

*This is a running list of films that you can consider for the group project. The group project will consist of 4-5 people per group, and we'll begin to work on it in November. Before November, think about which film--or what type of film--you'd like to work on in your group project.*

*Please add your name in the category (and next to the film title) that you are interested in possibly pursuing for the group project. You can add your name in various places below. By adding your name, you aren't committing to anything, so no worries on that end.*

*Finally, feel free to add film titles of works that you're interested in. You can also add TV drama titles... doing a final project that focuses on a K-drama may be an option (come talk to me).*

## North Korean films

- **Note:** There are numerous North Korean films on the war. Exploring one or more of them for your group project is definitely an option.

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- For starters, you can search the [DPRK Film Archive](#) on YouTube,
- *Comrade Kim Goes Flying* (2012) <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2379424/>
  - Aniya Schwoerer
- *Broad Bellflower* (1987) [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_Wb3VaCElcY](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_Wb3VaCElcY)
  - Clare Budin, Aniya Schwoerer
- *Bulgasari* (1988) [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_Wb3VaCElcY](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_Wb3VaCElcY)
  - Genny Jacobs, Sam Haise

For South Korean films (especially older ones), start with [Korean Classic Films](#) on YouTube. A good site for searching more recent films is [koreanfilm.org](http://koreanfilm.org). You can also check your university's library to see its DVD holdings.

## South Korea: Korean War

- *Marines Who Never Returned* (1963): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8rrBUUWRlwc>  
**Alex Kanai**  
**Neil Brown**  
**Tyler Rosinski**  
**John DeMass**
- *Ode To My Father* (2015): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt3812366/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt3812366/?ref=fn_al_tt_1)  
**Jessica Foster, Sam Haise, Ahjin Jo, Suzy Chun, Fan Yang, Genny Jacobs, Jiwon Kim, Margaret Hope, Bojian Chen**
- *Swing Kids* (2018): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt7046974/>  
**Michaela Dillon**  
**Neil Brown**
- *Welcome To Dongmakgol* (2005):  
[https://www.imdb.com/find?q=dongmakgol&ref=nv\\_sr\\_sm](https://www.imdb.com/find?q=dongmakgol&ref=nv_sr_sm)  
**Jiwon Kim, Bojian Chen**

## South Korea: inter-Korea relations

- *JSA: Joint Security Area* (2000): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0260991/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0260991/?ref=fn_al_tt_1)  
**Jiwon Kim**
- *Secretly Greatly* (2013): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2967578/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2967578/?ref=fn_al_tt_1)
- *Spy Gone North* (2018): [https://www.imdb.com/find?q=spy+gone+north&ref=nv\\_sr\\_sm](https://www.imdb.com/find?q=spy+gone+north&ref=nv_sr_sm)  
**Amanda Dorsey**

## South Korea: counter-memory/democratization

- 택시운전사 (*Taxi Driver*) (2017): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt6878038/>
  - **Jordann Poos, Michaela Dillon, Aren Yoon, Margaret Hope, Jeanneth Camilo-Arias, Jiwon Kim, Alex Kanai, Bojian Chen, Fan Yang, Shannon Brophy, Dahlia Davis**
- 1987: When the Day Comes (2017):  
[https://www.imdb.com/title/tt6493286/?ref=tt\\_sims\\_tt\\_t\\_2](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt6493286/?ref=tt_sims_tt_t_2)
  - **Jordann Poos, Ahjin Jo, Michaela Dillon, Bojian Chen, Alex Kanai, Clare Budin, Fan Yang, Jangwon Shim, Jungah Lee**
- *Chilsu and Mansu* (1988): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0150113/>
- *The Attorney* (2013): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt3404140/>

- **Jangwon Shim, Jiwon Kim, Margaret Hope, Erin Oh, Amanda Dorsey, Fan Yang, Aren Yoon, Ahjin Jo**
- *A Petal* (1996; Gwangju): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0114119/>
- *May 18* (2007; Gwangju): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0800341/>
- *26 Years* (2012; Gwangju): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2551894/>
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- *Grandmother's Flower* (2007; Korean War and repressed memories): [https://mediaspace.wisc.edu/media/Grandmothers%20Flower/0\\_mzus2mhp](https://mediaspace.wisc.edu/media/Grandmothers%20Flower/0_mzus2mhp)
  - Jeanneth Camilo-Arias
- *Jiseul* (2012) <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2526138/>
- Matthew Strupp**
- *The Last Witness* (1980): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0377645/>

## Restorative/Reflective Nostalgia; Anti-nostalgia

- *Road to Sampo* (1975): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0307406/?ref\\_=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0307406/?ref_=fn_al_tt_1)  
**Alex Kanai**  
**Clare Budin**  
**Amanda Dorsey**  
**Jeanneth Camilo-Arias**
- *Memories of Murder* (2003, Bong Joon-ho film; together with *Peppermint Candy*, an important early film that deals with nostalgia): [https://www.imdb.com/find?q=memories+of+murder&ref\\_=nv\\_sr\\_sm](https://www.imdb.com/find?q=memories+of+murder&ref_=nv_sr_sm)
  - **Jordann Poos**
- *Peppermint Candy* (1999; anti-nostalgic memory of 1979-1999): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0247613/>
  - **Jenni Kallenback**
- *Pacchigi!* (2004): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0449630/>
- *President's Barber* (2004): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0406853/>
- *President's Last Bang* (2005): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0445396/?ref\\_=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0445396/?ref_=fn_al_tt_1)
- *Sunny* (2011): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1937339/?ref\\_=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1937339/?ref_=fn_al_tt_1)
  - **Jordann Poos**
- *Ode To My Father* (2015): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt3812366/?ref\\_=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt3812366/?ref_=fn_al_tt_1)  
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**Jiwon Kim, Bojian Chen**

## Zainichi Koreans/Korea-Japan relations

Suzy Chun

Tyler Rosinski

Sydney Kinser

- *The Wailing*: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The\\_Wailing\\_\(film\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Wailing_(film)) Hard to categorize this horror film.
- *My Way*: [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1606384/?ref=mv\\_sr\\_srsq\\_5](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1606384/?ref=mv_sr_srsq_5)

## Film set in the colonial era (new category)

- *Anarchist from Colony* (2017): <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt6903980/>
- *Dongju: The Portrait of a Poet* (2016):  
[https://www.imdb.com/title/tt5799928/?ref=tt\\_sims\\_tt\\_t\\_4](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt5799928/?ref=tt_sims_tt_t_4)
- *Epitaph* (2007): [https://www.imdb.com/find?q=epitaph&ref=mv\\_sr\\_sm](https://www.imdb.com/find?q=epitaph&ref=mv_sr_sm)
- *The Handmaiden* (2016): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt4016934/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_2](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt4016934/?ref=fn_al_tt_2)
  - **Jordann Poos, Michaela Dillon**
- *Age of Shadows* (2016): [https://www.imdb.com/find?q=age+of+shadows&ref=mv\\_sr\\_sm](https://www.imdb.com/find?q=age+of+shadows&ref=mv_sr_sm)
- *2009: Lost Memories* (2002): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0294252/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt0294252/?ref=fn_al_tt_1)
- *Modern Boy* (2008): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1305131/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1305131/?ref=fn_al_tt_1)
- *Radio Dayz* (2008): [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1233489/?ref=fn\\_al\\_tt\\_1](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1233489/?ref=fn_al_tt_1)