Unless otherwise indicated, seminars are moderated by Susan Pharr, Program Director and Edwin O. Reischauer Professor of Japanese Politics. Lunch is available for purchase in the Fisher Family Commons on the first floor of the CGIS Knafel Building.

**Tuesday, September 6, 12:30-2:00 pm**
Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**U.S. Strategy toward China and Japan | Joseph Nye**, Harvard Kennedy School | Co-sponsored by Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies; International Security Program (ISP), Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, Harvard Kennedy School | Special Series on the Future of East Asia | This seminar series is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

**Tuesday, September 20, 12:30-2:00 pm**
Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**Japan's Global Reach: Development Cooperation and Foreign Policy | Akihiko Tanaka**, President (2012-15), Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), and University of Tokyo | Co-sponsored by Harvard University Asia Center | Special Series on the Future of East Asia | This seminar series is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

**Monday, September 26, 4:15-5:30 pm**
Starr Auditorium, Harvard Kennedy School, 79 J.F.Kennedy Street


**Tuesday, September 27, 12:30-2:00 pm**
Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**China's Rise in the Asia-Pacific Region and Japanese Foreign Policy | Makoto Iokibe**, Chancellor, Prefectural University of Kumamoto, and Harvard University | Discussant: Arne Westad, Harvard Kennedy School | Co-sponsored by Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies; Ash Center for Democratic Governance and Innovation, Harvard Kennedy School; Harvard University Asia Center | Special Series on the Future of East Asia | This seminar series is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

**Tuesday, October 4, 12:30-2:00 pm**
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**Friday, October 7, 4:00-5:30 pm**
Porte Room (S250), CGIS South Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**Reconstruction after Natural Disasters: Lessons from Kobe, Tohoku, and Kumamoto | Makoto Iokibe**, Chancellor, Prefectural University of Kumamoto, and Harvard University | Reischauer Institute Japan Forum, co-sponsored by the Program on U.S.-Japan Relations | Special Series on Japan's 2011 Disasters

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Tuesday, October 11, 12:30-2:00 pm
Bowen-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street
Japan’s Soft Power in Asia and the World | Seiichi Kondo, Kondo Institute for Culture & Diplomacy; Commissioner, Agency for Cultural Affairs, Japan (2010-13) | Moderator: Theodore Bestor, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Harvard University Asia Center | Special Series on the Future of East Asia | This seminar series is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

Tuesday, October 18, 12:30-2:00 pm
Bowen-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street
American History Unbound: Asians and Pacific Islanders | Gary Okihiro, Columbia University | Moderator: Walter Johnson, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Charles Warren Center for Studies in American History; Asian American Studies Working Group, Committee on Ethnicity, Migration, Rights; Harvard University Asia Center

Tuesday, October 25, 12:30-2:00 pm
Bowen-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street
Hirohito, the Remaking of Modern Japan, and U.S. Asia Policy: A Reassessment | Herbert P. Bix, Binghamton University | Moderator: Andrew Gordon, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Edwin O. Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies

Tuesday, November 1, 12:30-2:00 pm
Belfer Case Study Room (S020), Japan Friends of Harvard Concourse, CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street
Gender Inequality and Fertility in Japan and South Korea | Mary Brinton, Harvard University | Eunsil Oh, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Department of Sociology; Weatherhead Initiative on Gender Inequality (WIGI); Korea Institute | Special Series on Common Problems of Advanced Democracies

Monday, November 7, 12:30-2:00 pm
Belfer Case Study Room (S020), Japan Friends of Harvard Concourse, CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street
The 2016 Presidential Election: What’s at Stake? | Michael Dukakis, Northeastern University; Democratic Party Nominee for the President of the United States (1988); and Governor of Massachusetts (1975-79; 1983-91) | Co-sponsored by Center for American Political Studies (CAPS)

Tuesday, November 15, 12:30-2:00 pm
Bowen-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street
Dynasties and Democracies in Japan | Daniel Smith, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Department of Government

Tuesday, November 29, 12:30-2:00 pm
Bowen-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street
TBA | Toshiko Mori, Harvard University Graduate School of Design and Principal, Toshiko Mori Architect | Co-sponsored by Edwin O. Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies

Tuesday, December 6, 12:30-2:00 pm
Bowen-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street
TBA | Megumi Naoi, University of California, San Diego

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