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**Subject:** EM: Event THIS THURS 11/16: Tracing Filipino Immigration and Labor Through Oral Histories

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**From:** Casey Xu

Pitzer [CAPAS](#) (Center for Asian Pacific American Students) invites **ALL** 7C students, faculty, and staff to join our event this week:

### **Tracing Filipino Immigration and Labor Through Oral Histories**

**Presentation, panel, and Filipino food with**

*KmB (Kabataang maka-Bayan)* (Instagram: [@kmb\\_la](#))

*Professor Todd Honma* (Pitzer)

*Professor JoAnna Poblete* (CGU)

**When:** ***This Thursday, November 16th, 4:30-7 p.m.*** (Event 4:30-6 p.m., Dinner 6-7 p.m.)

**Where:** ***McConnell Founder's Room (Pitzer, above McConnell dining hall)***; attendees will be directed to CAPAS (Pitzer, Mead 132 next to the Pitzer Writing Center) afterward for dinner

**RSVP:** [bit.ly/CAPASFilipino](http://bit.ly/CAPASFilipino)

**FMI:** [capas@pitzer.edu](mailto:capas@pitzer.edu)

**What:** CAPAS is hosting a panel event on Filipino immigration and labor, understanding the historical waves of movement that have occurred between the Philippines and the U.S. as connected to broader systems of exploitative foreign policy, U.S. empire, and (neo)colonialism. Oral histories and community archives are one way of making visible the violence of these systems while centering collective memory and asserting that the personal is political.

**Who:** We're hosting a guest speaker from KmB (Instagram: [@kmb\\_la](#)), a local progressive youth organization that mobilizes around issues in Historic Filipinotown and the greater LA area. In conversation with KmB will be Professors [Todd Honma](#) and [JoAnna Poblete](#) from Pitzer and CGU respectively, whose research interests intersect with our event themes of im/migration, labor, and empire. Afterwards, there will be a dinner at CAPAS catered from a local Filipino restaurant for anyone who wants to continue the conversation in a less formal environment.

This event is co-sponsored by the Pitzer Pasifika Asian Student Union and the Pitzer Campus Life Committee.

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