Symposium: Chinese Women’s Documentaries in the Market Era

March 21, 2012, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Joukowsky Forum, Watson Institute
111 Thayer Street, Providence

Moderator: Lingzhen Wang, Brown University

9:00 Introduction
Lingzhen Wang (Brown University)
Welcome Remarks:
Kay Warren (Brown University)
Chung-I Tan (Brown University)
Kerry Smith (Brown University)

9:30 “Flexible Capitalism through the Lenses of Chinese/Taiwanese Women Documentarists”
Tze-lan Sang
University of Oregon
Discussant: Cynthia Brokaw
Brown University

10:15 “When Feminism Meets Documentaries: Case Studies in Contemporary China”
Lu Xinyu
Fudan University, Shanghai, China
Discussant: Cui Shuqin
Bowdoin College

11:00 “Hong Kong Independent Documentaries: History, Her-stories and Gender Troubles”
S. Louisa Wei
City University of Hong Kong
Discussant: Lynne Joyrich
Brown University

11:45 Discussion

12:30 Break

12:45 Lunch
1:45  “Money or Honey: A Documentary Dilemma”

Sylvia Lin
University of Notre Dame

Discussant  Amy Dooling
Connecticut College

2:30  “Chinese Capital in (E)Motion: Reading Beijing Taxi”

Qin Shao
The College of New Jersey

Discussant  Keith Brown
Brown University

3:15  “Chinese Women under the Queer Gaze: Shitou and Women 50 Minutes”

Hongwei Bao
Nottingham Trent University

Discussant  Samuel Perry
Brown University

4:00  Discussion