

East Asianists and the Job Market

- Open to all students of East Asian Studies -

Monday, December 15th, 18:30

Seminar room OAW (2I-O1-05), Hof 5, AAKH Campus

Praxis-Link East Asia (PLEA) is an initiative taken by the team of *East Asian Economy and Society* to improve the employability of students in East Asian Studies by offering a chance for an active exchange with former graduates and practitioners. In our next meeting, three graduates of East Asian Studies (in this case: Japanese Studies, Chinese Studies and East Asian Economy and Society) share their experiences on entering the job market and reflect on chances and risks. They talk about dreams and realities, and provide valuable recommendations to current students in an open and interactive setting.



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