Lecture Day

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Thinking a Sense of Home and Belonging through Migrations

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Summary

The Asia-Pacific war caused serious damage to the Japanese immigration community in Davao, the Philippines. Some of them were forced to repatriate to their ancestral homeland right after the war, others reluctantly remained in the Philippines and encountered discrimination after WWII. By looking at various migrations of these two groups of people between Japan and the Philippines from 1945 to the present, this lecture examines a complicated and multifaceted

sense of home and belonging of transnational migrants.

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