



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, 1737 Cambridge Street.

**Tuesday, February 7, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Belfer Case Study Room (S020), Japan Friends of Harvard Concourse, CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street

**Grand Strategy and American Power in the Asia Pacific Since 1783** | **Michael Green**, Georgetown University and Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) | Co-sponsored by Harvard University Asia Center | Special Series on the Future of East Asia | This seminar is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

**Tuesday, February 14, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**Why Do Voters Elect Celebrities? Evidence from Japan** | **Justin Reeves**, Harvard University

**Tuesday, February 21, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**Is Japan Becoming a More Unequal Society? Long-Term Trends and Cross-National Comparisons** | **Hiroshi Ishida**, University of Tokyo | Moderator: **Mary C. Brinton**, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Department of Sociology; Malcolm Wiener Center for Social Policy, Harvard Kennedy School | Special Series on the Changing Face of Japan | This seminar is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

**Tuesday, February 28, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**A Productivity Revolution and Japan's Revitalization** | **Dale Jorgenson**, Harvard University | Co-sponsored by Department of Economics; Mossavar-Rahmani Center for Business and Government, Harvard Kennedy School

**Tuesday, March 7, 12:30-2:00 pm**

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**Miyazakiworld: Popular Culture and the Uses of Enchantment** | **Susan Napier**, Tufts University | Co-sponsored by Edwin O. Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies

**Tuesday, March 21, 12:30-2:00 pm**

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**Japan, South Korea, and the U.S. Nuclear Umbrella** | **Terence Roehrig**, U.S. Naval War College | Co-sponsored by Kim Koo Forum on U.S.-Korea Relations, Korea Institute

**Monday, March 27, 12:30-1:45 pm**

Kang Room (S050), Japan Friends of Harvard Concourse, CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street

**Title TBA** | **Hideshi Tokuchi**, Sasakawa Peace Foundation USA; Vice-Minister of Defense for International Affairs (2014-15), Government of Japan

**Tuesday, March 28, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**Immigrant Incorporation in East Asian Democracies** | **Erin Chung**, Johns Hopkins University | Co-sponsored by Kim Koo Forum on U.S.-Korea Relations, Korea Institute | Special Series on the Changing Face of Japan | This seminar is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

### **Tuesday, April 4, 12:30-2:00 pm**

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**Cooperation and Rivalry in the Global Political Economy** | **Nobuhiro Hemmi**, Deloitte Tohmatsu Consulting | **Kozue Meguro**, Ministry of Finance | **Sho Funakoshi**, Yomiuri Shimbun | Discussant: **William Grimes**, Boston University

### **Friday, April 7, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Kang Room (S050), Japan Friends of Harvard Concourse, CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street

**Japan's Economic Reform Agenda** | **Rie Niida**, Ministry of Justice | **Do Ozaki**, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (MAFF) | **Hideya Sakyu**, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) | Discussant: **Mary Alice Haddad**, Wesleyan University

### **Tuesday, April 11, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**International Organizations and Foreign Policy: The Case of Japan** | **Christina Davis**, Princeton University

### **Tuesday, April 18, 12:30-2:00 pm**

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**A New Era of U.S.-Japan Energy and Security Cooperation** | **Hidefumi Nogami**, Asahi Shimbun | **Takeshi Ujiie**, Tokyo Gas Company | **Issei Akahori**, Keidanren | Discussant: **Daniel Aldrich**, Boston University

### **Friday, April 21, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Kang Room (S050), CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street

**U.S. Alliances and East Asia's Security Threats** | **Azusa Katagiri**, Harvard University | **Ryo Kiyomiya**, Asahi Shimbun | **Hiroaki Sakamoto**, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) | Discussant: **Thomas U. Berger**, Boston University

### **Tuesday, April 25, 12:00-2:00 pm**

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**Trump and Asia: Business as Usual?** | **William Kirby**, Harvard University | **Mireya Solís**, The Brookings Institution | **Mark Wu**, Harvard Law School | Moderator: **Tarun Khanna**, Harvard Business School | Convener: **Andrew Gordon**, Harvard University | Co-sponsor: Harvard University Asia Center; Fairbank Center for Chinese Studies; South Asia Institute

### **Friday, April 28, 4:00-6:00 pm**

Belfer Case Study Room (S020), Japan Friends of Harvard Concourse, CGIS South Building, 1730 Cambridge Street

**Symposium on the Changing Face of Japan, TBA** | This symposium is supported by a grant from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership (CGP)

### **Tuesday, May 2, 12:30-2:00 pm**

Bowie-Vernon Room (K262), CGIS Knafel Building, 1737 Cambridge Street

**TBA** | **Yoshiyuki Ishizaki**, Tokyo Electric Power Company Holdings (TEPCO) | **Daniel Aldrich**, Northeastern University