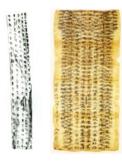
Letters & Epistolary Culture in China

Workshop at the University of Colorado at Boulder Organized by Antje Richter, Department for Asian Languages & Civilizations











DAY 1: Friday, Aug. 17 — Norlin Library, British Studies Room M549

9:00–9:10 Welcome

9:10–9:50 Y. Edmund Lien (Univ. of Washington):

"Reconstructing the Relay Courier System of Ancient China"

9:50–10:30 Enno Giele (Heidelberg Univ.):

"Private Letters from Early Imperial China"

10:30–10:50 Coffee & Tea Break

10:50–11:30 David R. Knechtges (Univ. of Washington):

"Letters in the Wen xuan"

11:30–12:10 Tian Xiaofei (Harvard Univ.):

"Material & Symbolic Economies: Early Medieval Chinese Letters about the

Transfer of Objects"

12:10–12:50 Matthew Wells (Univ. of Kentucky):

"Captured in Words: Functions & Limits of Autobiographical Expression in Early

Chinese Epistolary Literature"

12:50-2:20 Lunch Break

2:20–3:00 Robert Joe Cutter (Arizona State Univ.):

"Letters & Memorials in the Early Third Century"

3:00–3:40 Antje Richter (Univ. of Colorado):

"Letters of Familial Admonition in the Han & Six Dynasties Periods"

3:40–4:20 Zeb Raft (Univ. of Alberta):

"The Space of Separation: Medieval Chinese Poetry of 'Presentation and Response"

4:20–4:40 Coffee & Tea Break

4:40–5:20 Paul W. Kroll (Univ. of Colorado):

"S.O.S. from the Mountains: Lu Zhaolin's Letters to Luoyang"

5:20–6:00 Anna M. Shields (Univ. of Maryland, Baltimore County):

"The Inscription of Emotion in Mid-Tang Collegial Letters"

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DAY 2: Saturday, Aug. 18 — Eaton Humanities, Room 190

9:10–9:50 Imre Galambos (Univ. of Cambridge):

"Society Circulars from Dunhuang"

9:50–10:30 Natasha Heller (Univ. of California, Los Angeles):

"Halves & Holes: Collections, Networks, & the Epistolary Practices of Chan Monks"

10:30–10:50 Coffee & Tea Break

10:50–11:30 Ronald C. Egan (Stanford Univ.):

"Su Shi's Informal Letters in Literature & Life"

11:30–12:10 Lincoln Lik Hang Tsui (Univ. of Oxford):

"Bureaucratic Influences on Letters in Middle Period China"

12:10–12:50 Suzanne E. Wright (Univ. of Tennessee):

"The History of Chinese Decorated Letter Papers"

12:50–2:20 Lunch Break.

2:20–3:00 David Pattinson (Univ. of Leeds):

"Letters & the Social Network of Yan Guangmin"

3:00–3:40 Son Suyoung (Univ. of Colorado):

"Epistolary Space for Book Proprietorship in Late Imperial China"

3:40–4:20 Janet M. Theiss (Univ. of Utah):

"The Letter as Artifact of Sentiment & Legal Evidence"

4:20–4:40 Coffee & Tea Break

4:40–5:20 Tsai Weipin (Univ. of London, Royal Holloway):

"A Delicate Matter: Mailing Practices in Late Qing & Early Republican China"

5:20–6:00 Bonnie S. McDougall (Univ. of Sydney):

"Love-letters: Universal & Infinite Variations of Writing & Desire"

6:00–7:00 Final discussion

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