Chinese new migrants in Suriname: the inevitability of ethnic performing
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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

**ABS**: Algemeen Bureau voor de Statistiek (General Bureau of Statistics).

**ABOP**: Algemene Binnenland Ontwikkelingspartij (General Interior Development Party; Surinamese political party, Maroon).

**ASEAN**: Association of Southeast Asian Nations.

**ATV**: Algemene Televisie Verzorging (General Television Provider; television station in Suriname).

**BEP**: Broederschap en Eenheid in de Politiek (Brotherhood and Unity in Politics; Surinamese political party, Maroon).

**BVD**: Basispartij voor Vernieuwing en Democratie (Basic Party for Renewal and Democracy; Surinamese political party, VHP splinter, East Indian).

**BVSS**: Bedrijven Vereniging Sport en Spel (Entrepreneurial Association for Sports and Games).

**CAMA Suriname**: Christian and Missionary Alliance Church Suriname (基督教蘇理南宣道會, Christelijke en Zending Alliantie Kerk van Suriname).

**CARI COM**: Caribbean Community.

**CATIC**: China National Aero-Technology Import and Export Corporation (中國航空技術進出口總公司).

**CBB**: Centraal Bureau Burgerzaken (Central Registry Office).

**CIMC**: China International Marine Containers (Group) Co., Ltd. (中國國際海運集裝箱（集團）股份有限公司).

**CIMCHK**: China International Marine Containers Hong Kong (中國國際海運集裝箱(香港)有限公司).

**CSME**: Caribbean Single Market and Economy.

**D21**: Democratie van de 21e eeuw (Democrats of the 21st Century; Surinamese political party, KTPI splinter).

**DA91**: Democratisch Alternatief ’91 (Democratic Alternative ’91; Surinamese political party, liberal, non-ethnic).

**DNP 2000**: Democratisch Nationaal Platform 2000 (Democratic National Platform 2000; Surinamese political party, NDP splinter, non-ethnic).
DOE: Democratie en Ontwikkeling in Eenheid (Democracy and Development in Unity; Surinamese political party, non-ethnic).
DPP: Democratic Progressive Party / 民主進步黨 (Taiwanese political party).
FDI: Foreign Direct Investment.
KTPI: Kerukunan Tulodo Prenatan Inggil (Party for National Unity and Solidarity of the Highest Level; Surinamese political party, Javanese).
NDP: Nationale Democratische Partij (National Democratic Party; Surinamese political party, non-ethnic).
NF: Nieuw Front voor Democratie en Ontwikkeling (New Front for Democracy and Development; Surinamese grand coalition).
NPS: Nationale Partij Suriname (Surinamese National Party; Surinamese political party, Creole).
NS: Nieuw Suriname (New Suriname; Surinamese political party, East Indian).
NU: Nationale Unie / Hernieuwde Progressieve Partij (National Union / Renewed Progressive Party; Surinamese political party, BVD splinter, East Indian).
OIS: Organisatie van Inheemsen in Suriname (Organization of Indigenous People in Suriname).
PALU: Progressieve Arbeiders en Landbouwers Unie (Progressive Workers and Farmers Union; Surinamese political party, originally leftist, non-ethnic).
PLA: People’s Liberation Army.
PNM: People’s National Movement, Trinidad & Tobago political party, dominated by Afro-Trinidadians.
PPP: Progressieve Politiëke Partij (Progressive Political Party; Surinamese political party, BVD splinter, East Indian).
PPRS: Partij Pembangunan Rakyat Suriname (Party for the Development of the Surinamese People; Surinamese political party, Javanese).
PORIM: Palm Oil Research Institute of Malaysia.
PRC: People’s Republic of China.
PTH: Putonghua (Mandarin-based official language of the PRC).
PVF: Politiëke Vleugel van de Federatie van Agrariërs en Landarbeiders (Political Wing of the Federation of Agriculturalists and Farmers; Surinamese political party, East Indian dominated).
ROSCA: Rotating Savings and Credit Association.
RVP: Revolutionaire Volkspartij (Revolutionary People's Party, leftist, non-ethnic Surinamese political party, now defunct).
SARS: Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome.
SBB: Stichting Bosbeheer en Bostoezicht (Forest Management Authority).
SPA: Surinaamse Partij van de Arbeid (Surinamese Labour Party; Surinamese political party, non-ethnic).
STVS: Surinaamse Televisie Stichting (Surinamese State TV).
SVF: Surinaams Vrouwen Front (Surinamese Women’s Front; Surinamese political party, defunct).
UPS: Unie van Progressieve Surinamers (Union of Progressive Surinamese; Surinamese political party, combination of Naya Kadam (New Choice, VHP splinter), Hervormde Progressieve Partij (Reformed Progressive Party, split from the Hernieuwde Progressieve Partij – Renewed Progressive Party), and the Girjasing-Sewradj Panday group (BVD splinter), East Indian).
VHP: Vatkan Hitkari Partij / Verenigde Hervormings Partij (United Reform Party; Surinamese political party, East Indian).
VVP: Verenigde Volks Partij / Ngien Mien Len Hap Tong 人民聯合黨 (United People’s Party; Surinamese political party, Chinese).
VVV: Volksalliantie Voor Vooruitgang (People's Alliance for Progress; Surinamese grand coalition).
XNRB: Xunnan Ribao / 洵南日報.
ZHRB: Zhonghua Ribao / 中華日報.