



secondary educators with responsibility for teaching or curriculum that includes China.

TEA Announces 2016 STARTALK Program: *Chinese Language Instruction in the Digital Age: A STARTALK Program on Incorporating Learner-Centered Technology Tools in the Chinese Language Curriculum.* June 22-July 1.

Application deadline: May 25, 2016. This residential program for Chinese language teachers nationwide will provide a thorough understanding of and practical experience with effective learning technologies appropriate for the Chinese language classroom. Program participants will work with language technology specialists, experienced Chinese language curriculum designers, and master teachers to gain competency in using a variety of technologies in effective and engaging lessons. See complete details and application on the TEA [website](#). Contact Jon Zeljo at jon.zeljo@tea.state.tx.us for more information.

National Opportunities

Five College Center for East Asian Studies NCTA Webinars. The Five College Center for East Asian Studies (FCCEAS) has three webinars coming up in March and April. For more information on the webinars, listed below, visit the FCCEAS [website](http://www.fcceas.org).

China at the Movies: Chinese History and Culture in Its Films.

Wednesday, March 9, 7 pm EST.

-WWII History. Monday, March 21,

Oregon, and Washington will participate. Teachers who enroll will not only be immersed in the Choices approach but will have the opportunity to become Choices Workshop Leaders in their own regions. For more information or to apply, visit the Choices [website](#).

Previously Announced National Opportunities

NCTA Summer Workshop: *Teaching East Asian Literature in the High School*. July 10-15. Application deadline: Monday, March 7. The NCTA coordinating site at the East Asian Studies Center at Indiana University offers this annual summer workshop at which high school teachers interact with scholars to explore the literature and history of China, Japan, and Korea. Experienced world language teachers present classroom strategies. The institute is held on the campus of Indiana University Bloomington. More information and the application are available [here](#).

Japan Society Study Tour:

they learn. Fellowships cover most expenses. For more information, visit the KAFE or email Daniel Lee at .

Colorado Programs

World Denver Speaker Series: *Chinese Economics*. Wednesday, March 16, 5:30-7:30 pm. This event will feature Jeremy Haft, author of the book *Unmade in China: The Hidden Truth About China* . The event will be held at the University Club of Denver (1673 Sherman Street). Visit World for ticket information and to register.

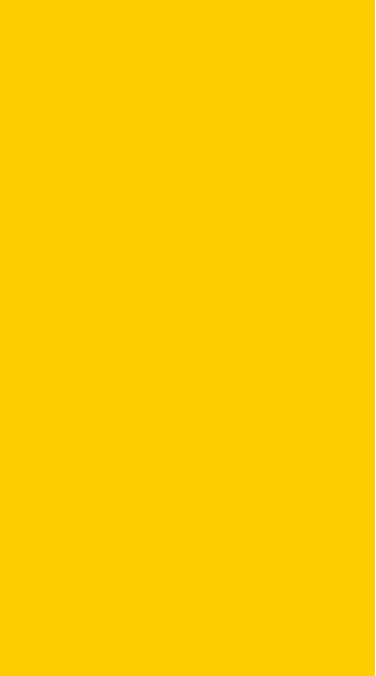
Volunteers Needed for South Korean Trade Delegation. Monday-Wednesday, March 28-30. Aurora Sister Cities International is seeking

city of Seongnam City. The delegation will include government officials and business owners. For more information, email .

CAS Speaker Series: Contemporary Tibetan Art. Tuesday, April 5, 6:00 pm. The Center for Asian Studies presents Tibetan Artist Gonkar Gyatso, widely acknowledged as the founding father of contemporary Tibetan art. Following a reception, Gyatso will discuss his work. The event will be held in Hale 270 on the CU Boulder campus. For more information, visit the CAS .

Previously Announced Colorado Programs

***Above the Fold: New Expressions in Origami*. February 13 –**



Encounters: Teaching Japan in World History. This online curriculum, available [here](#), features seven secondary-level, historical-inquiry lessons on Japanese encounters with peoples, ideas, technologies, and institutions of Asia, Europe, and the United States from the Asuka/Nara periods to the present.