

Race, Ethnicity & the 2010 Census: Categorizing & Counting

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Speaker: Paul Watanabe, Director of the Institute for Asian American Studies and associate professor of Political Science at U Mass Boston. He was appointed by Secretary of Commerce Locke to serve on the U.S. Census Bureau Advisory Committee on the Asian population. He regularly contributes commentary to national and local television, radio, newspapers, and newsmagazines.



Commentator: Melissa Nobles, associate professor of Political Science at MIT. Her *Shades of Citizenship: Race and the Census in Modern Politics* examines political origins and effects of racial categorization in US and Brazil censuses. It won the 2001 Book Award of National Conference of Black Political Scientists.



Moderator: Kenneth Oye, Associate Professor of Political Science and Engineering Systems at MIT.

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Refreshments will be served after the discussion.

DIRECTIONS

The Tang Building (E51) is located at the corner of Wadsworth and Amherst streets on the MIT campus.

Public Transit: Take the Red Line to Kendall Square Station.

Driving/Parking: On weekends, free parking is available at MIT lots on Hayward Street and on Amherst Street.

