

public programs

at the Japanese American National Museum

Community Forum: Okinawans and Their Global Networks **Saturday, March 1 • 2:00 PM—4:00 PM**

In 2006, over 4,900 people from around the world attended the 4th *Worldwide Uchinanchu Taikai Festival* in Okinawa to reconnect with their heritage and culture. The Center for Migration Studies at the University of the Ryukyus surveyed these participants and will present their findings revealing how Okinawans connect beyond the island borders.

FREE with Museum admission. Light reception to follow.
RSVP required to 213.625.0414 ext. 2227 or rspv@janm.org.

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