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EDUCATION

PhD	East Asian History	University of Cambridge, UK	2011-2015
MA	International Area Studies	University of Tsukuba, Japan	2008-2010
MA	International Politics (Research)	University of Manchester, UK	2005-2006
BA	International Relations	UWED, Uzbekistan	2000-2005

Doctoral Dissertation: "Eleven Winters of Discontent: The Siberian Internment and the Making of the New Japan, 1945-1956," Awarded the Murayama Tsuneo Memorial Prize for the Advancement of Research into the Siberian Internment (2016).

EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer in Japanese History, University of East Anglia, UK	2017 – present
Postdoctoral Research Associate, University of Cambridge, UK	2015-2017
Visiting Research Fellow, Hosei University, Japan	2013-2014
Teaching Assistant, University of Tsukuba, Japan	2009-2010

PUBLICATIONS

Book

Eleven Winters of Discontent: The Siberian Internment and the Making of the New Japan, 1945-1956, Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, (forthcoming 2021).

Edited works

(with Barak Kushner) *Overcoming Empire in Post-Imperial East Asia: Repatriations, Redress and Rebuilding*, London: Bloomsbury Academic, 2019.

(with Barak Kushner) *The Dismantling of Japan's Empire in East Asia: Deimperialization, Postwar Legitimation and Imperial Afterlife*, Abingdon: Routledge, 2017.

Articles and book chapters

"Japanese Empire," in *The Cambridge History of Nationhood and Nationalism*, Volume 2 (forthcoming, 2021).

(with Amy King) "'Japan Still has Cadres Remaining': Soviet and Chinese Policies Toward the Japanese Trapped in the USSR and PRC after World War II, 1945-1963." Accepted for publication at *Journal of Cold War Studies*, forthcoming 2020.

"Introduction." In *Overcoming Empire in Post-Imperial East Asia: Repatriations, Redress and Rebuilding*, ed. Barak Kushner and Sherzod Muminov (London: Bloomsbury Academic, 2019), 1-16.

“滅びた帝国の軍人－米国占領下（1945–1952）の日本に復員してきたシベリア抑留者,” (Japanese) [Soldiers of the Fallen Empire: Returnees from Siberia in US-occupied Japan, 1945-52], *Gunji shigaku* (軍事史学), 53:3 (2017): 76-86.

“From Imperial Revenants to Cold War Victims: ‘Red Repatriates’ from the Soviet Union and the Making of the New Japan, 1949-1952.” *Cold War History* 17:4 (2017): 425-442.

“Categorising Victimhood: Manchukuo and the Gendered National History of the Japanese Empire’s Violent Collapse in Northeast Asia.” *Situations: Cultural Studies in the Asian Context* 10:1 (2017): 23-40.

“Prejudice, Punishment, and Propaganda: Post Imperial Japan and the Soviet Versions of History and Justice in East Asia,” in *The Dismantling of Japan’s Empire in East Asia: Deimperialization, Postwar Legitimation and Imperial Afterlife*, ed. Barak Kushner and Sherzod Muminov (Abingdon: Routledge, 2017), 146-164.

“The Siberian Internment and the Transnational History of the Early Cold War Japan, 1945-1956,” in *Transnational Japan as History: Empire, Migration and Grass-Roots Movements*, ed. Pedro Iacobelli, Danton Leary and Shinnosuke Takahashi (New York: Palgrave, 2016), 71-95.

“菅季治の犠牲、赤狩りと日本におけるソ連からの引揚者たち,” (Japanese) [Kan Sueharu’s Sacrifice: Red Scare and Siberian Internees in Japan]. In *Nichiro kankei: rekishi to gendai*, ed. Shimotomai Nobuo (Tokyo: Hosei University Press, 2015), 113-133.

Book reviews

Peter Berton and Sam Atherton, *The Japanese Communist Party: Permanent Opposition, but Moral Compass* (Abingdon: Routledge, 2018), forthcoming in *European History Quarterly*.

Jeremy A. Yellen, *The Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere: When Total Empire Met Total War* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2019); Benjamin Uchiyama, *Japan’s Carnival War: Mass Culture on the Home Front, 1937-1945* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2019); and Bill Sewell, *Constructing Empire: The Japanese in Changchun, 1905-45* (Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 2019), in *Cross-Currents: East Asian History and Culture Review*, No. 34 (March 2020): 88-94.

Meron Medzini, *Under the Shadow of the Rising Sun: Japan and the Jews during the Holocaust Era*, in *Japan Forum*, 31:3 (2019), 434-435.

Hyun Gwi Park, *The Displacement of Borders among Russian Koreans in Northeast Asia* (Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press, 2017), in *Situations: Cultural Studies in the Asian Context* 11:2 (2018): 135-140.

Christopher P. Hanscom and Dennis Washburn, eds., *The Affect of Difference: Representations of Race in East Asian Empire* (Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press, 2016), in *Pacific Affairs* 91:3 (September 2018): 779-781.

Yukiko Koga, *Inheritance of Loss: China, Japan, and the Political Economy of Redemption after Empire* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2016), and Hiro Saito, *The History Problem: The Politics of War Commemoration in East Asia* (Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press, 2016), in *Cross-Currents: East Asian History and Culture Review*, No. 25 (December 2017): 179-186.

Yoshikuni Igarashi, *Homecomings: The Belated Return of Japan’s Lost Soldiers* (New York: Columbia University Press, 2016), in *Pacific Affairs*, 90:4 (December 2017): 820-823.

TRANSLATIONS FROM JAPANESE

Chong, Young-hwan. "The Tokyo Trial and the Question of Colonial Responsibility: *Zainichi* Korean Reactions to Allied Justice in Occupied Japan." *International Journal of Korean History*, Vol. 22, No. 1 (February 2017): 77-105.

Park, Jung-jin. "North Korean Nation Building and Japanese Imperialism: People's Nation, 'People's Diplomacy' and the Japanese Technicians." In *The Dismantling of Japan's Empire in East Asia: Deimperialization, Postwar Legitimation and Imperial Afterlife*. Edited by Barak Kushner and Sherzod Muminov. London: Routledge, 2017.

Araragi, Shinzō, "The Collapse of the Japanese Empire, Human Migrations and Repatriation." In *The Dismantling of Japan's Empire in East Asia: Deimperialization, Postwar Legitimation and Imperial Afterlife*. Edited by Barak Kushner and Sherzod Muminov. London: Routledge, 2017.

SOAS Translation Workshop in Japanese Studies, 2012

Translated the first four chapters of *Media, Propaganda and Politics in 20th-Century Japan* (London: Bloomsbury, 2015), pages 1-43, from the Japanese (original *Shimbun to Shōwa*, Tokyo: Asahi Shimbunsha, 2010).

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- Murayama Tsuneo Memorial Prize for the Advancement of Research into the Siberian Internment (2016)
- Japan Foundation Japanese Studies Doctoral Fellowship (2013)
- The Great Britain Sasakawa Foundation Travel Grant (2013)
- Russian Archive Training Scheme (2013)
- Open Society (Soros) Foundations Cambridge Doctoral Fellowship (2011)
- Japanese Government Monbukagakushō (MEXT) Scholarship (2008)

CONFERENCE PANELS ORGANIZED

- "Phantoms of Japan's Empire: Rethinking Transitions from World War to Cold War, 1945-1950," Conference panel at the Association of Asian Studies (AAS) 2017 Annual Conference, Toronto, 03/2017.

SELECTED INVITED TALKS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- "The Siberian Captivity of Japanese Soldiers and the Transnational History of War and Empire," Talk at the Japan Society London, 02/2020.
- "The Siberian Internment of Japanese Servicemen in the Context of Trans-Eurasian Forced Migrations, 1939-1956," Talk at the University of Edinburgh, 02/2020.
- "Out of Respect for Their Age: The Former Siberian Internees in the Postwar History of the Japanese Society," Presentation at the 2nd Tohoku Conference on Global Japanese Studies, Tohoku University, Japan, 12/2019.
- 「東北アジアでの日ソ対立と日中戦争期におけるソ連の宣伝工作、1931-1945」 [*in Japanese: Japanese-Soviet Rivalry in Northeast Asia and the Construction of Soviet Propaganda during the Second Sino-Japanese War, 1931-1945*], Presentation at the

International Symposium “Journalism and Propaganda on the Second Sino-Japanese War,” Waseda University, Tokyo, 12/2018.

- “The Unlikely Underdog: Soviet-Japanese Rivalry in Northeast Asia, 1928-1938,” Presentation at the International Workshop “Pacific Russia: Transnational and Transimperial Perspectives on Modern Northeast Asia,” University of Bielefeld, 10/2018.
- “The Japanese Empire’s Enduring Vestiges: Forced Migrations, Negotiations and the Struggle for Dominance in Post-Imperial East Asia, 1945-1956,” Invited talk at the international workshop at the Forum Transregionale Studien, Berlin, 12/2017
- “Comintern Stance on and Role in *Tenkō*: The View from Moscow,” Presentation at the conference *Tenkō in Trans-War Japan: Culture, Politics, History*, Leeds, 07/2017
- “‘We Can’t Die as Slaves’: Japanese Forced Labourers in the Soviet Union and the Failure of Transitional Justice, 1945-1995,” Presentation at the European Workshops in International Relations, Cardiff, 07/2017
- “The Empire’s Return from Siberia: Japanese Captives in Soviet Camps and the Early Cold War in East Asia,” Presentation at the AAS Annual Conference 2017, Toronto, 03/2017
- “From Cold Camps to Cold War: The Siberian Internees in Postwar Japan,” Invited talk at Hosei University, Tokyo, 02/2017
- “From Empire’s Revenants to Red Repatriates: The Japanese Repatriates from the Soviet Camps,” Invited talk at SOAS, University of London, 01/2017
- “The Late Triumph of Victimhood: The Memory of the Siberian Internment in Postwar Japan,” Invited talk at Ludwig Maximilian University Munich, Germany, 04/2016
- “The Old and New Enemy: The Soviet Factor in the Making of the ‘New Japan,’ 1945-1956,” Presentation at the British Association of Japanese Studies (BAJS) Annual Conference 2015, London, 09/2015
- “The Japanese Returnees from the Soviet Union and their Impact on the Postwar Japanese Society,” Presentation at the Asian Association of World Historians (AAWH) Congress 2015, Singapore, 06/2015
- 「菅季治の犠牲とソ連からの帰還者たちの占領時代」 [*in Japanese*: Kan Sueharu’s Sacrifice and the Returnees from the Soviet Union during the Occupation Period], Invited talk at the Siberian Internment Research Workshop, Tokyo, 10/2014
- “Cold War’s First Victims: The Siberian Internment and the Post-Repatriation Lives of the Japanese Returnees from the Soviet Union,” Presentation at the 6th Annual European Summer School on Cold War History, Trento, 09/2014 – Awarded the Best Paper Prize
- “Waiting for the Red Tide: The Japan Communist Party, the Soviet Union and the Fear of the ‘Violent Revolution’ in Early Cold War Japan, 1949-1952,” Presentation at the Workshop *Knowing Your Enemies: Intention Assessment and the Prospect of East Asian Security*, Erlangen, 06/2014
- “Dealing with the Enemy: Japanese Internees in the Soviet Union and the People’s Republic of China, 1945-1956,” with Dr. Amy King (Australian National University), Presentation at the 17th Asia Studies Conference Japan (ASCJ), Tokyo, 06/2013
- “Сибирское интернирование японцев и советско-японские отношения в послевоенный период, 1945-1956,” [*in Russian*: The Siberian Internment and the Soviet-Japanese Relations in the Postwar Period, 1945-1956], Presentation at the 3rd International Conference of Young Historians and Archivists, The Russian State Archive of Socio-Political History, Moscow, 04/2013. Awarded the Best Presentation of the Conference Prize.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Editorial board, *Situations: Cultural Studies in the Asian Context*.

Anonymous reviewer for:

Historical Research

Asian Security

History: The Journal of the Historical Association

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Association of Asian Studies

Society for Military History

SERVICE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF EAST ANGLIA

Senate Student Discipline Committee Panel Member, 2019-

Deputy Admissions Director, School of History, 2019

Athena Swan Self-Assessment Team Member, School of History, 2019-

LANGUAGES

English	Native level fluency
Japanese	Fluent (JLPT Level N1)
Russian	Native
Turkish	Fluent
Uzbek	Native