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A photograph showing people on a boat. In the foreground, a woman in a white top and pink headscarf is holding a smartphone. Next to her, a woman in a red dress and headscarf is looking at the phone. In the background, a man in a grey t-shirt with 'Dylan & Cary Jean' on the back is sitting. The boat is on a body of water with a cityscape in the distance under a sunset sky.

# Immigrant Multilingualism versus Language Education Policies in Europe

## *Date & Time*

May 24, 2017, Wednesday, 17:00 - 19:00

## *Venue*

Room 3604, 6th Floor, Bungakubu 3-gokan,  
Hongo Campus, University of Tokyo

## *Lecturer*

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Immigrant multilingualism is at the crossroads of many academic disciplines. Educational specialists, policy makers, linguists, social psychologists and immigration researchers are equally interested in immigrant multilingualism. In this presentation, immigrant multilingualism is discussed from a variety of perspectives. Discussions surrounding language maintenance/shift, language loss, bilingual language acquisition, the relationship between school achievement and bilingualism, social inclusion and exclusion of immigrant groups are presented. Based on Language Rich Europe project, European policies on multilingualism is discussed to show the rich variation in the European countries.

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