

Invitation



**“Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children,
the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience”
Forum and Art Exhibit**

**“This Forum will be the largest and most important of its kind.”
Doug Erber, President,
Japan America Society of Southern California**

**You are cordially invited to the
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**presented by
the Orange Coast Optimist Club
and hosted by
the Japanese American National Museum
at the Tateuchi Democracy Forum • March 21, 2015
Art Exhibit: 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm • Forum: 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm**

**limited seating please
RSVP: richard@fukuharafoto.com or
leave a message at 714-998-8790**

**“Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children,
the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience” Art Exhibit**

Dear Mr. Fukuhara, “Your devotion to conveying the suffering of the Hibakusha and the horrors of nuclear weapons through art is greatly appreciated, and it is our firm belief that your activity is a sure path towards achieving the abolition of nuclear weapons and world peace,”
Kenji Shiga, Director of the Hiroshima Peace Memorial Museum, October, 2013



3 @Fukuhara 2012



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1 “Kodomo no tame ni”
(For the Sake of the Children)

2 “Daily Prayers”

3 “Black Rain”

4 “Children Honoring Children”

**“Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children, the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience”
Committee**

Richard Fukuhara - Artist/Writer/Producer, “Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children, the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience”

Robert Horsting - Producer/Writer, “Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children...”

Documentary award winner/co-producer of “Citizen Tanouye”

Writer/Director - Go For Boko “Hanashi Program”

Hideo Sakata - Advisor, “Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children...”

Artist/Founder/Director of the Lantern of the East Art Gallery

Hibakusha (Nagasaki)



“Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children, the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience” Forum Speakers

3 - Hibakusha (explosion-affected people) Video Interviews



Video Interview 9/2014: Dr. James Yamazaki, 98 years old “Children of the Atomic Bomb” is Dr. Yamazaki’s account of a lifelong effort to understand and document the impact of nuclear explosions on children, particularly the children conceived but not yet born at the time of the explosions. In 1949 Dr. Yamazaki was assigned as Physician-in-Charge of the United States Atomic Bomb Casualty Commission in Nagasaki. He also had served as a combat surgeon at the Battle of the Bulge where he had been captured and held as a prisoner of war by the Germans.



Ms. Tomoko Maekawa, lecturer, educator, author, president of the Never Again Nagasaki Campaign, executive member of the Nagasaki Global Citizens' Assembly for the Elimination of Nuclear Weapons, and executive member of the International Exchange Division of Nagasaki Foundation for the Promotion of Peace. Ms. Maekawa has traveled extensively educating, escorting Hibakusha and promoting Peace.



Dr. David Krieger, lecturer, author, founder and president of the Nuclear Age Peace Foundation. He has lectured throughout the US, Europe and Asia on issues of peace, security, international law and the abolition of nuclear weapons. Dr. Krieger is chair of the International Network of Engineers and Scientists for Global Responsibility, chair of the executive committee of the Middle Powers Initiative, and the founder and member of the Global Council of Abolition 2000. He serves as an advisor to many peace and disarmament organizations throughout the world. He is the author or editor of more than twenty books. His latest book is “The Path to Zero, Dialogues on Nuclear Dangers”. Dr. Krieger is an attorney and holds a Ph.D. in Political Science.



Dr. Akiko Mikamo, lecturer, author, and president of the San Diego WISH, Worldwide Initiative to Safeguard Humanity and president and medical psychologist at US-Japan Psychology Services in San Diego. She was born and raised in Hiroshima. Dr. Mikamo wrote “Rising From The Ashes” about her father Shinji Mikamo. “He was on top of his house roof with nothing to shield him at only 1,200m from the hypocenter in Hiroshima on August 6, 1945. Shinji never hated Americans as aggressors.” Dr. Mikamo wrote his story to sent out the messages of human love and power of forgiveness to remind the world our worst enemies of yesterday could become the best friends of tomorrow.