



125th Anniversary
Consulate General of Japan
Vancouver

Throughout 2014, in celebration of the 125th anniversary year since its establishment, the Consulate General of Japan in Vancouver is pleased to present:

PARALLEL PATHS

Japanese Diplomacy & Nikkei Heritage

A series of 6 forums tracing the parallel histories of the Japanese consulate in Vancouver and the Japanese community featuring keynote speakers, reports from Japan's Diplomatic Archives, and some personal recollections from those who lived the history.

the third forum:

World War Two Period

Friday, June 27, -- 7 pm

Steveston Buddhist Temple
4360 Garry Street, Richmond

In this third forum, keynote speaker Dr. Henry Shimizu will talk about the treatment and detainment of Japanese Canadians during the war period as well as life at the internment camps based on his experience. Consul General Okada will explain about the situation at that time from the Japanese perspective.

Following the speakers, there will be a panel discussion and a Q&A session open for audience participation. This is a free event open to the public.

Registrations appreciated: event@vc.mofa.go.jp

Other upcoming forums in this series:

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| August 2 (Sat) (time TBD) | Post-war Rebuilding Period
Location: (TBD); Speakers: Consul General Okada, Gordon Kadota |
| October 24 (Fri) 7 pm | Redress Movement – 1990s
Nikkei Place; Speakers: Special Guest (TBD), Consul General Okada |
| Nov. 28 (Fri) 7 pm | Recent Years: 1990 – Present
Nikkei Place; Speaker: Consul General Okada, Greg Masuda |