Geographies of Home: producing home across scale in Japan and Singapore
Dr. Chris McMorran

TONIGHT - Hyatt Regency Hotel
7:00pm Room ABC

Dr. Chris McMorran is a cultural geographer in the Department of Japanese Studies at the National University of Singapore, where he began teaching in 2010. Since then, he has become known as one of the University’s best teacher-scholars, having won the University’s teaching excellence award and then, in 2016, named to the NUS Teaching Academy. His “Field Studies in Japan,” course, a first for his department, is offered every summer; it delves into the dark side of tourism, encourages engagement with local populations, and challenges students to adapt to local customs, lodgings, and foodways. His research has focused on the scholarship of teaching, on Japanese popular culture, and on home-place and work-place, with an emphasis on “place” and critical geography.

Dr. McMorran’s Ph.D. and M.A. are from the University of Colorado at Boulder. Both are in geography, but his cognate field is anthropology, which puts him in a perfect position to discuss “The Geographies of Home” as his topic for our professional night presentation.
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See Allison Hunt at Table 66 if you have any questions.
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Thank you Benn VanOudenallen for a great walking tour of Cincinnati’s Over the Rhine Region.
What’s Been Going On?

Geography Bowl, June 4, 2017

Make Geography Great Again

1st

Jamison Conley, Lindsay Ragsdale, Staci Munro
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South Korea’s Got Seoul

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