

**Southern Japan Seminar Spring 2005 Conference on South Beach**

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**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2005** (BLUE MOON HOTEL—944 Collins Ave)

**KEYNOTE (6:00-7:30 pm)**

**Jeffrey Lesser**, Emory University

*The Pacific Rim in the Atlantic World: Imagining Brazil's 'Japanese'*

**Introduction: Steven Heine**, Florida International University

**Respondent: Tim Power**, Florida International University

**DISCUSSION OF *GAIJIN* FILM WITH CLIPS (7:30-8:00 PM)**

**Allan Casebier**, University of Miami

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2005** (WOLFSONIAN-FIU MUSEUM—1001 Washington Avenue)

**PANEL 1: TRANSITIONAL ISSUES (9:30-11:30 am)**

**Presider: Mark Ravina**, Emory University

**John Mertz**, North Carolina State University

*Practicing Fear: Ogai's 'Dancing Girl' and the Anxieties of Class*

**Martha Chaiklan**, Milwaukee Public Museum

*The Fine Art of Imperialism-Japan's Participation in International Expositions of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century*

**Respondent: Laura Nenzi**, Florida International University

**PANEL 2: WOMEN AND SOCIETY (12:30-2:30 pm)**

**Presider: Ed Schwerin**, Florida Atlantic University

**Jan Bardsley** and **Hiroko Hirakawa**, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

*Branded: Bad Girls Go Shopping*

**Kinko Ito**, University of Arkansas

*'Winter Sonata,' A Korean Soap Hits Japan in 2004: Its Social and Historical Implication.*

**Xuexin Liu**, Spelman College

*'Ganguro' in Japanese Youth Culture: Self-identity in Cultural Conflict*

**Respondent: Linda Zatlin**, Morehouse College

**ROUNDTABLE ON GLOBAL AFFAIRS IN THE POST-PERRY AGE (3:00-5:00 pm)**

**Presider: Steven Heine**

**Paul Kowert**, Florida International University

**Eric Messersmith**, Florida International University

**Mark Ravina**, Emory University

**Frank Schnidman**, Florida Atlantic University

**Bongman Seo**, Florida International University

**Brian Woodall**, Georgia Institute of Technology

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