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Bio:

Cao Yin is an associate professor in the Department of History, Peking University. He is a scholar of modern South Asia, global history, and China-India relations. He is the author of *From Policemen to Revolutionaries: A Sikh Diaspora in Global Shanghai, 1885-1945* (Brill, 2018) and *Chinese Sojourners in Wartime Raj, 1942-45* (Oxford University Press, 2022).

Research Project:

Cao Yin is now working on a book manuscript on the history of British India's expansion in northeast India and Upper Burma in the nineteenth century. This project explores how the British Raj collaborated with the Panthay mule caravans to rule the region known as Zomia.

The expected duration of stay:

From July 1 to Dec. 31, 2025.

