

The CSUSB Pfau Library, The History Club/Phi Alpha Theta, The History Department, and The CSUSB Modern China Lecture Series Present:



A three-part modern China film series free and open to the public, with introduction by Professor Jeremy Murray and discussion to follow

I. Surviving Mao's China "To Live" (1994), Dir. Zhang Yimou
Thursday, May 14, 2015, 12PM to 2:30PM, PL-5005

II. Bewildered in Post-Mao China "The Story of Qiu Ju" (1991), Dir. Zhang Yimou
Thursday, May 21, 2015, 12PM to 2:30PM, PL-5005

III. Questions for the Future "Personal Tailor" (2013), Dir. Feng Xiaogang
Thursday, May 28, 2015, 12PM to 2:30PM, PL-5005

The CSUSB History Club and Phi Alpha Theta chapter welcomes you to join us for one or all of the films in an upcoming three-part modern China film series. On three consecutive Thursdays in May, join us in CSUSB's Pfau Library fifth floor multimedia center for screening of three important Chinese films. On May 14th we'll watch "To Live," Zhang Yimou's epic drama set in the 1940s, 50s, and 60s. Banned in China, the film is a vivid and powerful depiction of life in revolutionary China and the early People's Republic. On May 21st we'll watch another of Zhang's films, "The Story of Qiu Ju," the story of one woman's frustrating attempts to find justice while navigating the bureaucracy of the PRC government, and set in the early post-Mao years. On May 28th we'll watch Feng Xiaogang's recent film, "Personal Tailor," a big-budget satirical comedy that follows a group of lifestyle consultants who turn the dreams of their wealthy clientele into simulated and ephemeral realities. Each film will be briefly introduced and followed by a discussion, hosted by Professor Jeremy Murray. We hope to see you there!

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