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# Japan Lecture Series

## Women, Work and Marriage in a Time of Social Change in Japan

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**Wednesday, March 4, 2015, 7:00 PM**

This presentation focuses on the significance of work and marriage for women in Japan during a period of intense social change over the last decade to show how they negotiate the contradictions between the economic difficulties, their definition of work and their desire for self-realization. Dr. Mirza will discuss women's efforts to appropriate the professional world to establish a sense of autonomy, and how marriage plays a key role in relation to work and their career.



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