# COMPETING IMPERIALISMS IN NORTHEAST ASIA:
## CONTESTED HISTORIES AND HISTORIES OF CONTESTATION
### SECOND CONFERENCE, COMPETING IMPERIALISMS RESEARCH NETWORK (CIRN2)

### 5-7 SEPTEMBER 2019
QUB, 6 UNIVERSITY SQUARE/0G/006 & GRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOOL/01/009

**FOR THOSE WISHING TO ATTEND, PLEASE PRE-REGISTER BY EMAILING COMPETINGIMPERIALISMS@GMAIL.COM NO LATER THAN MIDNIGHT UK TIME, TUESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER.**

## Thursday 5 September

5 pm Inaugural lecture, 6 University Square/0G/006

Prof. SHIH Chih-yu (National Taiwan University) ‘Strategic Decolonization: The Imperialist Discourse of East Asia in Taiwan’

## Friday 6 September

Graduate Research School/01/009

9-9.30 am Registration

9.30-9.45 am Welcome

9.45-11.15 am Empire and imperialism, discussant Prof. Christopher SZPILMAN (Teikyo)

Prof. Yaroslav SHULATOV (Kobe) ‘The Rise and Fall of a Great Power: Japan’s Relations with Imperial and Soviet Russia (1895-1945)’

Prof. SAITOH Eri (Musashino) ‘Between Empire and Imperialism: The Role of the Internal Colony in Britain and Japan’

Dr Alexander TITOV (Queen’s) ‘Russia between imperial and national in North East Asia in the late 19th and 20th centuries’

11.30 am - 1 pm: Disputed territorialities and territorial occupation, discussant Prof. SHIH Chih-yu (National Taiwan University)

Dr Aglaia DE ANGELI (Queen’s) ‘Territoriality and taxation in Manchuria: competing imperialisms within China’s borders, 1894-1915’

Prof. Hotta-LISTER Ayako (LSE STIRCED) ‘Allies of a kind: Britain and Japan in cooperation and competition, 1894-1923’

Dr Darragh GANNON (Queen’s) ‘East meets West: connecting revolution in Korea and Ireland, 1919-1923’

2.15-3.45 pm: Migration and displacement, discussant Dr Sherzod MUMINOV (East Anglia)

Dr Rachel LIN (Exeter) ‘“We Are on the Brink of Disaster”: Revolution, War and Imperial Conflict in Blagoveshchensk’

Prof. Nikita KOVROGIN (St. Petersburg State University) ‘Shaping the Chinese Community in Japan and Russia: the role of political factor’

CHO Mik Wi (Cambridge) ‘Koreans across the Sea: Migration of Korean Students to the Metropole’

4 pm Keynote lecture

Prof. TSUCHIYA Reiko (Waseda) ‘Media between Imperialism and Nationalism in Northeast Asia’

## Saturday 7 September

Graduate Research School/01/009

9.30-11.00 am: Visualisation, representation and ideologies, discussant Prof. Peter O’CONNOR (Waseda/Musashino)

Dr Emma REISZ (Queen’s) ‘Early photographic visualities of Northeast Asia’

Prof. Peter ROBINSON (Japan Women’s University) ‘Elizabeth Keith and Ulric van den Bogaardes’s illustrations for the Times’ Japanese and Russia Supplements’

Prof. KOBAYASHI Reiko (Nihon) ‘Public Diplomacy of Japanese Empire and Imperial/Colonial Fraternity: The Carnegie Endowment’s Tour for American Journalists to the “Orient”’

11.15 am-12.45 pm Empire and propaganda, discussant Prof. TSUCHIYA Reiko (Waseda)

Prof. Peter O’CONNOR (Waseda/Musashino) ‘Ten men: Irish publicists in and on the contest for a just imperialism in Northeast Asia, ca.1913-1949’

TANIGAWA Shun (Waseda) ‘The beginnings of the Japanese colonial media system, 1898-1912’

Prof. Christopher SZPILMAN (Teikyo) ‘Social Darwinism as a Factor in Japan’s Continental Expansion’

1.45-3.15 pm: The Russo-Japanese imperial rivalry, discussant Prof. Nikolay SAMOYLOV (St. Petersburg State University)

Prof. NAGAYO Susumu (Waseda) ‘What really happened at Hallar Station, Manchuria, on April 11, 1920?’

Dr Sherzod MUMINOV (East Anglia) ‘The myth of Soviet superiority: Explaining Japanese strategists’ preoccupation with Soviet power in East Asia, 1925-1945’

Prof. KOBAYASHI Akina (Tama) ‘From Japanese militarism to Soviet communism — “the psychological disorder” of Japanese prisoners of war and the Soviet propaganda’

3.30 pm Keynote lecture

Prof. Nikolay SAMOYLOV (St. Petersburg State University) ‘Images of Competing Imperialisms: Russia and Japan in China at the turn of the 20th century’

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**Competing Imperialisms in Northeast Asia, 1894-1953**
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