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Guest Lectures

GLOBAL CIRCULATIONS OF MUSIC AND ANIME

Presentation 1

Prof. Michael K. Bourdaghs

*Robert S. Ingersoll Distinguished Service Professor of East Asian Languages & Cultures,
University of Chicago*

Title:

Musical Circulation: When Japanese Popular Music Travels

This lecture explores the global circulation of two iconic Japanese songs: "Ue o muite arukō" ("Sukiyaki") and "Shina no yoru" ("China Nights").

Presentation 2

Prof. Thomas Lamarre

*Gordon J. Laing Distinguished Service Professor in the Department of Cinema and Media
Studies, University of Chicago
Professor Emeritus of Japanese Media Studies, McGill UniversityP*

Title:

Anime Adaptations: How Circulation Affects Media Value

This lecture examines how global circulation and adaptation shape the cultural and media value of anime.

Place and time:

**Wednesday, June 4, 2025
15:00-17:00 (Free Admission)**

Collegium Humanisticum, Room AB 1.07
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