Osaka City University
Exchange Symposium
Urban East Asia: Comparative Perspectives

*International Studies Building – Conference Room 101*
*March 9th, 2012  · Time: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.*

**Agenda**

**Opening Remarks:** (9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.)

**Time: 9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**
Bin Shen (Master's student in Asian History, OCU)
A Statistical Analysis of the Fiscal Structure of the Licheng District of the Ming Dynasty, 1571

**Time: 10:00 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.**
Ronald Toby (Professor of History / Professor of East Asian Languages and Culture, UIUC)
Mapping Mibun in Early Modern Japan

**Time: 10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**
Eunhwee Jeon (Doctoral student in Asian Culture and Urbanism, OCU)
Local Images of a Minority Place in Transition: A Case Study of the Utoro District in Kyoto, Japan

**Lunch Break:** (11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.)

**Time: 12:30 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.**
Takashi Yamazaki (Professor in Geography, Urban-Culture Research Center, OCU)
Space, Subject, and Political Behavior at Border: A Case Study of Okinawa, Japan

**Time: 1:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.**
Elizabeth LaCouture (Post-doctoral Fellow, UIUC/ Assistant Professor in East Asian Studies, Colby College)
Unraveling Empire in Turn of the Century Tianjin, China

**Time: 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**
**Roundtable:** James Barrett (Professor of History and African American Studies, UIUC), James Brennan (Assistant Professor of History and African Studies, UIUC), Robert Olshansky (Professor and Acting Head of Urban and Regional Planning, UIUC)

*To register for this event and a complementary lunch, please contact: Renato Azevedo (razev2@illinois.edu)*