

## **JSAA Newsletter July 2013**

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#### **1. Conferences, Symposia and Workshops 学会、シンポジウム、ワークショップ**

##### **ASAA 20th Biennial Conference**

##### **AsiaScapes: Contesting Borders**

8-10 July, 2014

We are pleased to extend an invitation to what we hope will be a fruitful and memorable 20th ASAA conference, 8-10 July, 2014, on the UWA campus in Perth.

We trust it will be a productive occasion for so many reasons: the centrality of WA in Australia's relation to Asia; a chance to meet in the city which shares a time zone with Beijing, Jakarta, Tokyo and other great

capitals to our north; and an opportunity in the context of the ‘Asian Century’ to rethink Asian Studies, and our contributions as scholars of and in the region.

Please visit the conference website for more details:

<http://www.asaa2014.com/>

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## **第9回国際日本学会研究発表大会      2013 Conference of the International Association of Japanese Studies**

国際日本学会では第9回大会を12月7日(土)に早稲田大学にて開催します。この学会

は日本研究に関するすべての分野を対象とし、発表言語は英語にて行うものでございます。

発表者公募締切は10月15日です。つきましては、第二言語としての日本語習得研究に関するご発表も歓迎いたしておりますので、関係各位に御周知いただきたく、お願い申し上げます。

**【第9回国際日本学会研究発表大会】**

[http://www.iajs.net/call\\_for\\_proposal\\_2013.html](http://www.iajs.net/call_for_proposal_2013.html)

**【国際日本学会ホームページ】**

<http://www.iajs.net>

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The 2013 Conference of the International Association of Japanese Studies will be held on Sat. December 7 at Waseda University in Tokyo. Applicants wishing to submit proposals for conference papers should refer to the guidelines at: [http://www.iajs.net/call\\_for\\_proposal\\_2013.html](http://www.iajs.net/call_for_proposal_2013.html)

General information about the IAJS is available at:

<http://www.iajs.net/index.html>

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## **2. Positions 教員、研究員等募集**

**Positions vacant at The Japan Foundation, Sydney**

The Japan Foundation, Sydney currently has a number of vacancies open which may be of interest to Japanese Studies students or others.

The positions are:

- Program Coordinator (Japanese Language)
- Assistant Program Coordinator (Japanese Language)
- Program Coordinator (Arts and Culture)

Individual position descriptions and application guidelines are accessible via the Japan Foundation homepage: [www.jpff.org.au](http://www.jpff.org.au)

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**Research Fellow (Post Doctoral)**  
**The University of Auckland, Auckland City Campus**

Applications are invited for a Postdoctoral Fellowship at the Japan Studies Centre of the New Zealand Asia Institute (NZAI), The University of Auckland. The fixed-term appointment will be for a 12-month period beginning in December 2013, applicants should have a PhD with a concentration on some aspect of modern Japan. Preference will be given to candidates who are able to engage in a project on Japan-Korea relations.

You can view and apply for this job at:

[https://www.opportunities.auckland.ac.nz/psp/ps/EMPLOYEE/HRMS/c/HRS\\_HRAM.HRS\\_CE.GBL?Page=HRS\\_CE\\_JOB\\_DTL&Action=A&JobOpeningId=15675&SiteId=1&PostingSeq=1](https://www.opportunities.auckland.ac.nz/psp/ps/EMPLOYEE/HRMS/c/HRS_HRAM.HRS_CE.GBL?Page=HRS_CE_JOB_DTL&Action=A&JobOpeningId=15675&SiteId=1&PostingSeq=1)

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**Non-tenure-track Position in Contemporary East Asian Culture, Kwansai Gakuin University**

Kwansai Gakuin University's School of International Studies invites applications for a non-tenure-track One Assistant, Associate, or full Professor position in Contemporary Japanese/East Asian Culture, commencing on 1 April, 2014.

More information and application guidelines can be viewed at:

[http://jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/SeekJobDetail?fn=2&ln=1&id=D113060757&ln\\_jor=1](http://jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/SeekJobDetail?fn=2&ln=1&id=D113060757&ln_jor=1)

Application deadline: 30 August, 2013

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**Associate Professor/Lecturer of Japanese Studies or Comparative Cultural Studies (including Japanese Culture)**

## **Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Nagoya City University**

The Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Nagoya City University (and the Department of Intercultural Studies, School of Humanities and Social Sciences) is looking to appoint an associate professor/lecturer of Japanese Studies or comparative cultural (including Japanese Culture).

More information about this position can be found at: [https://www.h-net.org/jobs/job\\_display.php?id=46834](https://www.h-net.org/jobs/job_display.php?id=46834)

Application deadline: 31 July 2013

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### **Positions vacant on the JSAA postgrads page**

A small number of positions vacant are currently listed in the postgrads section of the JSAA website:

[http://jsaa.org.au/main/page\\_positions\\_vacant\\_lecturer\\_positions.html](http://jsaa.org.au/main/page_positions_vacant_lecturer_positions.html).

Please let the postgrad rep Kirsti Rawstron ([kjr838@uowmail.edu.au](mailto:kjr838@uowmail.edu.au)) know if you have any positions vacant you wish to advertise on this page.

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## **3. Grants, Scholarships, Awards 補助金、奨学金等**

### **PhD Scholarships, University of Wollongong**

The University of Wollongong is currently offering Japan-related PhD scholarships in the two areas listed below.

#### **1. Crosscultural analysis of child abuse materials legislation**

The project will undertake a cross cultural analysis of how child abuse materials legislation has developed in Japan, the US, Canada, the UK and Australia particularly in relation to the inclusion of imaginary or fantasy representations. To be eligible prospective students must have previously obtained an Undergraduate Law degree.

Details: <http://www.jason.edu.au/scholarship.pl?id=6462&page=1>

#### **2. Japanese Media Legislation**

The project will examine media regulation in Japan especially in regard to

internet content.

Details: <http://www.jason.edu.au/scholarship.pl?id=6461&page=1>

For more information, please contact:

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### **Inoue Yasushi Award for Best Research Article on Japanese Literature Call for Submissions, 2013**

The Inoue Yasushi Award for Outstanding Research in Japanese Literature has been awarded annually, beginning in 2007, for the best refereed journal article or book chapter published in English by a researcher based in Australia or New Zealand during the previous year. The recipient for 2013 will receive \$1500 and a certificate of award.

Applicants for the 2013 award should submit an electronic copy of their work with covering letter by 31 July 2013 to the committee chair, Dr Matthew Stavros ([matthew.stavros@sydney.edu.au](mailto:matthew.stavros@sydney.edu.au)). In-press articles and book chapters that will bear the publication year of 2012 will be accepted with evidence.

The Inoue Yasushi Memorial Foundation established the award in order to encourage overseas interest in Japanese literature. For further information and a list of previous awardees, please visit:

<http://sydney.edu.au/arts/japanese/research/index.s.html>

Send enquiries to Matthew Stavros on [matthew.stavros@sydney.edu.au](mailto:matthew.stavros@sydney.edu.au)

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## **4. Other announcements その他**

### **Postgrad news**

The JSAA postgrad page ([http://jsaa.org.au/main/page\\_postgrads\\_page\\_featured\\_scholar.html](http://jsaa.org.au/main/page_postgrads_page_featured_scholar.html)) is the place to find all the latest CFPs, fellowships and awards (for postgrads and all other Japanese researchers) – so make sure you check it regularly and stay on top of the field.

The featured scholar this month is Kirsti Rawstron, a final year PhD Candidate at ANU. Her thesis, *CEDAW and sex segregation in education and employment: Australia, Japan and South Korea, 1970-2010*, is a quantitative examination of how gender inequality and sex segregation changed before and after these countries ratified the UN Women's Convention. Kirsti has also served as the postgraduate representative on the JSAA Executive Committee from 2011-13. The executive would like to thank Kirsti for all the work she has done to maintain and update the postgraduate information sections of the website and newsletter over the past two years.

You can contact Kirsti at [kjr838@uowmail.edu.au](mailto:kjr838@uowmail.edu.au) if you have a CFP or award you would like to advertise on the postgrad page, or if you would like to be a future featured scholar.

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### **2013 Annual General Meeting of the Japanese Studies Association of Australia**

Members are reminded that the Annual General Meeting of the JSAA will be held during the upcoming JSAA Biennial Conference, as follows.

Date/time: Wednesday 10 July 2013, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Venue: Coombs Lecture Theatre, Australian National University (immediately following the conference plenary session, in the same venue) <http://campusmap.anu.edu.au/displaybldg.asp?no=8>

We encourage you to nominate a proxy if you cannot attend this meeting.

Please send your proxy nominations to the JSAA Secretary, Jeremy Breaden: [jeremy.breaden@monash.edu](mailto:jeremy.breaden@monash.edu).

You may nominate the meeting Chair as proxy if you have no other preferences.

A new Executive Committee will also be elected at this meeting. Nominations for election to the committee may be made to the Secretary as above. Please note that the written consent of the nominee is required (e-mail is sufficient).

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