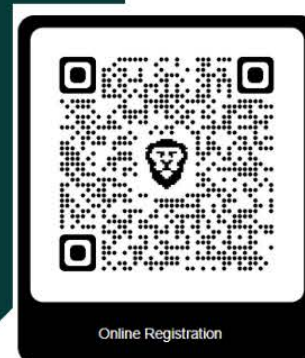


Diaspora is the Future

Joseph Juhn, Esq.
(Documentary Filmmaker)

Date: Friday, 15 March 2024
Time: 4 pm - 5.00 pm (NZDT)
Venue: Pat Hanan Room (207-501), UoA
Online available via Zoom: Registration required



Abstract

Joseph Juhn's presentation, "Diaspora is the Future", focuses on Juhn's personal journey to explore the multiplicity and intersectionality of diasporic identity. Revolving around Juhn's trip to Cuba where he ran into Korean Cubans, a serendipitous encounter that transformed Joseph's life trajectory, Juhn explores diasporic consciousness through multiple stages and evolution of his understanding of identity; from being simply Korean to embracing the nuances of Korean American identity, and eventually, a member of the broader Korean diaspora and, ultimately, a part of humanity.

About Joseph Juhn, Esq.



Joseph Juhn is a lawyer-turned-filmmaker. His latest documentary, "CHOSEN", sheds light on the struggles and triumphs of five Korean Americans who ran for US Congress in 2020. Joseph's debut feature documentary, "JERONIMO", released in 2019, explored the life of a Korean Cuban revolutionary named, Jeronimo Lim. Prior to working on "JERONIMO" full-time, Joseph was an in-house counsel at the Manhattan-based South Korean government agency (KOTRA) for 4 years where he advised Korean companies and entrepreneurs on US intellectual property and startup law. Joseph studied Film and Video at UC San Diego and got his JD at Syracuse University College of Law.

All are warmly welcome to the seminar room. Online joining is also available, but registration is required. Please scan the QR code above. For any inquiries, please contact ch.song@auckland.ac.nz.