Asian Embodiment of a White Canon
Shakespeare and East Asia

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The talk is based on Alexa Alice Joubin’s new book, *Shakespeare and East Asia* (Oxford University Press, 2021). The book identifies four themes that distinguish post-1950s East Asian cinemas and theatres from works in other parts of the world: Japanese formalistic innovations in sound and spectacle; reparative adaptations from China, Taiwan, and Hong Kong; the politics of gender and reception of films and touring productions in South Korea and the UK; and multilingual, diaspora works in Singapore and the UK. These adaptations are reshaping debates about the relationship between East Asia and Europe.

**Further Reading**

- Alexa Alice Joubin, *Shakespeare and East Asia* (Oxford University Press, 2021), [sample chapter](#)
- Alexa Alice Joubin, “*Five themes in Asian Shakespeare adaptations,*” Oxford University Press Blog, February 16, 2021
Alexa Alice Joubin writes about race, gender, and cultural globalization. She teaches in the Departments of English, Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies, Theatre, International Affairs, and East Asian Languages and Literatures at George Washington University in Washington, D.C., where she co-founded and co-directs the Digital Humanities Institute. Her latest book, *Shakespeare and East Asia*, was published by Oxford University Press in 2021. She co-authored *Race* with Martin Orkin, which was published in Routledge’s New Critical Idiom series in 2019.

You can follow her work at https://ajoubin.org/

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讲者：黄诗芸

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在舞台和大荧幕上，演员们是如何重新调整自己带有不同种族特征的身体以融入角色的呢？日本著名导演黑泽明又是如何影响了美国导演乔治·卢卡斯的《星球大战》的？为何影评人会反复强调韩国导演奉俊昊的《寄生虫》（2019）是“莎士比亚式”的作品？东亚电影与戏剧又如何呈现口吃等言语障碍？反观韩国的跨性别电影与东亚女性主义又是如何重新改造莎翁作品中的性别认知的呢？此次讲座将结合电影与戏剧研究，对比较语境中的这两种主要体裁提出新的观点，并揭示东亚表演与英语表演形式间的深层联系。

本次讲座取材于黄诗芸教授的新书《Shakespeare and East Asia》（牛津大学出版社，2021年）。本书透过四个主题，将1950年后著名东亚电影和戏剧，与世界其他地区艺术作品区分开来：日本对舞台音效及景观的形式创新；中国大陆、台湾及香港对原著的修复性改编；韩国与英国电影戏剧中的性别政治、电影接受及巡演制作；以及新加坡与英国地区的多语种离散作品。这些改编重新塑造了东亚与欧洲关系的争论。

深度阅读

- Alexa Alice Joubin,《Shakespeare and East Asia》（Oxford University Press, 2021), sample chapter

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