

Northern California Time of Remembrance (NCTOR)

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Preserving History

During a time when our country questions the value of history, what supports a country's democracy is not only its accomplishments and achievements, but its willingness to acknowledge, apologize, and correct its mistakes both current and past. Please join us to learn and be inspired by the work of Densho and the Ireichō Project to preserve history.

Saturday, February 14, 2026, 1:00-3:00 PM
California Museum: 1020 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Doors open at 12:45 PM. Event includes time to view
***Uprooted: An American Story* exhibit and light refreshments.**



Naomi Ostwald Kawamura is the Executive Director of Densho [www.densho.org], a Seattle-based nonprofit and digital archive that preserves and shares the history of Japanese American wartime incarceration to promote equity and justice today. She holds a Ph.D. in Education from the University of British Columbia, where she teaches a course in museum practice. Her work with Japanese American and Japanese Canadian communities brings a comparative perspective to remembrance, redress, and reconciliation. Her current work examines how digital preservation and storytelling can confront historical erasure and strengthen democratic participation in an age of misinformation.

Duncan Ryuken Williams is the founder of the Ireichō Project [<https://www.janm.org/exhibits/ireicho>], the Alton Brooks Professor of Religion, and Director of the Shinso Ito Center for Japanese Religions and Culture at the University of Southern California. He has been ordained since 1993 as a Buddhist priest in the Soto Zen tradition. He served as the Buddhist chaplain at Harvard University where he received his Ph.D. His most recent project is the building of the Irei Names Monument, a memorial to honor those of Japanese ancestry who were incarcerated in America's internment and concentration camps during WWII.



Visit www.NCTOR.org to register, pay admission fee (if applicable), become a sponsor, or make a donation. Sponsorship includes free tickets!

***** One hundred percent of donations/sponsorships to NCTOR 2026 will go to Densho and the Ireichō Project. *****

For questions, contact Nancy Whiteside at nwhitesi@hotmail.com or (916) 508-6587.

Registration deadline: Saturday, February 7, 2026

Admission Fees:

- \$15 General Admission
- Free for college students and persons aged 18 and under

Parking available for minimal fee at public garage at 1500 10th St.

To register by mail and pay by check, please complete this form.

We are pleased to support the efforts of both **Densho** and **the Ireichō Project** in preserving history to guide the present and preserve hope for the future. **One hundred percent of donations/sponsorships to NCTOR 2026 will go to Densho and the Ireichō Project.**

Please note that if you donate \$100 or more, you can be a Sponsor and receive complimentary tickets.* Sponsorship levels and associated complimentary tickets are:

- Gold (\$1,000+) 8 comp tickets
- Silver (\$500-\$999) 6 comp tickets
- Bronze (\$250-\$499) 4 comp tickets
- Supporter (\$100-\$249) 2 comp tickets

I/we would like to sponsor the NCTOR event with a Sponsorship Commitment of \$_____ and would like to be recognized as _____.

I/we would like to reserve the following tickets (not associated with sponsorship comps):

Adult Tickets _____ (qty) @ \$15 each = \$_____

College students and persons 18 and under (free admission) _____ (qty)

List of guest name(s) for purchased and/or complimentary sponsorship ticket(s):

Total Amount Enclosed (Includes sponsorship and ticket purchase): \$_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

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Mail this form and check made payable to **Placer County JACL** to:
Nancy Whiteside, 425 Cirby Way, Apt. 10, Roseville, CA 95678.

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** Please note that receipt of complimentary tickets may impact tax-deductibility amount of donation. Please consult your tax preparer.*