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Nataša Vampelj Suhadolnik je profesorica na Oddelku za azijske študije Filozofske fakultete Univerze v Ljubljani. Je tudi pobudnica, soustanoviteljica in prva predsednica Evropske zveze za azijsko umetnost in arheologijo in vodja nacionalnega projekta *Osiroteli predmeti: obravnavava vzhodnoazijskih predmetov izven organiziranih zbirateljskih praks v slovenskem prostoru* (2021–2024). Pred tem je vodila nacionalni projekt *Vzhodnoazijske zbirke v Sloveniji* (2018–2022), v okviru katerega sta bili postavljeni spletna stran in podatkovna baza vzhodnoazijskih predmetov v Sloveniji. Projektna skupina je za spletno stran VAZ dobila priznanje Prometheus za odličnost v komuniciranju za leto 2020, ki ga podeljuje Slovenska znanstvena fundacija. V svojem raziskovalnem delu se ukvarja z vzhodnoazijsko materialno in zbirateljsko kulturo, vzhodnoazijsko dediščino v slovenskem prostoru, kitajsko tradicionalno in moderno umetnostjo, kitajsko grobno umetnostjo in kitajsko budistično umetnostjo.

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KLARA HRVATIN

Klara Hrvatin, doktorica humanističnih znanosti Univerze v Osaki, dela kot lektorica in docentka na Oddelku za azijske študije na Filozofski fakulteti Univerze v Ljubljani. Področja njenega raziskovalnega zanimanja vključujejo japonsko glasbo in glasbeno estetiko, japonska povojsna umetniška gibanja ter medkulturne raziskave na področjih glasbe, etnomuzikologije, kulturne zgodovine in umetnosti.

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Mina Grčar is an Assistant and PhD candidate at the Department of Asian Studies, Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana. She holds a BA Degree in English Language and Literature, and an MA Degree in Sinology. She specialises in contemporary Chinese literature and Chinese literary theory, and has been a member of the VAZ (East Asian Collections in Slovenia, no. J7-9429) project team since 2019. Apart from contemporary Chinese literature, her field of research includes modern and traditional Chinese literature, contemporary Chinese art, as well as Chinese film and animation.

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Tina Berdajs je doktorska študentka na Oddelku za azijske študije Filozofske fakultete Univerze v Ljubljani. V doktorski disertaciji raziskuje zgodovine zbirk vzhodnoazijske keramike v Sloveniji, prav tako se ukvarja z vprašanji, ki so ne-ločljivo povezana z raziskavami provenience in datiranja predmetov. Njeno širše področje raziskovanja vključuje vzhodnoazijsko umetnost s poudarkom na kitajski in japonski keramiki, raziskovanje biografij predmetov ter zgodovino zbirateljstva in razstavljanja vzhodnoazijske umetnosti.

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NATAŠA VISOČNIK GERŽELJ

Nataša Visočnik Gerželj je izredna profesorica japonologije na Oddelku za azijske študije Filozofske fakultete v Ljubljani, kjer tudi poučuje. Doktorirala je na Oddelku za etnologijo in kulturno antropologijo na isti fakulteti, kjer je pred tem končala tudi dodiplomski študij skupaj z japonologijo.

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