Transpacific Insurgents
Tracing the U.S. Empire in the Philippines and Beyond

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Focusing on the U.S. state’s efforts to monitor and contain anticolonial and labor movements in the Philippines, Hawai‘i, and the U.S. metropole in the first half of the twentieth century, this talk will trace the varied and extended genealogies of revolution and sedition across the Pacific.

How did various agencies of the U.S. government come to racialize Filipinos like Carlos Bulosan as insurgents threatening U.S. national security and, in the process, construct and consolidate a transpacific empire?

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