

A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE OF JAPANESE AMERICANS



FROM WWII's Incarceration Camps To Today's Detention Sites

1942



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**Thursday, 20 February 2020
12:30-2:00 p.m.
SUBO, State Room (Penthouse)**



George Hirose, Japanese American Citizen's League-New York Chapter, President

He is Nisei (second generation Japanese American) and lifelong New Yorker that has been involved with the Japanese American and Asian American community for many years. He serves on the Board of Directors of the Japanese American Association of NY and the steering committee for JAJA (Japanese Americans and Japanese in America) and the NY Japanese American Oral History Project.



Linda Sachiko Morris, Tsuru For Solidarity Organizer & Steering Committee

She is a Yonsei (fourth-generation Japanese American) descendant of the Manzanar, Jerome, and Rohwer WWII prison camps for people of Japanese ancestry. Linda is an organizer and Steering Committee Member for Tsuru For Solidarity, a direct-action project of Japanese American activists working to end detention sites and support front-line immigrant communities. Linda lives in New York City and works as an attorney at the National ACLU Women's Rights Project.

Moderated by Yung-Yi Diana Pan, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology

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