



CONFLICT, CRISIS, OR CONVERGENCE: WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD FOR ASIA?

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Seating is limited.

Join the conversation and find out more about “Unfortunate Brothers: Korea’s Reunification Dilemma,” the latest documentary film in our Beyond the Border series. We also will screen this film at Northwestern University in the evening with details to come. Dodge Billingsley, director of Combat Films and Research, our production partner for the series, will be at both events.

Learn how you can join our international advisory boards, mentor students, create internship and career opportunities, or support student global experiences. Business casual, \$10 per attendee, and lunch will be served. RSVP by Monday, 7 October to Nellie Ashby at (801) 422-3378 or nellie.ashby@byu.edu. For more information, contact Joe Seeger, BYU Alumni Association Chicago Chapter, (312) 594-7148 or byuchicago@gmail.com.

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