

# Globalizing the Social Sciences

## German-East Asian Entanglements in the 19th and 20th Century



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## Afternoon Session

7:00-9:30 London/8:00-10:30 Berlin/16:00-18:30 Tokyo

Chair: **Stefan Keppler-Tasaki**

- Opening Remarks -

**Franz Waldenberger/Yufei Zhou**

**Keynote Speech**

Zum deutsch-japanischen Transfer der Sozialwissenschaften:  
Rezeption, Eigenentwicklung, Sekten-Abkapselung

**Mishima Ken'ichi**

Wechselwirkungen: Odaka Tomoo und die deutsche Soziologie um 1930

**Wolfgang Schwentker**

Adopting German Law to Counter Western Influences:  
Chinese Diplomats, Students, and Revolutionaries  
in Early 20th-Century Berlin

**Egas Moniz-Bandeira**

Zur Rettung Chinas?

Chinesische Studierende und Sozialwissenschaften  
im Deutschland der Zwischenkriegszeit

**Christina Philips**

The German Impact on the Economic Thought in Republic China

**Yufei Zhou**

**Discussant: Zhang Chunjie**

## Evening Session

6:00-8:30 Washington D.C./12:00-14:30 Berlin/20:00-22:30 Tokyo

Chair: **Stefan Keppler-Tasaki**

Forging the Business Corporation: Interpretation of Medieval  
Organizational Forms by the Historische Rechtsschule,  
and its Legacy in Japan

**Carlo Taviani**

The German "Staatswissenschaft" in Meiji Japan

**Takii Kazuhiro**

Lujo Brentano and Social Sciences in Japan between 1890s and 1940s:  
Social Statistics, TAKANO Iwasaburō and FUKUDA Tokuzō

**Onozuka Tomoji**

Empirical Empire: Karl Rathgen, Kanai Noboru,  
and the Development of Applied Social Science in Japan

**Erik Grimmer-Solem**

"Becoming" (Werden) and "Being of Having Become" (Gewordensein):

Criticism of Max Weber in Japan during WWII

**Tsuneki Kentarō**

**General Discussion**

- Closing Remarks -

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