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# “The Chinese Art of Tea: A history of tea and its evolution”

**Speaker: Oi Ling Chiang**

**Language: Cantonese**

**Thursday, December 17th, 2015**

**7:00-8:30pm**

**304 Lyndhurst Building,  
29 Lyndhurst Terrace, Central**

Given that many different cultures and countries have strongly adopted tea-drinking as part of their very identity, it may come as a surprise or a reminder to some that every tea lover has China to thank for the origin and development of this aromatic beverage. While the history of tea is long and complex, stretching across several thousands of years and different countries, earliest written records its use as far back as the first millennium BCE.

Oi Ling Chiang, the founder of Chinese Cultural Studies Center, has made careful study of the history of tea in China over the years, and will be presenting a special talk on the general historical background of tea in China, and the archaeological artifacts and artwork related to tea, as well as the evolution of tea brewing preparation over the dynasties. For the thoughtful tea-drinker, this talk will open up new insights and appreciation into this ancient practice, whose allurements still hold strong today.

**Non-members \$100**

**Members \$60**

**Students \$60**

As seating is limited, it is strongly recommended that reservations be made. For reservations and further information, please contact [info@chineseculturalstudiescenter.org](mailto:info@chineseculturalstudiescenter.org) or call +852 9660 2639