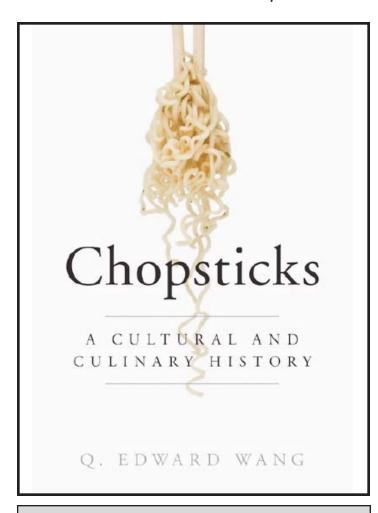
## Meet the Author Q. Edward Wang

Author of Chopsticks: A Cultural and Culinary History



## **About the Author:**



Q. Edward Wang was born and raised in Shanghai, China where he attended college before coming to the United States. He received his Ph.D. from Syracuse University in 1992. Dr. Wang has taught history at Rowan University since 1992 and his research focuses on the study of historiography (how history is written) and cultural and intellectual history

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## **Wednesday, Feb. 11 7 p.m.**

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Chopsticks have become a quintessential part of the Japanese, Chinese and Korean culinary experience across the globe, with more than one fifth of the world's population using them daily to eat.

Attend this event for a look into the vibrant history of chopsticks as Wang charts their evolution from a simple eating implement in ancient times to their status as a much more complex, cultural symbol today.

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