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International Conference **Children of Migration in Asia:**

Child Migrants, Border-Crossing Children
Border-Blurred Children

November 25, 2017 (Sat) 9:30 – 18:00

Conference Rooms No. 1 & 2 McKim Hall 10F, Rikkyo University

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Keynote speakers:



Professor **Rhacel S. Parrenas**
“The Global Inequalities of
Reproduction”



Professor **Nicola Piper**
“Migrant Precarity and Displaced
Care at the Intersection of
Temporality and Transnationality”

“Children” – a key concept meant to describe an analytical framework in which people have contingent ambitions at the cost of the de facto deprivation of a wide range of citizens’ rights, at the junction of rich and poor, the privileged and disadvantaged in a *transnational space*.

The challenge of this conference is to find an analytical framework that illustrates the circumstances of the left-behind children of migrant domestic workers, “parachute kids” of satellite families, children of multi-cultural or fluid families with multiple affiliations, and invisible children with refugee/stateless status.

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Program

9:30–10:00: Opening Speech, Sari Kayoko Ishii

10:00–11:00: Keynote Speech 1, **Rhacel S. Parrenas**

“The Global Inequalities of Reproduction”

11:00–12:00: Keynote Speech 2, **Nicola Piper**

“Migrant Precarity and Displaced Care at the Intersection of Temporality and Transnationality”

12:00–13:00: Lunch

Session 1: Partial Citizenship 13:00–14:00

Chand Somaiah, Brenda S.A. Yeoh (National University of Singapore)

“Transnational Lives and the Careful Longings of Left-Behind Children in Indonesia”

Cheryll Alipio (York University, Canada)

“The Left-Behind Children of Transnational Migrants in the Philippines”

Harriot Bazley (University of the Sunshine Coast)

“I Can’t Do Anything But Wait: The Experiences of ‘Left-Behind’ Children in Lombok, Indonesia”

Session 2: Ubiquitous Borders 14:00–15:00

Catherine Allerton (London School of Economics)

“The Everyday Borders of Children of Migrants: Mapping Migration and Diversity in Sabah, Malaysia”

Michelle T.Y. Huang (National Taiwan University)

“Pregnant Mainland Women and the Cultural Politics of Birthright Citizenship: Towards a Feminist Geopolitics”

Ji-Hye Shin (Yonsei University, South Korea)

“The Deportation of Korean Adoptees from the U.S. and the Quest for Citizenship”

15:00–15:15: Coffee Break

Session 3: Transnational Classes 15:15–16:15

Johanna Waters (University of Oxford)

“Child Migration for Higher Education and Its Connotations in Transnationalism in East Asia” (tentative)

Chalermpol Chamchan, Kanya Apipornchaisakul, Kanchana Thianlai (Mahidol University, Thailand)

“Access to the Rights of Migrant Children in Thailand: The Importance of Social Integration and the Role of Civil Society”

Masako Kudo (Kyoto Women’s University)

“Negotiating Belonging in One’s Own Home: Japanese Muslim Youth Born to Japanese Mothers and Pakistani Fathers”

Session 4: Dehumanized Populations 16:15–17:15

Misaki Iwai (Kanda University of International Studies, Japan)

“Citizenship of ‘Children without a Homeland’ in Vietnam” (tentative)

Hsiao-Chuan Hsia (Shih Hsin University, Taiwan)

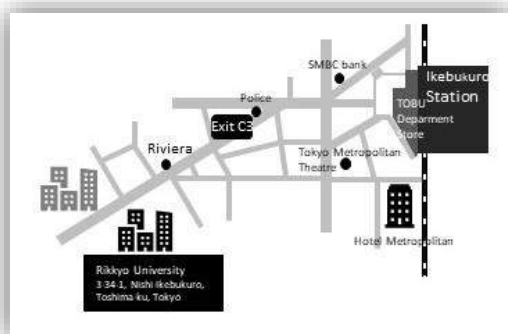
“Citizenship for Children of Migrant Mothers in Taiwan” (tentative)

Isabella Fung (Education University of Hong Kong), **Ada Lai** (Vocational Training Council)

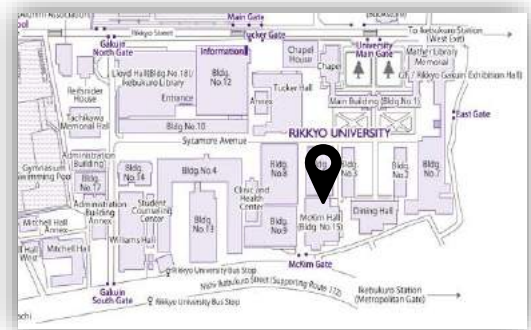
“The Bordered Life of the Stateless Little Ones – Asylum-Seeker Children in Hong Kong”

17:15–18:00: Open Discussion

18:30–20:00: Welcome Dinner



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