

Toward the Future of Island Studies: Networking International Young Scholars 2021

The Research Institute for Islands and Sustainability (RIIS) at University of the Ryukyus will hold an interdisciplinary conference planned for the networking of young researchers conducting contemporary research on the island issues.

Date/Time : February 23rd, 2021 (9:30 AM to 17:00 PM JST)

Language : Japanese and English (partial English interpretation available)

The conference will be held via Zoom to prevent the spread of Covid-19. Advance registration is required.

Registration Form: <https://forms.gle/gJuq2tLTEAfLbGax7>

【Keynote】 10: 00 AM - 11: 30 AM

Dr. Wesley Ueunten (San Francisco State University)

Can the Diaspora Sing?

- Understanding *Tinsagunu Hana* in Diasporic Time and Space -

【Individual Presentation】

Session A (13: 00 PM – 14:30 PM)

«**Room ①**: Community/Military and the environment/Overcoming the past» Chair: Daniel Iwama
Akino Oshiro (Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg) (in English)
Farm to Base: Mobilization of Local Population for Military Work in U.S. Occupied Okinawa
Tomoyoshi Doi (JSPS Postdoctoral Fellow/ University of Tokyo) (in English)
Forgetting the Creation of "National Subject" in Postwar Okinawa : From an "Alien" Perspective

«**Room ②**: Disaster Prevention/Community» Chair: Maeda Yuki
Yoshiyuki Higa (Graduate School of Human and Social Sciences, University of the Ryukyus) (in Japanese)
Gechiyaku Officers and Local Characteristics of Magiri/Mura Administrative Districts in Ryūkyū in the 18th and 19th Centuries: A Study Centered on the Analysis of Articles of Prize Included in Ryukyu Family Lineage Documents
Akiko Yamashiro (Graduate School of International Cultural Studies, Meio University) (in Japanese)
近世琉球の家譜資料における側室的位置づけを与えられる女性一妾・側室

Session B (14: 45 PM – 16:15 PM)

«**Room ①**: Community/Military and the environment» Chair: Keisuke Mori
Matthew Topping (Graduate School of Human and Social Sciences, University of the Ryukyus)
Endangered Language Revitalization in Ishigaki under a PAR Framework (in English)
Tanapat Jundittawong (Visiting Researcher, Faculty of of Humanity and Social Sciences, University of the Ryukyus) (in Japanese)
The Sense of Distance from Capital and Mainland in the Consciousness of Residents in the Nation-State Peripheral Areas: Case Studies of The Three Southern Border Provinces, Thailand, and Okinawa, Japan

«**Room ②**: Overcoming the past/healthcare» Chair: Tomoyoshi Doi
Kana Sakumoto (Graduate School for Language and Society, Hitotsubashi University)
The Memory of Battle of Okinawa and the U.S. Occupation in Hansen's Disease Literature (in Japanese)
Jun Matsuda (PD Resaercher The Center for Korean Studies, Hitotsubashi University)
Governance that Disturbs Sovereignty: Governmentality in Modern Okinawa (in Japanese)

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