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Ayako Kano, University of Pennsylvania, "Gender Equal, Gender Free, and the Backlash: A Comparative Study of Gender Policy Debates in Japan and the U.S.A."

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Takeshi Matsui, Hitotsubashi University, "Interpenetration Process of Japanese and American Consumer Culture: A Comparative Study on Institutionalization of Foreign Consumer Culture"

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