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Thursday, October 19, 2017

Jeffrey T. Martin

Anthropology and East Asian Languages and Cultures, Fellow 2016-17

**Republican Virtue and
Bureaucratic Intimacy:
Policing the Democratic
Transformation of the Republic
of China on Taiwan**



Taiwan spent four decades under martial law (1949-1987). Then it democratized. Professor Martin's research uses ethnographic methods

to study the operation of police powers across this transition. This presentation describes some institutional continuities, and the creative conversion of these previously autocratic elements of police power into enabling factors for successful liberalization.