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Shifting Perspectives: Asian and European Art in a Global Context

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Guiding Question:

What does it mean to take a global view of Asian and European art?

Presentation Outline with key terms, people, and places listed for each section:

I. Situating Our Perspective

Mimesis

Linear perspective

Guo Xi (1020-1090)

Behzad (c. 1460-1535)

Katsushika Hokusai (1760-1849)

II. Rethinking Art History's Geography: Europe and Many Asias but also Eurasia

Cornelius Claesz. Heda (c. 1566-c. 1622)

Holy Roman Emperor Rudolph II (r. 1576-1612)

Shah Abbas of Safavid Iran (r. 1587-1629)

Sultan Ibrahim Adil Shah II of Bijapur (r. 1580-1627)

Deccan Plateau

III. Art and Mobility: Global but also Local

Transculturation

Bidriware

Kalamkaris

IV. Shifting Perspectives: East but also West; Periphery but also Center

1571- Spanish Founding of Manila

1565-1898 Spanish colonization of the Philippines

1898-1946 U.S. colonization of the Philippines

V. Art in a Planetary Perspective

December 7, 1972- Apollo 17 crew take photograph of earth from space Anthropocene

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