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Professor Ambeth Ocampo delivers his well-appreciated lecture before the Filipino community leaders and guests.

~~Professor Ambeth Ocampo, a well-known Filipino scholar and writer, delivered a lecture for the Philippine Embassy in Tokyo during the week-long celebration of the 114th anniversary of the Proclamation of Philippine Independence.~~



(Left photo) Ambassador Lopez interacts with some of the Filipino community leaders joined by some of the reception's guests.

Background: The United States has a long history of racial and ethnic discrimination against African Americans, and this has led to a higher rate of incarceration for African Americans compared to other racial and ethnic groups. The purpose of this study was to examine the impact of racial and ethnic discrimination on the rate of incarceration for African Americans.



Ambassador Lopez (3rd from left) is joined by Fr.Tanalega S.J. of UGAT Foundation (2nd from left), Enrique Olives of TFC-Japan (leftmost) and the awardees, Mr. Nestor Puno of Sag Migrante (4th from left), (from rightmost) April Morito, Cristina Tanaka, Carina Morita, Mal Okuyama, and Frank Ocampos of NETFIL.

The award of the Philippine Award for the Best Philippine Film was presented to the winner, Mr. Nestor Puno of Sag Migrante, by the Philippine Embassy in Tokyo, during the 114th Anniversary of the Proclamation of Philippine Independence.



(Left photo) Ambassador and Madame Lopez lead the Embassy officers and staff. Philippine Embassy officials and staff are in full force for the National Day festivities.