



Stony Brook University

2024 AAAS Student Research Symposium

Hosted by the Department of Asian and Asian American Studies
In Partnership with University Libraries

Panels & Schedule

12:00 -12:05 pm Welcome Janet Clarke, University Libraries
Agnes He, Asian & Asian American Studies

Panel 1

12:05-12:35 pm

Exploring Connections: Asian Diaspora in Puerto Rico

Presenter: **Adamaris Pabon-Seda**, Asian & Asian American Studies/Korean Studies

Advisor: Sandra So Hee Chi Kim

Indigenous Peoples as Tools of the Nation: Using the Ainu to Revitalize the National Image in Japan

Presenter: **Peter Keenan**, Asian & Asian American Studies/Japanese Studies

Advisor: Gregory Ruf

Sociolinguistic Comparison of Jejueo and Long Island Eastern Algonquian Languages

Presenter: **Julie Wolfe**, Linguistics, Globalization Studies and International Relations/Korean Studies

Advisor: Heejeong Sohn

12:35-12:40 pm Discussant: Sandra So Hee Chi Kim

12:40-12:55 pm Discussion & Q&A

Panel 2

12:55-1:25 pm

Themes of "To Live": Understanding Contemporary Chinese Culture and History through Yu Hua's Modern Classic

Presenter: **Oliver Pitts**, Applied Mathematics and Statistics

Advisor: Dongmei Zeng

Soseki's Relevating Hypotheticals

Presenter: **Alena Huynh**, Political Science/Japanese Studies

Advisor: Eva Nagase

White Rice, Human Capital, and (Post)colonial Exploitation in *Pachinko*

Presenter: **Ling Liu**, Visiting scholar in English, Ph.D candidate at Hong Kong Baptist University

Advisor: Jeffrey Santa Ana

1:25-1:30 pm Discussant: Heejeong Sohn

1:30-1:45 pm Discussion & Q&A

Panel 3

1:45-2:05 pm

Exploring Cross-Cultural Moral Lessons and Cultural Retention through Classic Children's Literature

Presenter: **Juhi Sarin**, Biology/Asian & Asian American Studies

Advisor: Agnes He

The Universality of Language and Its Limitations: Perspective from Toshihiko Izutsu

Presenter: **Yasuko Fujita**, Contemporary Asian & Asian American Studies

Advisor: Eriko Sato

2:05-2:10 pm Discussant: Yi Wang

2:10-2:25 pm Discussion & Q&A

2:25 pm Closing Gregory Ruf, Asian & Asian American Studies