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Participants (in alphabetical order)

Tim Brook (University of British Columbia) - "Praying for the Dead After You Have Killed Them:
Zhu Yuanzhang's Plenary Masses and the Ming Claim to Sovereignty"
Red Chan (Warwick University) - "Fame, Fiction and Friction: Transformations of Hong Ying's Novel I
David Cohen (University of California, Berkeley) - "Unconditional Surrender? Ambiguity, Responsibility and Expediency in the Allied Treatment of Emperor Hirohito and the Imperial Institution"
Margaret Hillenbrand (SOAS, University of London) - "Photography, Representation, and the
Nanjing Massacre"
Mark Edward Lewis (Stanford University) - "Conflict Within the Self in Early China"
Liu Dong (Qinghua University) - "Yan Fu and Gu Hongming."
Lydia Liu (Columbia University) - "1836: The Staging of the "Thug' and the 'Barbarian'"
Peter Perdue (Yale University) - "Revenge and Reconciliation in Chinese Nationalist Discourse:
'Ihoughts on Zhang Taiyan"
Michael Puett (Harvard University) - "The Anxiety of Mediation: Ritual Constructions of Peace in
Early China"
Jing Tsu (Yale University) - "The Republic as Colony: The 1895 Formosan Experiment."
Hans van der Ven (University of Cambridge) - "The Sino-Japanese Peace Treaty of 1953"
Wang Ning (Qinghua University) - "The Motifs of Conflict and Repression in Freud"
Hilde de Weerdt (Oxford University) - "Defeat, Loss and the Other in Twelfth-Century Notebooks:
Experiments in the History of Conflict, Language and Empire"
Concluding Discussion
Mary Jacobus (University of Cambridge), Jian Yi (Independent Filmmaker, Yale World Fellow),
Mark Edward Lewis (Stanford University), Lydia Liu (Columbia University).

Tina Lu (Yale University), Michael Puett (Harvard University), Haun Saussy (Yale University) and Wang Ning (Qinghua University)

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