



# Weekly BULLETIN

October 4, 2022

ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED ACADEMIC  
STAFF: UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

## **CURRENT AFFAIRS SALON**

The next meeting of the Current Affairs Salon will take place  
on **Thursday October 6 at 2:00pm MDT via Zoom.**

We have been fortunate to arrange for Gordon Houlden, Director Emeritus of the China Institute of the University of Alberta to lead a discussion on China, with emphasis on recent events and in particular the aspirations of the PRC to gain control over Taiwan. The Zoom coordinates for the meeting are:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84256439376>

If the system asks for a passcode enter 488023

The meeting ID is 84256439376 if needed

## **BOOK CLUB**

The next meeting of the Book Club will be held at 2:15 pm on Wednesday October 19 in Room 1-46 of University Terrace (8303-112 Street). The book to be discussed is *Transcription* (2018) by Kate Atkinson. Members may participate either *in person* or online. If you wish to participate online, please contact Vivien Bosley at [vbosley@ualberta.ca](mailto:vbosley@ualberta.ca) for Zoom instructions. If you wish to join the group, please contact Vivien.

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

The Annual General Meeting will be coming up this month on Wednesday, October 26. It will be held online via Zoom. All members are encouraged to attend so we can achieve a quorum. More info on how to join will be sent out next week.

## **OFFICE ASSISTANT**

The Association has now hired a new Office Assistant. His name is David Raagas. He will be working Mondays from 1-4pm.