

2025 Asian Law Junior Scholars' Work-in-Progress Workshop

AALS Section on East Asian Law and Society
American Society of International Law Asia-Pacific Interest Group

Virtual Workshop, Friday, November 7, 2025

We invite all interested scholars to submit a paper to the 2025 Asian Law Junior Scholars' Work-in-Progress Workshop, hosted virtually on Friday, November 7, 2025. Scholars are invited to submit draft papers that concern some aspect of Asian law, including domestic, international, or transnational dimensions. No affiliation with the sponsoring organizations is needed to submit a paper.

We are particularly interested in (a) submissions from emerging and early career scholars (including junior faculty, visiting assistant professors, post-J.D. or post-doctoral fellows, PhD candidates, etc.), (b) comparative papers on jurisdictions within the region, or other inter- or intra-Asian legal questions, and (c) papers with a transnational component (e.g., examining interactions between domestic and international law).

Interested scholars should submit by **emailing Trang (Mae) Nguyen at tmnguyen@temple.edu by 11:59pm EDT Friday September 26, 2025:**

- A C.V. (PDF format)
- One draft paper of no more than 15,000 words, including footnotes (Microsoft Word format). Please include within the paper an abstract of no more than 250 words. If the submission is longer than 15,000 words, please indicate in the file which portion they would like to be considered.

Please put "2025 Asian Law Junior Scholars WIP" in the subject line of your email when submitting.

The workshop will be held in virtual format. During the session, authors will not present their papers but will have 5 minutes to introduce their drafts. Each paper will receive feedback from at least one designated commentator. The papers will be distributed in advance, and every participant is expected to have read all of them before the workshop. The author of each paper will be given an opportunity to respond and ask questions.

There are no plans to publish a collection of the workshop papers. Paper authors may seek publication if, and wherever, they wish. The goal of the workshop is to improve the work before publication.

Please email Trang (Mae) Nguyen at tmnguyen@temple.edu with any questions.