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Japanese community living there. This work will contribute to sociology of migration and cultural exchange programme and multi-national firm

that seeks to better understand the unavoidable transformation relating to various patterns of international migration and the emergence of new types of urban ethnicity.