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On the Path of Vijaya Retracing the Sinhala Migration through the Sacred Texts of South Asia

by

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Dr. Rockwell is doing a research project that focuses on the Vijaya legend of the “Mahawamsa”, an ancient origin legend of the Sinhala people of Sri Lanka. The project entails ethnographic fieldwork, videography, and the writing of a book tracing the supposed voyage of Vijaya from the legendary kingdom of Sinhapura in modern Gujarat, India through the Maldives and on to Sri Lanka. He will be talking on the importance of this project to the people of Sri Lanka.

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