

ENGAGING THE WORLD
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environmental justice

IN RECOGNITION OF EARTH WEEK

FILM SERIES

**PLASTIC
CHINA**

Weeks to be Screened:
Earth Week April 19–24
and April 25–29



Streaming Link:

chapman.kanopy.com/video/plastic-china-0

Discussion:

April 29, 2021, 10:30–11:45 a.m.

Faculty Guest Speaker: Dr. Lindsay Shen,
Director, Escalette Permanent Collection of Art

Zoom Link:

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Plastic China explores global consumption and culture through the eyes and hands of those who handle its refuse. This documentary captures the lives of two families living in a small town dedicated to processing plastic waste at a recycling facility, whose hopes and dreams are for a better life. At what price do these families pay physically and psychologically to aspire towards wealth while completely overlooking their quality of life? What burdens do other countries place on developing nations when they export the detritus of their consumer lifestyles?

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