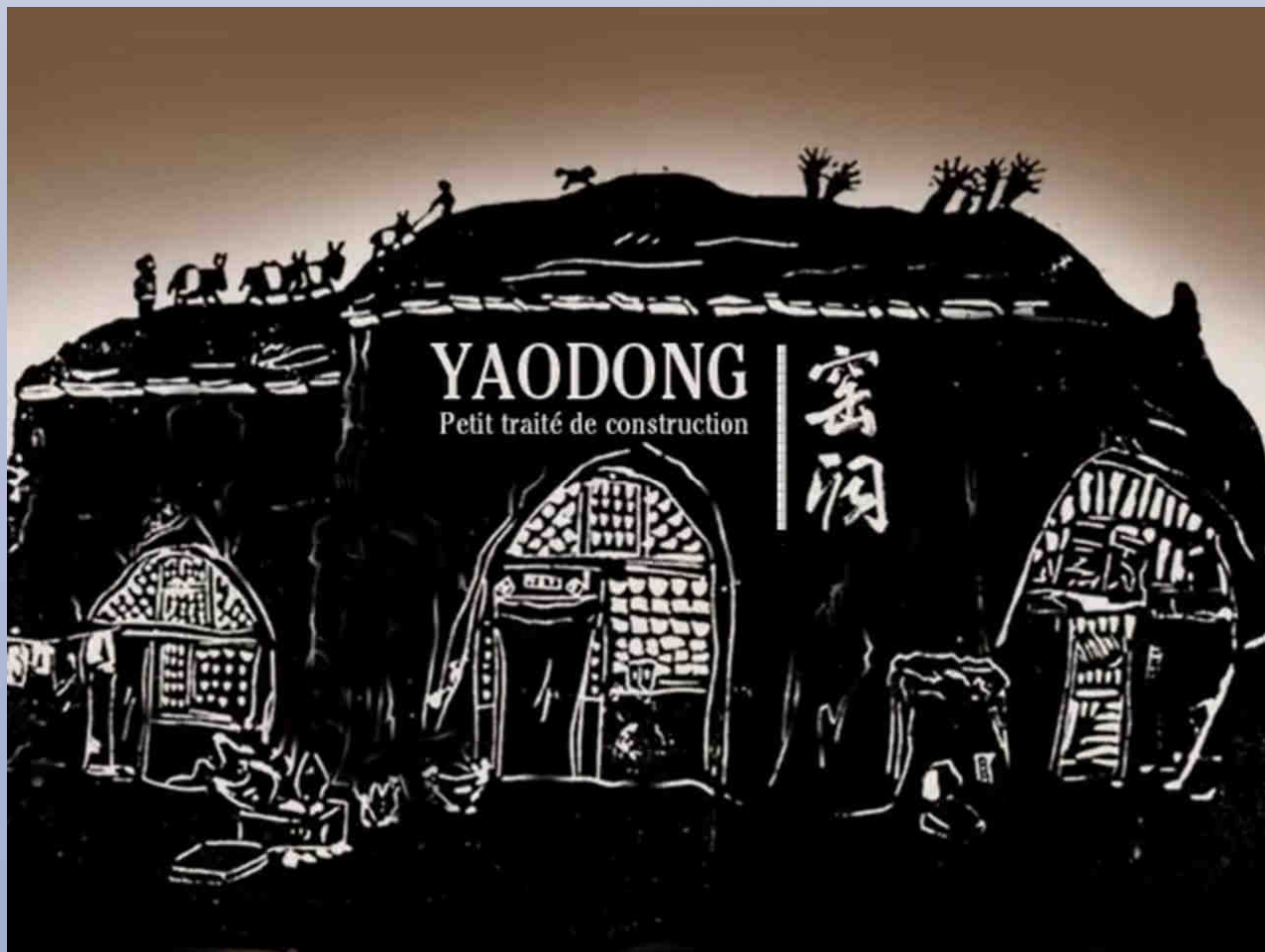


# Film Screening Series: Protecting the Weak in China and Japan

In a series of film screenings at Frankfurt University, young international researchers and filmmakers will explore dimensions of “the weak” and their protection as depicted on the screen. Topical movies and documentaries from and about China and Japan are each followed by an open discussion. All films are subtitled in English and screened on Wednesday evenings, 18:00 at Campus Westend PEG 1.G 131, free of charge, for GU students only!



**Yaodong, A Short Treatise on Construction (Guest: Caroline Bodolec, filmmaker)**  
19 November 2014, 18:00

In the region of Sha’anbei, within the Yellow River loop, are built the Yaodong, vault houses built against the mountain, following a knowledge handed down orally. The film shows us the accurate work of master stonemasons, carpenters and masters of Fengshui, all of them living in Yaodong with their families. As the filmmaker, Caroline Bodolec, takes us to meet these people, their rituals and their history, a snapshot of today’s ‘Yaodong culture’ emerges gradually.

**More films are coming up in 2014 and 2015, subject to copyright clearance.  
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