

November 24, 2020 See This Weekend

MISSION STATEMENT: Promote full utilization of the capabilities of the Enterprise's employees and champion the betterment of the company and community. Promote interest in Asian Pacific issues and culture and act as a bridge to all groups within our community. (substitute in your Enterprise and company, etc...)

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Back issues of the newsletter for all of 2000-2019 are available at <http://www.ikemi.info/APPA/> newsletters. if you want to look up some past event. This newsletter was originally published under the auspices of the Hughes Asian Pacific Professional Association (no longer extant). It currently has no affiliation and is available to anyone who is interested in downloading it.

Please send in information on cultural events and news items to dkikemi@pacbell.net. You can also try dkikemi@icloud.com.

Long range calendar items:
Los Angeles Public Library: <http://www.lapl.org>

Oct 3-4, 2020
Poston Virtual Pilgrimage
<https://www.postonpreservation.org/virtualpilgrimage>

programming available online

For the foreseeable future, all museums and cultural resources are closed. Check websites for duration of closures and virtual events.

Japanese American National Museum
100 North Central Avenue
Los Angeles California 90012
phone: 213.625.0414
Virtual Events
<http://www.janm.org>

Thursday, November 19, 2020

4:00 PM

[Virtual Programs](#)

A Legacy of Healing, Rebirth and Leadership: A Smithsonian Affiliations Virtual Scholar Talk

FREE

Smithsonian Asian Pacific American Center's Adriel Luis will present and moderate a

lively discussion with panelists, Emily Anderson, Ph.D., Curator, Japanese American National Museum, and Jessica Rubenacker, Exhibit Director, Wing Luke Museum of the Asian Pacific American Experience. Emily Anderson will speak about the important role that religious institutions and individuals played in providing a sense of security and stability for Japanese Americans during World War II. This includes sharing research she is currently conducting for an upcoming exhibition she is co-curating titled Sutra and Bible: Faith and Japanese American World War II Incarceration. Jessica Rubenacker present the Wing Luke Museum's recent examples of community healing through art with the Chinatown-International Love Letters campaign, mural project collaboration with artist Moses Sun and more generally the Museum's reopening to the public.

RSVP required

<http://www.janm.org/events/>

Saturday, December 5, 2020

2:00 PM—3:30 PM

[Virtual Programs](#)

Japanese American in New York: Nikkei Trans-regional Dialogue

\$10 suggested donation

Telling the lesser-known history of Nikkei on the East Coast—a community vastly different from West Coast Japanese Americans—author-historian, consultant, and attorney Daniel H. Inouye explores the unique stories of a divided community of Japanese New Yorkers before World War II. Through a wealth of primary sources, including oral histories, memoirs, newspapers, government documents, photographs, and more, his award-winning book *Distant Islands: The Japanese American Community in New York City, 1876–1930s* dives into the often unacknowledged rich history of New York Japanese American Issei and Nisei.

[Distant Islands: The Japanese American Community in New York City, 1876–1930s is available through the JANM Store](#)

RSVPs are required. You will be emailed links and instructions to join our conversation on Zoom. Please confirm that the email that you register with is the best way to reach you. Contact publicprograms@janm.org if you have any additional questions or specific access concerns.

We are thankful for the generosity of our members and audiences. Virtual programs like this are made possible with your support. Please use the additional donation option on the next page to add your donation amount for this program. Suggested donation is \$10.

RSVP

<http://www.janm.org/events/2020/12/>

PACIFIC ASIA MUSEUM

46 North Los Robles Avenue

Pasadena, California 91101

<https://pacificasiamuseum.usc.edu/exhibitions/current/>

PAM@Home

PACIFIC ASIA MUSEUM introduce, PAM@Home, their free and accessible virtual museum care package specially curated by USC PAM staff to help you, our community,

<https://pacificasiamuseum.usc.edu/about/pamathome/>

Podcasts and virtual events at the Japanese American Cultural Community Center

<http://www.jacc.org/#japanese-american-cultural-community-center>

Chinese American Museum

[*To Stay Connected, CAM is Going Digital!*](#)

Follow us on **Instagram** and **Facebook** as we explore new ways to present history and the arts to your screens! See CAMLA on Instagram

[Tea Talk with Lisa See & Linda Louie](#)

Attention all tea lovers and book worms! CAM is excited to announce our newest virtual series, "Tea Talk." Bring your favorite cup of tea and join Lisa See, Linda Louie and moderator, Lan Ong on Wednesday, September 23rd @ 5pm PDT.

[Watch An Untold Past: Chinese Americans in the South](#)

Last Thursday on August 27th, we held our first panel discussion of "An Untold Past" series. This discussion featured speakers, Dr. John Jung, Baldwin Chiu & Larissa Lam with moderator, Dr. Lauren D. Hom.

Thank you to those who were able to attend. In case you missed it, you can now watch the full recording on our **YouTube channel**.

<http://camla.org/>

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China and the Asian World: A Contemporary History

Thursday, December 3, 2020

4:00 PM - 5:30 PM (Pacific Time)

Live via Zoom

RSVP

<https://www.international.ucla.edu/apc/event/14576>

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LITTLE TOKYO LITTLE PODCAST
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<http://sustainablelittletokyo.org/projects/little-podcast>

<https://www.janm.org/>

[Getty](#) podcast:

Reflections: Amanda Berman on a Pair of Decorative Groups

<https://blogs.getty.edu/iris/reflections-amanda-berman-on-a-pair-of-decorative-groups/>

Getty read:

Before the War: The Japanese Camera Pictorialists of California

The J. Paul Getty Museum recently acquired a collection of nearly lost photographs assembled by collector Dennis Reed over the course of 35 years

LYRA KILSTON | AUGUST 18, 2020 | 5 MIN READ

<https://blogs.getty.edu/iris/before-the-war-the-japanese-camera-pictorialists-of-california/>

This Weekend:

Thanksgiving! Stay safe, virtual in my case

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Where I went the past week:

Iva Toguri Webinar

Resources: LACMA calendar: <http://www.lacma.org/events/Calendar.aspx>

UCLA Asia Institute calendar: <http://www.international.ucla.edu/asia/events/index.asp?action=monthview>

Japanese American National Museum <http://www.janm.org/events/>
<http://camla.org/events/calendar.htm> Historic Trails, Modern Tales New sites were added to our historic trails. Visit trails.camla.org for a self-guided tour of Chinatown. Use your mobile device along the path and explore the histories of the community.

Korean Cultural Center <http://www.kccla.org/>

Japanese American Community Cultural Center <http://jacc.org/>

USC Pacifica Asia Museum <https://pacificasiamuseum.usc.edu/>

UCLA Asia Pacific Institute <https://www.international.ucla.edu/asia/>

Cultural News <http://www.culturalnews.com/>

Los Angeles Public Library <http://www.lapl.org/events/>

Orange County Agricultural and Nikkei Heritage Museum http://fullertonarboretum.org/museum_nikkei.php

www.golittletokyo.com

Articles from the LA Times and other sources:

Failure to bridge divides of age, race doomed affirmative action proposition

BY DAVID LAUTERSENIOR WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT

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5 AM

[Failure to bridge divides doomed affirmative action measure - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](https://www.latimes.com)

The fossil fuel industry wants you to believe it's good for people of color

BY SAMMY ROTHSTAFF WRITER

NOV. 23, 2020

6 AM

[Natural gas firms claim they fight for racial justice - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](https://www.latimes.com)

California is still debating ethnic studies in public education. Can the state finally get it right?

BY NINA AGRAWALSTAFF WRITER

NOV. 23, 2020

5:30 AM

[California still debating ethnic studies in public education - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)

This California inmate fought the state's wildfires. Now he faces deportation

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NOV. 19, 2020

3:09 PM **UPDATED**4:28 PM

[California inmate fought wildfires, now faces deportation - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)

The virtual 2020 National Book Awards were an emotional roller coaster with a hopeful kick

BY DORANY PINEDASTAFF WRITER

NOV. 19, 2020

10:22 AM

[2020's National Book Awards was also the last for Lisa Lucas - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)

How Pete Docter and Kemp Powers brought the first Black Pixar protagonist to life in 'Soul'

BY SONAIYA KELLEY

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7 AM

[How 'Soul' directors created Pixar's first Black protagonist - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)

LA Times Today: California's youngest state legislator, Assembly District 25's Alex Lee

NOV. 18, 2020

2:29 PM

[LA Times Today: California's youngest state legislator, Assembly District 25's Alex Lee - Los Angeles Times](#)

7 of the best events at the 2020 Times Festival of Books

BY DORANY PINEDASTAFF WRITER

NOV. 17, 2020

8 AM

[7 of the best panels at the 2020 Times Festival of Books - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)

Bruce Boynton, civil rights pioneer who inspired 1961 Freedom Rides, dies at 83
BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NOV. 24, 2020

3:39 PM

[Bruce Boynton, civil rights pioneer who inspired 1961 Freedom Rides, dies at 83 - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)

Judge blocks new rule that would disqualify asylum seekers convicted of crimes
BY CHRISTOPHER WEBERASSOCIATED PRESS

NOV. 20, 2020

6:30 AM

[Judge blocks new disqualifications for asylum-seekers - Los Angeles Times \(latimes.com\)](#)