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Carol Gluck, George Sansom Professor of History at Columbia University's East Asian Institute and a prominent authority on Japanese History, will give the Edwin O. Reischauer Memorial Lecture Feb. 28 at 4:30 p.m. in the Graduate School of International Relations and Pacific Studies (IR/PS) Robinson Auditorium at the University of California, San Diego.

Gluck's lecture, Patterns of Change: "A Grand Unified Theory of Japanese History," is free and open to the public. Her field of specialty is the history of Japan from the Meji period to the present, with a focus on modern intellectual history, American-East Asian relations, postwar Japanese history, and the history of Japan and the West.

Gluck's major publications include Japan's Modern Myths: Ideology in the Late Mejji Period (Princeton University Press, 1985), and most recently, Showa: the Japan of Hirohito (co-editor with Stephen Graubard, W.W. Norton, 1992). She is currently at work on a new book called Versions of the Past: the Japanese and Their Modern History.

The Edwin O. Reischauer Memorial Lecture, now in its third year, is made possible by an endowment made to UCSD in Reischauer's name by his widow Haru Reischauer. Edwin Reischauer, the American ambassador to Japan from 1961-1966, was one of the founders of the academic study of Japan in the United States, and a leader in the formulation of U.S. policy toward Japan and East Asia.

Because space is limited for the lecture, reservations are requested. To make reservations, please call (619) 534-1465.

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