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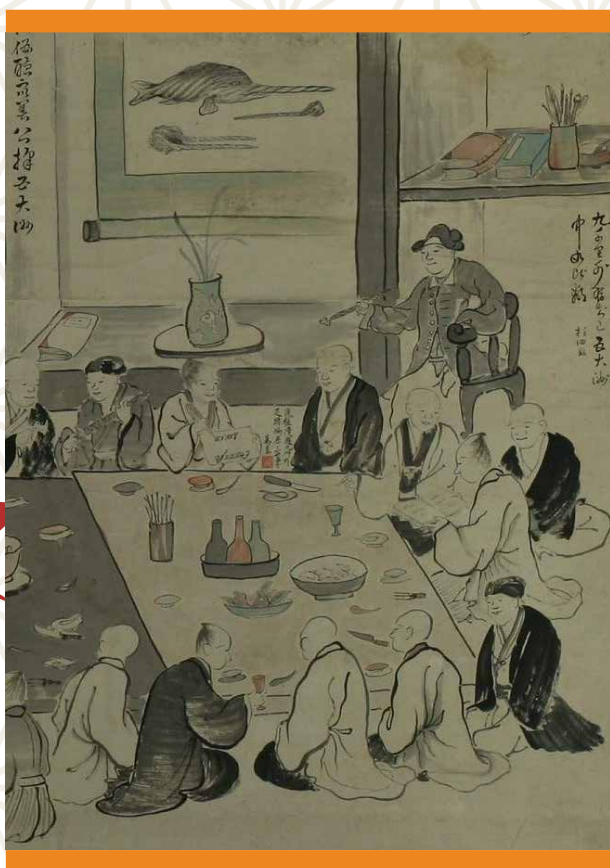
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Globalization of Wine Culture (17-18th centuries) The Dutch East India Company and the Court Journey to Edo

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Ichikawa Gakuzan, *Shirandō shingenkai zu* (detail), 1795
The "Dutch New Year" party at Shirandō
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The history of wine consumption throughout the world remains largely unexplored and unwritten. Drawing on a range of sources, including the archives of the Dutch East India Company (VOC) and several contemporary travel accounts from the 17th and 18th centuries, this lecture focuses on two key aspects: firstly, the consumption of wine by European expatriates in maritime Asia, and secondly, the emergence of a local market, primarily in Japan, during the Edo period. Wine is a product that allows us to connect diverse cultures and societies that existed in early modern times.

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