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**presents a lecture by**

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**ENGLISH LOANWORDS IN KOREAN:  
FROM *PPADA* TO *SWEPARAZZI***

**In this talk, Prof. Kang will provide an overview of the history of English loanwords in Korean, from the onset of systematic contact between the two languages at the beginning of the 20th century through to the present day. She will examine how the linguistic characteristics of English loanwords have evolved over time through different sociolinguistic and political contexts, and explore to what extent prescriptivism and language purism have played a role in shaping and constraining the loanwords and their usage in Korea.**

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