

Past Reischauer Institute Postdoctoral Fellows

2025-26

Frederick Feilden (Early Modern Japanese Literature, Cambridge, 2025)

Deanna Nardy (Japanese Literature and Media, Columbia, 2025)

Duncan Reehl (Ethnomusicology, BU, 2024)

Qiaoyan Rosenberg (Sociology, UCLA, 2025)

Aoi Saito (Modern Japanese History, Northwestern, 2025)

2024-2025

Joel Littler (Modern Japanese History, Oxford, 2024)

Alexander Murphy (Media Studies, Chicago, 2022)

James Scanlon-Canegata (Premodern Japanese Literature, Yale, 2024)

Jonathan Thumas (Japanese Religion, Harvard, 2024)

2023-2024

Caitlin Casiello (Japanese Film and Media Studies, Yale, 2023)

Michelle Hauk (Modern Japanese History, Columbia, 2023)

Matthew Keller (Religion, USC, 2022)

Daniel Said Monteiro (Early Modern Japanese History, Paris Cité, 2023)

2022-2023

Emily Cole (Modern Japanese History, Oregon, 2022)

Evan Koike (Anthropology, UBC, 2022)

Kyle Peters (East Asian Languages and Civilizations/Philosophy, Chicago, 2021)

Emily Simpson (East Asian Languages and Cultural Studies/Religion, UC Santa Barbara, 2019)

Danica Truscott (Premodern Japanese Literature, UCLA, 2022)

2021-2022

Shayne Dahl (Anthropology, Toronto, 2019)

Shiori Hiraki (History of Art and Architecture, SOAS London, 2021)

Kara Juul (Oriental Studies/ Sociology, Oxford, 2021)

Youjia Li (Modern Japanese History, Northwestern, 2021)

Keyao Pan (Modern Japanese History, Chicago, 2021)

2020-2021

Thomas Gaubatz (Modern Japanese Literature, Columbia, 2016)

Michaela Kelly (Cultural Anthropology, UTokyo, 2016)

Daniele Lauro (Modern Japanese History, UNC Chapel Hill, 2019)

Mattias Van Ommen (Cultural Anthropology, Hawaii, Manoa, 2020)

2019-2020

Yuki Asahina (Sociology, Hawaii, Manoa, 2019)

Lewis Bremner (Modern Japanese History, Oxford, 2019)

Kaoru Hayashi (Premodern Japanese Literature, Princeton, 2018)

Matthew Mullane (Japanese Art and Architectural History, Princeton, 2019)

2018-2019

Michael Abele (Premodern Japanese History, Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, 2018)
Julia Alekseyeva (Comparative Literature, Harvard, 2017)
Robert Hegwood (Modern Japanese History, UPenn, 2018)
Lisa Hofmann-Kuroda (Modern Japanese Literature, UC Berkeley, 2018)
Mari Ishida (Modern Japanese Literature, UCLA, 2016)
Anna Skarpelis (Sociology, NYU, 2018), *Japan Digital Postdoc*

2017-2018

Matthieu Felt (Premodern Japanese Literature, Columbia, 2017)
Colin Jones (Japanese History, Columbia, 2017)
Adam Lyons (Religion, Harvard, 2017)
Ryo Morimoto (Anthropology, Brandeis, 2016)
Amanda Robinson (Anthropology, Pittsburgh, 2017)

2016-2017

Kimberly Icreverzi (Comparative Literature, UC Irvine, 2015)
Sachiko Kawai (Premodern Japanese History, USC, 2015)
Ryo Morimoto (Anthropology, Brandeis, 2016)
Stephen Poland (Modern Japanese Literature & Film, Yale, 2016)
Yurika Wakamatsu (Japanese Art History, Harvard, 2016)

2015-2016

Ethan Bushelle (Japanese Religion and Literature, Harvard, 2015)
Michelle Damian (Premodern Japanese History, USC, 2015)
Tristan Grunow (History, Oregon, 2014)
Gabriele Koch (Anthropology, Michigan, 2014)

2014-2015

Joshua Frydman (Premodern Japanese Literature, Yale 2014)
Noemie Godefroy (Japanese Language & History, INALCO 2013)
Andrew Levidis (Japanese History, Kyoto 2013)
Joanna Sturiano (Japanese Literature, Stanford 2014)

2013-2014

Ryan Cook (Japanese Literature and Film, Yale, 2013)
Maren Ehlers (East Asian Studies/Japanese History, Princeton, 2011)
Miki Kaneda (Music with Designated Emphasis in New Media, UC Berkeley, 2012)
Akiko Walley (History of Art and Architecture/East Asian Buddhist Art, Harvard, 2009)

2012-2013

Molly Des Jardin (Asian Languages and Cultures, Michigan, 2012)
Nick Kapur (International History, Harvard, 2011)
Halle O'Neal (Art History, Kansas, 2011)
Franz Prichard (Asian Languages and Cultures, UCLA, 2011)
Jeremy Yellen (History, Harvard, 2012)

2011-2012

Christopher Callahan (Religion, Harvard, 2011)
Eric Dinmore (East Asian Studies, Princeton, 2006)
Diane Wei Lewis (Cinema and Media Studies, Chicago, 2011)
Eunmi Mun (Sociology, Harvard, 2011)

2010-2011

Marié Abe (Ethnomusicology, UC Berkeley, 2010)
Robert Goree (East Asian Literature, Yale, 2010)
Emer O'Dwyer (History and East Asian Languages, Harvard, 2007)

2009-2010

Raja Adal (History, Harvard, 2009)
Michael Fisch (Anthropology, Columbia, 2008)
Deborah Solomon (History, Michigan, 2009) [Korea Institute joint affiliation]

2008-2009

Jonathan Abel (Comparative Literature, Princeton, 2005)
Chelsea Foxwell (Art History, Columbia, 2008)
Ayu Majima (Social and Cultural History, International Christian, 2004)
Trent Maxey (History, Cornell, 2005)
Jun Uchida (History, Harvard, 2005) [Korea Institute joint affiliation]

2007-2008

Hwansoo Kim (Religion, Harvard, 2007)
Federico Marcon (History, Columbia, 2007)
Matthew Marr (Sociology, UCLA, 2007)
Samuel Perry (East Asian Literature, Chicago, 2007) [Korea Institute joint affiliation]
Gavin Whitelaw (Anthropology, Yale, 2007)

2006-2007

Anna Andreeva (Japanese Studies, Cambridge, 2006)
Christopher Bondy (Sociology, Hawaii, Manoa, 2005)
Edward Drott (Religious Studies, Pennsylvania, 2005)
Seth Jacobowitz (East Asian Literature, Cornell, 2006)
Aaron William Moore (History, Princeton, 2006)

2005-2006

Haeng-ja Sachiko Chung (Anthropology, UCLA, 2004)
Matthew Fraleigh (Literature, Harvard, 2005)
Rebecca Suter (Literature, Università degli Studi di Napoli "L'Orientale", 2004)
Yuma Totani (History, UC Berkeley, 2005)

2004-2005

Gina Cogan (Religion, Columbia, 2004)
Robert Hellyer (History, Stanford, 2001)
Abby Margolis (Anthropology, Pittsburgh, 2002) [Fall 2005]
Suzanne O'Brien (History, Columbia, 2003)

David Odo (Anthropology, Oxford, 2004)

2003-2004

Jeffrey Bayliss (History, Harvard, 2003)

Fusae Kanda (Art History, Yale, 2002)

Sho Konishi (History, Chicago, 2003)

Mukund Subramanian (Anthropology, Stanford, 2002)

Derek Wolff (History, Chicago, 2003)

2002-2003

Linda Isako Angst (Anthropology, Yale, 2001)

Charo D'Etcheverry (East Asian Studies, Princeton, 2000)

Franziska Seraphim (History, Columbia, 2001)

R. Kenji Tierney (Anthropology, UC Berkeley, 2002)

Lori Watt (History, Columbia, 2002)

2001-2002

Stefania Burk (Japanese Literature, UC Berkeley, 2001)

Ian Condry (Anthropology, Yale, 1999)

Darryl Flaherty (History, Columbia, 2001)

Naomi Fukumori (Literature, Columbia, 1999)

Mark Alan Jones (History, Columbia, 2001)

2000-2001

Rachel DiNitto (Modern Japanese Literature, Washington, 2000)

Sumiko Otsubo (History, Ohio State, 1998)

Liang Pan (International Political Economy, Tsukuba, 2000)

1999-2000

Hiroshi Aoyagi (Anthropology, British Columbia, 1999)

Christopher Hill (Japanese and Comparative Literature, Columbia, 1999)

Kiyomi Kusumoto (Linguistics, UMass Amherst, 1999)

Laura (McGuinness) Ginsburg Spielvogel (Anthropology, Yale, 1998)

1998-1999

Mark McNally (History, UCLA, 1998)

Eric Rath (Japanese History, Michigan, 1998)

John M. Rogers (History, Harvard, 1998)

Akihiko Uechi (Linguistics, British Columbia, 1998)

1997-1998

Adam Kern (Literature, Harvard, 1997)

Kenneth Ruoff (History, Columbia, 1997)

Gennifer Weisenfeld (Japanese Art History, Princeton, 1997)

1996-1997

Timothy George (History, Harvard, 1996)
Kyu Hyun Kim (History and East Asian Languages, Harvard, 1996)
Aviad Elchanan Raz (Sociology and Anthropology, Tel-Aviv, 1996)
Christine Yano (Anthropology, Hawaii, Manoa, 1995)

1995-1996

Seung-mi Han (Social Anthropology, Harvard, 1995)
Haruo Iguchi (History, Chicago, 1995)
Jordan Sand (History, Columbia, 1995)
Carol Richmond Tsang (History, Harvard, 1995)

1994-1995

Satohiro Akimoto (Sociology, Harvard, 1994)
Lawrence Fouraker (Modern Japanese History, UC Berkeley, 1994)
Andrew Maske (Japanese Arts, Oxford, 1994)
Hiroshi Ohta (Political Science, Columbia, 1994)

1993-1994

Joanne Bernardi (East Asian Languages and Cultures, Columbia, 1992)
Frederick Dickinson (History, Yale, 1993)
Gordon Mathews (Cultural Anthropology, Cornell, 1993)
Courtney Purrington (Government, Harvard, 1993)

1992-1993

Nam-lin Hur (Religion and East Asian Studies, Princeton, 1992)
Tomiko Narahara (Linguistics, Harvard, 1991)
Louise Young (History, Columbia, 1992)

1991-1992

Galen Amstutz (Religion and East Asian Studies, Princeton, 1991)
Ronald Frank (Japanese History, Humboldt, Berlin, 1991)
William Samonides (Fine Arts, Harvard, 1991)
De-Min Tao (History, Osaka, 1991)

1990-1991

Charles Inouye (Modern Japanese Literature, Harvard, 1988)
Deborah J. Milly (Political Science, Yale, 1990)
Edward E. Pratt (Japanese History, Virginia, 1990)
Kaus Vietze (Economics, Humboldt, Berlin, 1990)

1989-1990

Suzanne Culter (Sociology, Hawaii, Manoa, 1989)
F. Curtis Miles (History, SUNY Buffalo, 1989)
Leonard J. Schoppa (Japanese Politics, Oxford, 1989)
John P. Solt (Literature, Harvard, 1989)

1988-1989

Mildred R. Creighton (Anthropology, Washington, 1988)

Andrew Goble (East Asian Studies, Stanford, 1987)

Marilyn Ivy (Anthropology, Cornell, 1987)

Constantine Vaporis (East Asian Studies, Princeton, 1987)

1987-1988

Takashi Fujitani (History, UC Berkeley, 1986)

David Groth (Political Science, Stanford, 1987)

William D. Johnston (History, Harvard, 1987)

1986-1987

Marie Anchordoguy (Business and Public Policy, UC Berkeley, 1986)

L. Bruce Darling (Oriental Art History, Michigan, 1983)

Robert Dekle (Economics, Yale, 1987)

Laura Hein (Modern Japanese History, Wisconsin, Madison, 1986)

1985-1986

Joel Ralph Cohn (Literature, Harvard, 1984)

1984-1985

Kenneth Kraft (East Asian Studies, Princeton, 1984)

1983-1984

Sally Ann Hastings (History, Chicago, 1980)

Bob Tadashi Wakabayashi (East Asian Studies, Princeton, 1982)

1982-1983

Sumie Jones (Comparative Literature, Washington, 1979)

Samuel Yamashita (History, Michigan, 1981)

1981-1982

David Douglas Brown (History, Hawaii, Manoa, 1981)