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"The Christian Century of South China: Recasting the Conversionary Process in Chaozhou, Guangdong Province"

a lecture by

Joseph Tse-Hei Lee

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Friday, January 17, 2014

4:00 pm

**Jennings Hall, room 140
(1735 Neil Avenue)**



Commemorating Catholic Ancestors in Chaozhou, Guangdong Province

This talk addresses the localization of Christianity in the Chaozhou-speaking region of Guangdong Province. It draws on archival materials and fieldwork to explore how rural Christians integrated Euro-American denominational churches into the lineage society, how they Christianized genealogies and ritual practices, and how they formed transnational ties to cope with changes in modern China.

Bio

Joseph Tse-Hei Lee is Professor of History at Pace University in New York. He authored *The Bible and the Gun: Christianity in South China, 1860—1900* (New York, 2003; Chinese edition, 2010), and co-edited *Marginalization in China: Recasting Minority Politics* (New York, 2009) and *China's Rise to Power: Conceptions of State Governance* (New York, 2012). His current research focuses on the intersection of faith and politics in modern China.



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