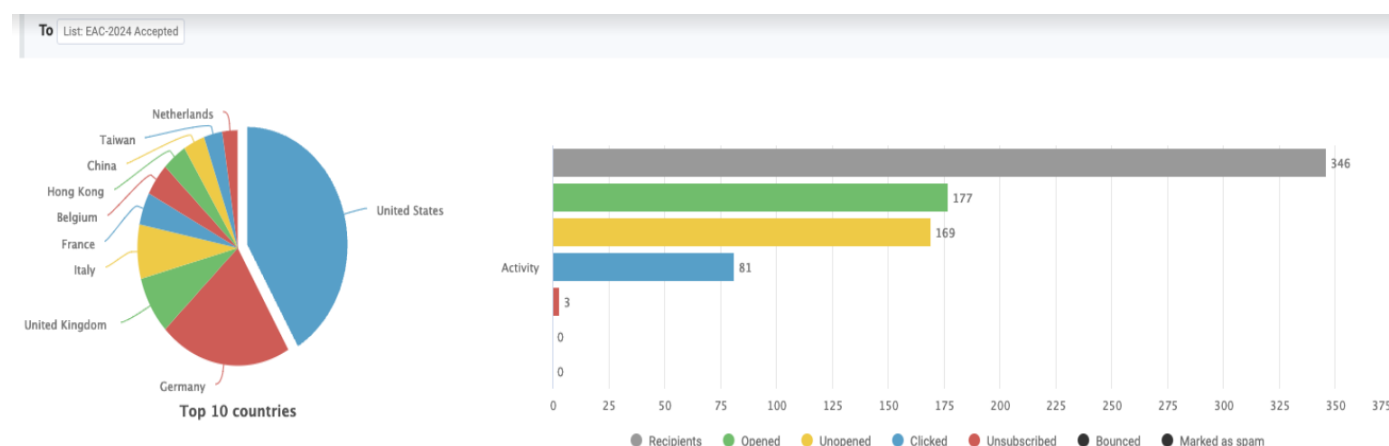
REPORT ON THE TALLINN 2024 CONFERENCE

The 25th Biennial Conference of the European Association for Chinese Studies took place from 27th–30th August 2024 at Tallinn University (TLU), Estonia. The conference was hosted by the EACS, and by the Department of Asian Studies and the Institute of Humanities in collaboration with the Conference Centre of Tallinn University.

In compliance with the EACS Board’s unanimous decision to return to onsite mode starting from this conference, the event was held fully onsite. The conference witnessed a high participation, with over 500 registered attendees, including 465 active conference participants (speakers, Chairs, and discussants) as well as auditors, affiliated with both national and international higher education institutions and research centres from all over the world. Conference attendees came from 33 different countries in Europe, Central Asia, East Asia, Southeast Asia, and North America.

The Call for Papers, issued in October 2023, offered 21 disciplinary categories – previously agreed upon with the EACS Board – under which proposals could be submitted. The types of proposals accepted at the conference included individual paper proposals; poster sessions; and panel (up to 4 speakers) and double-panel (up to 8 speakers) proposals. Altogether, there were 437 submissions, including both individual paper and poster abstracts, and panel proposals (58 altogether, of which 8 were double-panel proposals). The most popular disciplinary categories were Modern Literature, Modern History, and Premodern Literature. All the submitted abstracts and proposals underwent a double-blind peer review thanks to the invaluable collaboration of 170 external reviewers, all experts from reputable academic institutions worldwide. Of the received submissions, 346 were accepted into the conference programme.

Fig. 1. Accepted proposals



A dedicated conference website (<https://konverentsikeskus.tlu.ee/en/eacs-conference-2024>) was developed and kept up-to-date by the staff of TLU Conference Centre in collaboration with the conference convenor, Prof. Indraccolo. The conference programme and schedule were updated with all the last-minute changes until the last day of the conference. The final version of the conference schedule and the book of abstracts are still available and can be downloaded freely from the conference website.

All sessions took place at the main campus of Tallinn University, conveniently located in the heart of the city of Tallinn. The sessions were hosted in three interconnected buildings, the Astra, Silva, and Mare Buildings, which are linked by skybridges with enclosed walkways. The registration desk opened already in the afternoon before the first day of the conference, and was open every day until the last day of the conference. The desk was run by both members of the staff of the Conference Centre as well as an enthusiastic group of volunteer student helpers. All conference participants upon registration received the official conference tote bag with the usual conference materials. Additionally, the conference convenor Prof. Lisa Indraccolo had applied in due time with the government of the City of Tallinn to obtain a free-transport QR code that lasted from the day before the start until the day after the end of the conference. The QR code, available for all registered conference participants and valid for all means of transport, was conveniently printed on the back of the conference badge.

The Opening Ceremony took place in the largest available room at Tallinn University, the Auditorium Maximum in the Astra Building. After the welcome address by Tallinn University Vice Rector for Development, Katrin Saks, speeches were given by the EACS President, Prof. Laura De Giorgi, and the EACS Vice-President and conference convenor, Prof. Lisa Indraccolo, followed by the first keynote lecture, delivered by the esteemed Estonian intellectual, academic and writer Prof. Rein Raud (Tallinn University). The Young Scholar Award 2024 took place right after the first keynote lecture, featuring presentations by the two finalists, Marco Pouget (University of Munich) and Roman Lashin (Hong Kong Baptist University).

Besides two coffee breaks per day, catered buffet lunches were included as part of the offer covered by the conference registration fees. A standing Welcome Reception was offered to registered conference participants on the second evening of the conference, 28th August, after the end of the daily scientific programme. The Reception was held in the main atrium of the university in the Astra Building.

Along with the scientific programme, conference participants and their accompanying guests could enjoy a rich and varied cultural programme, including daytime and evening walking tours of Tallinn Old Town; guided tours of the Kadriorg Palace and gardens; guided tours of the KUMU Art Museum; and a chocolate-making workshop at the experimental Scientific Kitchen of the university.

Finally, the opportunity to join an organized trip outside Tallinn was offered on the day after the end of the conference, 31st August, with a choice among three possible destinations. A Book Exhibition was also organized in a dedicated space in the main atrium of the Astra Building, featuring major international academic publishers, such as Taiwan National Library, Brill-De Gruyter, and Amsterdam University Press, among others. Finally, for the first time the EACS Conference hosted a meeting in conjunction, organized by the Society for the Study of Chinese Religions (SSCR), which was structured as a book-publishing symposium.

The EACS General Assembly was held on 29th August after the delivery of the second keynote by Prof. Teemu Ruskola (University of Pennsylvania). During the Assembly, the EACS Secretary General and the Treasurer shared their reports; the dates of the forthcoming EACS 2026 Conference, to be held at Ca' Foscari University of Venice, were announced and two members of the organizing team gave a presentation about the venue; finally, the winner of the YSA 2024 was announced and the winning certificate was awarded to Marco Pouget. Awards were also given to the recently nominated EACS Honorary Members, M.me Marianne Bastide-Bruguière (CNRS, Paris; Académie des sciences morales et politiques) and Prof. Michael Loewe (University of Cambridge). The newly elected and reconfirmed members of the Board had their first official Board Meeting right after the General Assembly.

Finally, on the last evening of the conference after the end of the scientific programme, a seated formal gala dinner was hosted at the Seaplane Harbour, Estonian Maritime Museum, with an initial guided tour of the museum and musical and dance entertainment provided by the male choir and the traditional folk dance student group Soveldaja of Tallinn University.

The conference and the YSA 2024 were made possible thanks to the generous financial support received by the Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange (CCKF). Additional funding was provided by the Institute of Humanities at TLU. Administrative, logistic, and IT support was provided by the Conference Centre of TLU and by volunteer student helpers.

CHIANG CHING-KUO FOUNDATION LIBRARY TRAVEL GRANT 2025

Thanks to the generous support of the Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation, the EACS will continue the Travel Grant scheme in 2025. The scheme aims to support researchers who wish to undertake specialised research in one of the major European sinological libraries or museums for Chinese art. Visits should normally not exceed one week. The award of a Travel Grant is subject to the availability of funds at the time of application.

Applications received before the deadline of 15 March 2025 will be considered within 3 weeks after receipt. Applicants should be paid-up EACS members based in Europe, but applications from non-members, especially from students and young scholars (up to 35 years), will also be considered 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 within six months from the approval date.

Each application will be considered on its own merit, but priority will be given to the following applicant groups in descending order:

- a. Ph.D. students and post-doctoral fellows from Ukraine, irrespective of their current place of study;
- b. Ph.D. students and post-doctoral fellows in European Institutions with no specific financial support from their own institutions;
- c. Scholars based in Central and Eastern Europe;
- d. Scholars based in Western Europe.

In addition to the above regional criteria priority will be given to researchers on temporary contracts or without access to other sources of research funding. Applicants are asked to include a statement regarding the availability or non-availability of alternative funding in their application letter.

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 grant coordinators by e-mail only:

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

Vincent Durand-Dastès, INALCO, 65 rue des Grands Moulins, 75013 Paris, E-mail: vincent.duranddastes@inalco.fr;

Valérie Lavoix, INALCO, 65 rue des Grands Moulins, 75013 Paris, E-mail: vlavoix@inalco.fr

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

Andrea Riemenschneider, University of Zurich, Institute of Asian and Oriental Studies, Department of Chinese Studies, Zürichbergstr. 4, CH-8032 Zurich, Switzerland, E-mail: andrea.riemenschneider@aoi.uzh.ch

3) For research in one of the major European museums for Chinese art to:

Dr Michelle Huang, University of St Andrews, School of Art History, 79 North Street, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9AL, E-mail: ylh@st-andrews.ac.uk

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: Juan Du, Bureau D574, Site des Chenes, 33 Bd. du Port 95011, Cergy-Pontoise cedex, France, E-mail: juan.du@cyu.fr
- 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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NEW BOOKS

- Armand, Cécile. (2024) *Madmen in Shanghai: A Social History of Advertising in Modern China (1914–1956)*. Berlin: De Gruyter Oldenbourg.
- Bisceglia, Marta R., Iezzi, Adriana and Merenda, Martina. (2024) *Graffiti in China*. Bologna: 1088press.
- Cao, Qing. (2023) *The Language of Nation-State Building in Late Qing China*. London: Routledge
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