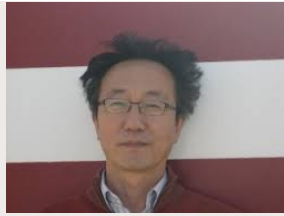


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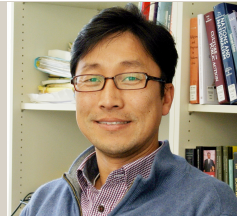
*The Political Life of Kinship
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Dr. Jin-Heon Jung
(Max Planck
Institute)

*Historicizing Korean
Anthropology: North-South
Korea and Public Anthropology*



04.02.2015

**Prof. Chang Hyun
Lee**

(Kookmin University)

*Transformation of Asian
Megacity and Risk Society: An
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**Prof. Vladimir
Tikhonov**
(University of Oslo)

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Freie Universität Berlin

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During the 2014/2015 Winter Semester, the Institute of Korean Studies is going to host four special lectures with experts in the field of cultural anthropology. The main theme of the special lecture series is “Cultural Anthropology and Korean Studies.”

The special lecture series will begin on the 21st of January, 2015, with Prof. Heonik Kwon’s lecture, “The Political Life of Kinship during the Cold War.” His lecture will deal with various issues of political life of families and kinship during the Cold War.

Dr. Jin-heon Jung, from Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen, will approach both North and South Korea from an anthropological perspective in his lecture “Historicizing Korean Anthropology” on the 28th of January.

In the third lecture, “Transformation of Asian Megacity and Risk Society: An Analysis of Risk Perceptions among Beijing, Tokyo and Seoul,” Prof. Chang Hyun Lee from Kookmin University will present on Asian megacities comparing Beijing, Tokyo and Seoul. In comparing the cities, he will examine how Ulrich Beck’s theory of risk society is differently perceived in the Asian context such as rapid development.

The winter semester’s special lecture series will end with Prof. Vladimir Tikhonov’s lecture on the 11th of February. In his lecture “The Ideas of *Competition* and *Justice* in Modern and Contemporary Korea,” Prof. Tikhonov will discuss contemporary repercussions of social Darwinist intellectual fashions of the early 20th century, focusing on Koreans’ belief in “competition” as a form of justice.