

“Race, Riots, and Empire: Local and Global Challenges to White Supremacy”

From the race riots in Vancouver in 1907, to Ferguson today, people of colour have challenged white supremacy in varied ways. In this lecture, ally and historian John Price explores local and global histories of social activism for insights into the intersections of race, gender, class and Indigeneity. Focusing on World War I and the global crisis of 1919, the lecture probes the unlikely and long-forgotten stories of Asian Canadians and their local and global allies, the radicals and reformers who confronted the circuits of white supremacy that gave rise to the system of Anglo-American imperialism that continues to this day.



John Price is a Professor of History at the University of Victoria. A socially engaged scholar both in and outside the university, he is the author of *Orienting Canada: Race, Empire and the Transpacific* (UBC Press 2011) and *Japan Works: Power and Paradox in Postwar Industrial Relations* (Cornell 2000).

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