

4th Joint Seminar of Hiroshima University &
National Institute of Special Needs Education

Inclusive Education for Children with Foreign Roots

Inclusion of children with foreign roots is one of the most important issues in a multicultural society. The speakers will introduce the current education for children with foreign roots from their perspective, and discuss how inclusive education should be pursued in the future.



Lecture 1 [English]
Dr. North Cooc

Associate Professor
Department of Special Education,
University of Texas at Austin

Racial and Ethnic Disparities
in the Treatment of Children with Disabilities



Lecture 2 [Japanese]
Dr. Yasuko Okumura

Associate Professor
Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences,
Hiroshima University

Learning Difficulties of Children
in a Multilingual Environment



Lecture 3 [Japanese]
Mr. Norihiro Namekawa

Senior Chief Researcher
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National Institute of Special Needs Education

Learning for Children
with Disabilities and Foreign Roots



Commentator [Japanese]
Dr. Mariko Omori

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December 8th, 2024
2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

(Open 1:30 pm)

Hiroshima University
Phoenix International Center MIRAI CREA
Second Floor Large Conference Room

1-4-5 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima-shi (South side of Higashi-Hiroshima Campus)

Free of charge
Registration
required

Online
streaming

Japanese-
English
interpretation

Application Deadline: December 2nd

Please apply via
QR code or URL

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*Online participants will receive the seminar
invitation URL (Zoom) by December 7th.

Expected participants: University students, school teachers, and general public / Meeting format: In-person and online / Capacity: 70 (in-person) * In-person application will be closed when the seats are full.

Hosted by: The Center for Special Needs Education Research and Practice (CSNERP), The Institute for Diversity & Inclusion, Hiroshima University

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