

CARE ACTIVIST IN RESIDENCE PROGRAM



CARE WORKSHOP:

Developing an advocacy strategy for Rohingya refugees in Southeast Asia

by Dr. JAMES GOMEZ

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12:00 noon - 3:00 pm

SGP 1.02 VLT Manawatu Campus

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WORKSHOP INTRODUCTION

This participatory and interactive workshop seeks to equip aspiring advocates with the ability to develop and produce a multi-country Southeast Asian focused advocacy project to enhance advocacy surrounding the plight of the Rohingya refugees in the region. Such a project will complement and feed into existing regional and international projects advocating for the plight of the Rohingya refugees globally. The workshop methodology is as follows. Participants will begin with a presentation on the current Rohingya refugee issue and discussion of the project idea. After the presentation and discussion, participants will then be given a package of materials to review. Thereafter, participants will be asked to form working groups to develop proposal ideas considering thoughts from the presentation and discussions, from a review of materials as well as from onsite internet research. The session will end with a representative of each group pitching respective project proposals and receiving feedback from fellow participants and the facilitator.



OBJECTIVE

- To develop an understanding of the Rohingya refugee issue in Southeast Asia.
- To design an action research proposal to identify the challenges faced by the Rohingya refugees in Southeast Asia.
- To plan an advocacy strategy to address the challenges faced by Rohingya refugees in Southeast Asia.

OUR SPECIAL SPEAKER

Dr. JAMES GOMEZ
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Reading Materials

[ASEAN's non-interference policy hinders Rohingya justice](#)

[ASEAN Talks Tough on Rohingya Crisis](#)

[New Zealand humanitarian assistance for the Rohingya crisis and Myanmar Humanitarian Fund](#)

[RSVP Here](#)

Instructions: Participants to bring their own laptops and be able to connect to WiFi



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