



PHILCONGEN LOS ANGELES HOSTS FILIPINO AMERICAN SALON: ARTISTS TALK



Consul General Adelio Angelito S. Cruz addressing the audience.

07 August 2018 – As part of its advocacy to promote Filipino artistry and reach out to the Filipino-American community, the Consulate General hosted the Filipino-American Arts Salon, an event of conversations and talks by artists in Southern California, at the community hall in the evening of 03 August 2018.

The event was moderated by curator/gallerist Edwin Ramoran. Panelists, who included George Domantay, Cirilo Domine, Maryrose Cobarrubias Mendoza, Joseph Santarromana and Eliseo Art Silva presented pieces of their work on Filipino-American culture, art and representation.

During the Q&A, the panelists discussed contemporary art as a vehicle for identity; the international identity of Filipino artists; and American and Filipino drivers for growth, community/nation building and production of art among contemporary artists of Philippine heritage.

The event was organized in cooperation with Mr. Eliseo Art Silva who spearheaded the Artists Talk and was attended by 40 Filipino-Americans based in Southern California.
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(L-R) Panel discussion by Ms. Maryrose Cobarrubias Mendoza, Mr. Eliseo Art Silva, Mr. George Domantay, Mr. Cirilo Domine Mr. Joseph Santarromana, and standing Mr. Edwin Ramoran as moderator during the Q&A.