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### Lecture: *What is Taiwan Studies?*

**September 10, 5:00-6:30PM**  
**Trimble Hall, Trimble Forum**

Professor James Lin (University of Washington - Seattle) is a historian of Taiwan and its interactions with the world in the 20th century. He will talk about what Taiwan Studies is, how it evolved, and what they do at UW's new Taiwan Studies Program.

The talk will not presuppose any prior knowledge of Taiwan, history, or Sinitic languages.

Everyone is welcome!



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### Chinese Fall Reception and Mooncake Tasting

**September 13, 4:00-6:00PM**

## Wyatt Hall, 1st Floor Atrium

Celebrate the Moon Festival with new and returning students and faculty in the Chinese Language and Culture program by participating in a Chinese mooncake tasting. All students, friends, and families of the Asian Studies Program are welcome.



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## Japanese Film Series Part 1: *A Tale of Samurai Cooking - A True Love Story*

**September 17, 6:00-8:30PM**  
**Wyatt Hall, Room 201**

A story about the relationship between a talented cook and her warrior-minded husband who struggles to work as a chef in a warlord clan.



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## Lecture by Yoko Tawada: *I am 'No'-Body. Poetry, Languages, and Bodies*

**September 19, 5:30-6:30PM**  
**Wyatt Hall, Room 109**

The celebrated Japanese-German author Yoko Tawada will give a public lecture that will highlight how her work unfolds at the intersections of language, multicultural identity, and literary translation.

This event is co-hosted by German Studies and Asian Studies.

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## 2019 Tacoma Moon Festival

**September 21, 1:00-7:00PM**  
**Chinese Reconciliation Park, 1741  
North Schuster Parkway, Tacoma,  
WA**

The Tacoma Moon Festival is an annual celebration of the rich diversity of culture in present-day Tacoma, brought here by our immigrant communities over the past 150 years. Activities include face painting, arts and crafts booths, watching Chinese opera

performers apply their elaborate makeup, and meeting the Moon Princess. There are a variety of food options from Dumplings to Burgers, and the Wine and Beer Garden is open for adults.

Click [here](#) for more information.

