



## Guide to the Jelaine Velasco oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
<b>Contributor:</b>	Reflections: the Las Vegas Asian American and Pacific Islander Oral History Project
<b>Creator:</b>	Velasco, Jelaine
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<b>Abstract:</b>	Oral history interview with Jelaine Velasco conducted by Angela Tampol in November 2021 for the Reflections: The Las Vegas Asian American and Pacific Islander Oral History Project. Velasco describes her early life in California, and the different processes that her parents went through to become citizens after immigrating from the Philippines to the United States at different times. She explains her thoughts about what being "Asian American" means and how growing up in California gives her a unique perspective although she still experiences racism and microaggressions.

### Preferred Citation

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## Scope and Contents Note

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growing up in California gives her a unique perspective although she still experiences racism and microaggressions. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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### Acquisition Note

This interview was conducted and transcribed by a UNLV student as part of a class assignment from the UNLV College of Liberal Arts Department of History. Materials from this oral history project were transferred to the Oral History Research Center (OHRC) which is part of the UNLV University Libraries Special Collections and Archives Division.

### Processing Note

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- Filipino Americans