



Asian American and Asian
Resource and Cultural Center

Asian American & Asian Resource and Cultural Center Weekly Newsletter February 4, 2020

Message from the AAARCC

On Saturday, February 1st, 2020 - the AAARCC celebrated the Lunar New Year with the campus and greater Lafayette community. Thank you for taking part in our week of events and day of celebration! We would like to extend a special word of thanks to the many individuals who volunteered their time to perform, host a booth, or help the AAARCC during the celebration! Check out Purdue Today's article found on this [website](#) for more photos!



Left: Purdue Chinese Performing Arts Troupe, Middle: AAARCC Staff, Right: Okinawa Yuyukai

Thank you Mark Simons and Makkie Neuhouser for the photos.

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- Faculty members, Graduate Assistants, Teaching Assistants who hold office hours are encouraged to consider reserving the conference room on the second level of the AAARCC. To check the availability of the space, please contact the center via email at: aaarcc@purdue.edu.
 - If you would like your event advertised, please submit it to aaarcc@purdue.edu by Wednesday to be featured on our next week's edition.

AAARCC Events

PURDUE UNIVERSITY
Unit within Division of Diversity and Inclusion

Asian American and Asian Resource and Cultural Center

DANCE WORKSHOP: PERFORMANCE AND STORIES FOR SOCIAL CHANGE

Dr. Yuri Doolan (Assistant Professor, Department of History and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Brandeis University)
with Dr. Hetal Patel

Tuesday, February 18, 2020
6:00 - 7:30 PM
Black Cultural Center Zamora Studio
Free Pizza Provided

Special thanks to our co-sponsors:

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Dance Workshop: Performance & Stories For Social Change

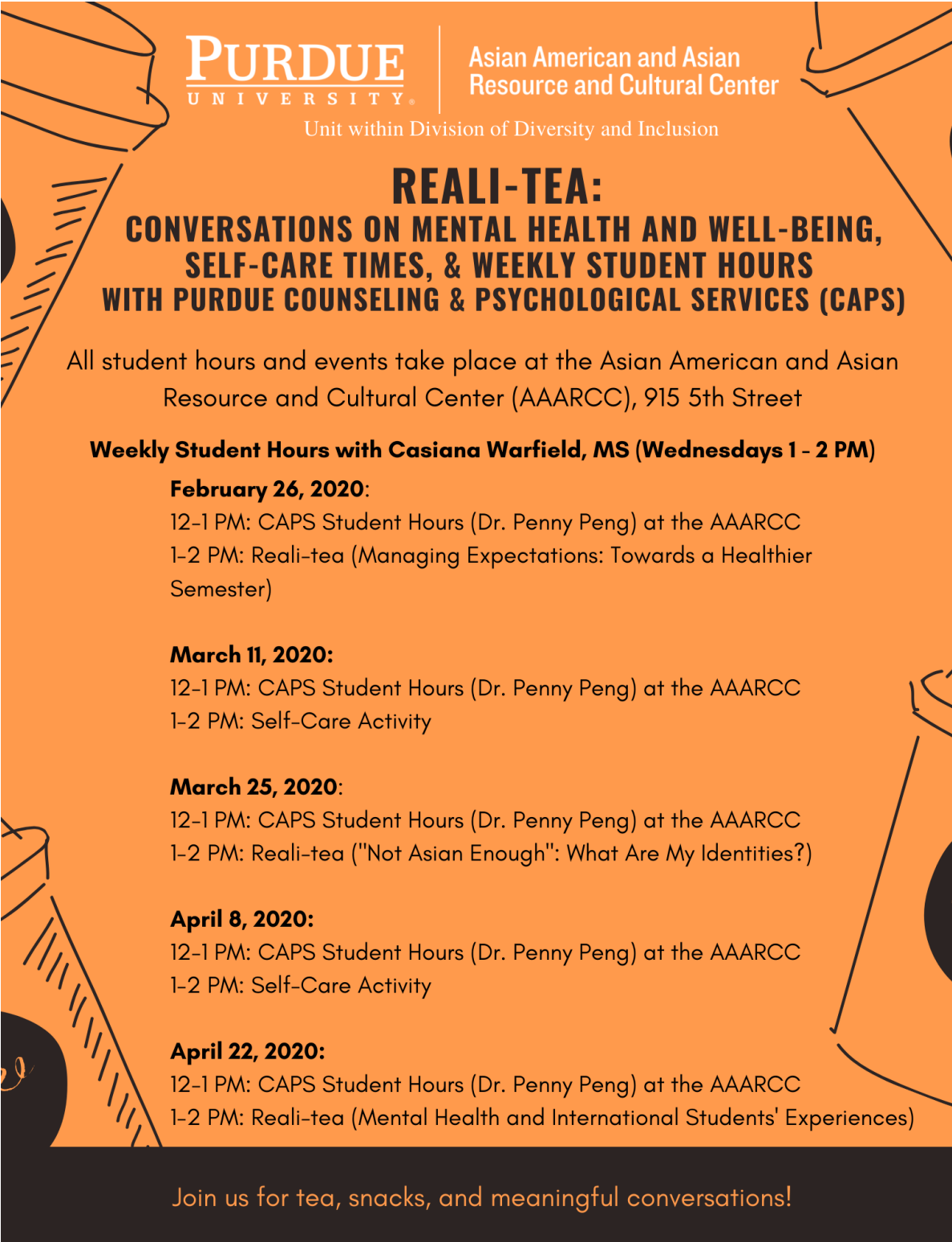
Tuesday, February 18, 2020

Time: 6 - 7:30 PM

Location: BCC Zamora Studio

Dr. Doolan was part of a competitive Bollywood dance team, Anubhav, at Northwestern University and with the team, competed in nation-wide South Asian dance circuits. Please join us as we learn ways to use dance to tell stories for social change!

CAPS Representatives at the AAARCC



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REALI-TEA: CONVERSATIONS ON MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING, SELF-CARE TIMES, & WEEKLY STUDENT HOURS WITH PURDUE COUNSELING & PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES (CAPS)

All student hours and events take place at the Asian American and Asian
Resource and Cultural Center (AAARCC), 915 5th Street

Weekly Student Hours with Casiana Warfield, MS (Wednesdays 1 - 2 PM)

February 26, 2020:
12-1 PM: CAPS Student Hours (Dr. Penny Peng) at the AAARCC
1-2 PM: RealI-tea (Managing Expectations: Towards a Healthier Semester)

March 11, 2020:
12-1 PM: CAPS Student Hours (Dr. Penny Peng) at the AAARCC
1-2 PM: Self-Care Activity

March 25, 2020:
12-1 PM: CAPS Student Hours (Dr. Penny Peng) at the AAARCC
1-2 PM: RealI-tea ("Not Asian Enough": What Are My Identities?)

April 8, 2020:
12-1 PM: CAPS Student Hours (Dr. Penny Peng) at the AAARCC
1-2 PM: Self-Care Activity

April 22, 2020:
12-1 PM: CAPS Student Hours (Dr. Penny Peng) at the AAARCC
1-2 PM: RealI-tea (Mental Health and International Students' Experiences)

Join us for tea, snacks, and meaningful conversations!

Bios of CAPS Representatives at the AAARCC:

Penny Peng, Ph.D., LMFT

Hello! I am a staff therapist at Purdue. My background is a licensed marriage and family therapist. Before coming here, I worked at another university. My passion is working with minority students and engaging in conversations related to cultural diversity. I am an activist for social justice. My ethnic background is Chinese. I moved here last September and love working here.

Casiana Warfield, MS

Hello all! I am looking forward to supporting you and being a part of your community this semester! I am currently a predoctoral psychology intern at Counseling and Psychological Services as I finish my doctorate in Clinical Psychology from Eastern Michigan University. I have been working in college

mental health for the last three [years] focusing on multiculturalism and acceptance coping, and love the academic environment. I am biracial, Asian and White, and grew up in Indianapolis cherishing my Filipino heritage and negotiating my multiracial identity within many primarily Euro-American institutions. My goals for this semester are to learn more about your needs and identify how CAPS can support you as students and people.

Resources

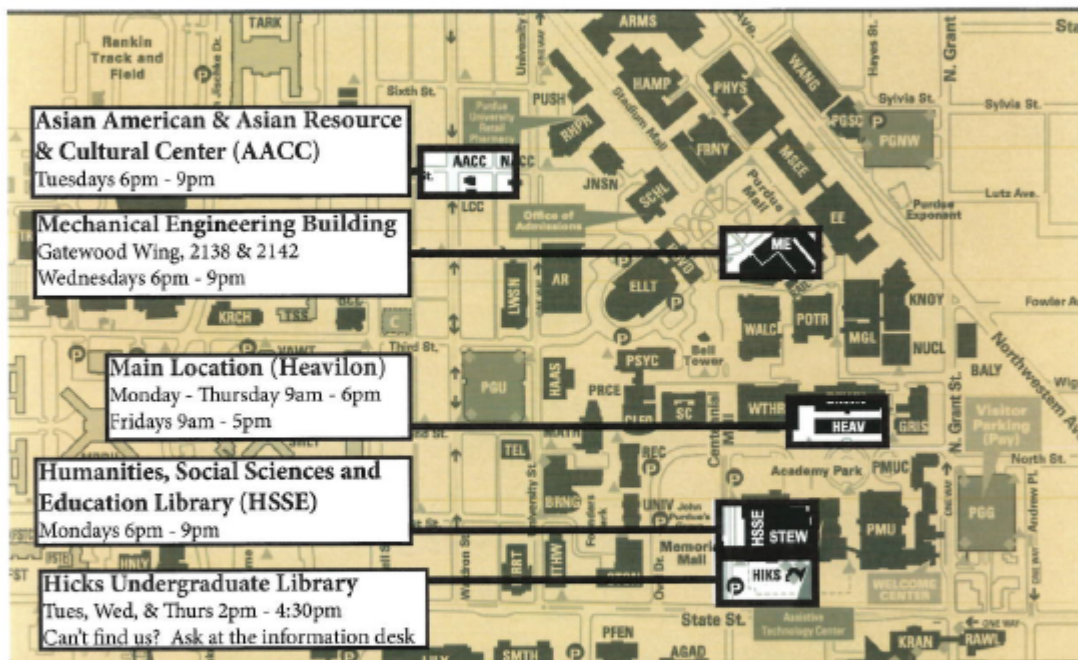
The AAARCC is the host a satellite location of the Purdue Writing Lab.

Time 6 - 9 PM

Location: AAARCC

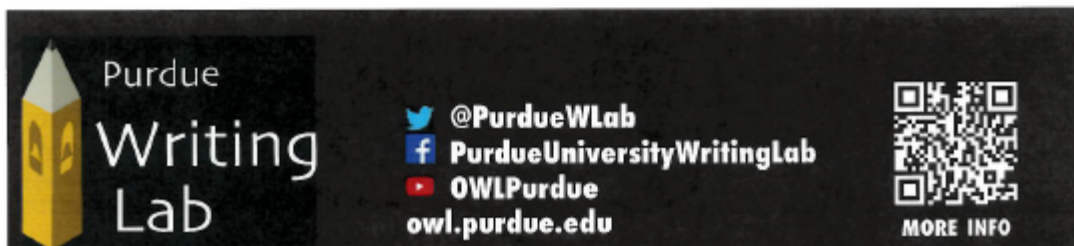
To sign up, please register for a time at cla.purdue.edu/wlschedule
Choose the "evening Hours" schedule for evening hours.

GET WRITING FEEDBACK ACROSS CAMPUS DAY OR NIGHT



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Choose the "Evening Hours" schedule for evening hours and choose "HIKS" for Hicks.



Featured Faculty/Staff Member

Arnold Chen, Ph.D.

Arnold Chen is currently the managing director for the Burton D. Morgan Center for Entrepreneurship at Purdue University. His expertise includes start-up companies (semiconductor hardware), culture,



team building, manufacturing, and operations. He's seen all different stages of start-ups from garages to IPO. Prior to coming to Purdue, Arnold spent the last 17 years at the epicenter of entrepreneurship, Silicon Valley, working at 3 different start-ups, one of which was acquired and one went IPO. Dr. Chen is a Purdue alumus. (BSEE '91). He received his M.S. ('93) and Ph.D. ('96) degrees in Electrical Engineering from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. His interests and hobbies include: spending time with his family, trying to keep up with his kids (13 and 9), golf, reading, and visiting his parents as often as possible (they live in Hawaii).

Diversity & Inclusion - Cultural Center Events

The Division of Diversity and Inclusion (DDI) is introducing a programmatic theme for 2020: Democracy, Civility, and Freedom of Expression. Throughout the spring semester, students, faculty, staff, alumni and community members are invited to engage in conversations about and consider the importance of each element of the theme. Activities and events will include interactive workshops, inspiring performances, high-impact public speakers, and innovative conversational gatherings.

To see the list of events, please click [here](#).


The DDI is looking for students to volunteer for their events.

To sign up as a volunteer, please click [here](#)!

A Conversation with Ryan Russell
Hosted by the LGBTQ Center
Wednesday Feb. 5, 2020
Time: 6 PM
Location: Fowler Hall (STEW)

Everyone is welcome! Free and open to all! Ryan Russell is a Purdue alumnus & professional football player in the NFL, a published poet, writer, and artist. On August 29th, 2019 Ryan came out to the world as the 1st active NFL player to identify as bisexual.

Our major program series are excellent opportunities for cultural immersion projects. Please consider encouraging your students to our programs to learn about LGBTQIA+ communities and experiences!



**A CONVERSATION WITH
RYAN RUSSELL**
FIRST OPENLY LGBTQIA+ ACTIVE NFL PLAYER & PURDUE ALUMNUS

**FEBRUARY 5, 2020
FOWLER HALL (STEW) | 6:00pm**

PRESENTED BY THE LGBTQ CENTER, PURDUE ATHLETICS, &
THE BLACK CULTURAL CENTER

FREE AND OPEN TO ALL | NO TICKET REQUIRED

SPONSORS: LGBTQ CENTER, PURDUE ATHLETICS, BLACK CULTURAL CENTER, HONORS COLLEGE,
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Transgender, and Queer Center
OFFICE OF DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

Please visit [our website](#) for more information.

Sponsors: Purdue Athletics; Black Cultural Center; Honors College; LGBTQ Center; Office of Diversity and Inclusion in the College of Health and Human Sciences; Purdue Student Government; Student Activities and Organizations; Vice Provost for Student Life

Campus Events



**Interested in pursuing
your Master's or Ph.D?**

Learn about how the IRT can help you with the graduate school application process!



Students interested in graduate studies in the Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Mathematics, Computer Science and Education are encouraged to attend!

INFORMATION SESSION:

Date: February 4

Time: 5 PM

Location: BRNG 1284

For more information, please contact:
Monica Reum, Recruitment & Admission Program
Specialist at mreum@andover.edu or visit us at
irt.andover.edu

Tuesday, February 4, 2020

Time: 5 - 6 PM

Location: BRNG 1284

Are you considering graduate school in the arts, humanities, social sciences, mathematics, computer science, or education? Are you supporting students who are considering graduate school?


Please join us to learn more about the Institute for the Recruitment of Teachers, a program to support first generation students and students from historically underrepresented communities by **workshopping applications, offering paid summer intensive courses, and paying for graduate school applications** as you apply to graduate programs.

For more information, please visit the IRT website or contact Monica Reum, Recruitment and Admission Program Specialist at mreum@andover.edu. If you know in advance

that you will be coming or if you would like more information but are unable to attend this meeting, please reply to: aflachs@purdue.edu.

The **ESL GO!** Speaker Series Presents

Developing Writing Center Tutor Expertise for Consulting with Multilingual Writers



 **Purdue Writing Lab**

Vicki R. Kennell
Associate Director, Purdue Writing Lab
Purdue University

As universities seek to increase their international enrollment, writing centers experience a concurrent increase in visits by multilingual writers. This session aims to explore the need for writing center tutor expertise in working with multilingual writers and clarify aspects of the situation that may too easily be obscured by the obvious sentence-level concerns. Using the case study of a tutor training program developed in the Purdue Writing Lab, the presenter will discuss the need for such training, potential methods, and the importance of collecting local data on which to base the training.

Friday, February 7th | 5:15-6:15pm | HEAV 206

Vicki R. Kennell, Ph.D., is an Associate Director in the Purdue Writing Lab, specializing in graduate writing and multilingual writing. She is primarily responsible for training Writing Lab tutors and developing programming to support graduate and multilingual writers. She has spent a number of years developing an ongoing training program to help develop tutor expertise in consulting with multilingual writers, and she hopes to expand that to include modules for consulting with graduate writers. Her research focuses primarily on tutor training.

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**PURDUE HONORS COLLEGE
STUDENT DIVERSITY OFFICERS
PRESENTS**

**DIVERSITY MATTERS SERIES:
LOVE & QUEERNESS**

Friday 2/7 6:00pm	Film Screening: "Moonlight" Krach 260 / Shin Forum
Tuesday 2/11 6:30pm	Normalizing Queerness/ Destabilizing Heteronormativity HCRS 1066
Tuesday 2/18 6:30pm	Workshop: Asexuality & Aromanticism HCRS 1066

For more information: purdue.honors.sdo@gmail.com

As a part of its "Diversity Matters Series", the Honors College is dedicating February to "Love and Queerness". We have a wonderful line-up of events -- a screening of the film *Moonlight*, a panel on "Normalizing Queerness/Destabilizing Heteronormativity", and a workshop on "Asexuality and Aromanticism"

Film Screening: "Moonlight"
Friday, February 2, 2020
Time: 6 PM
Location: Krach 260

Normalizing Queerness/Destabilizing Heteronormativity
Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Time: 6:30 PM
Location: HCRS 1066

Workshop: Asexuality & Aromanticism
Tuesday, February 18, 2020
Time: 6:30 PM
Location: HCRS 1066

Graduate Student Career Fair**Tuesday, February 11, 2020****Time 9 AM - 3 PM****Location: STEW 214**

After Graduate School, what next...? If you have ever found yourself pondering that question? If so, we encourage you to attend the Graduate Student Career Fairs. The Purdue Graduate Student Government (PGSG) organizes career fair every semester to better suit Purdue's Graduate Student population. This allows companies to be exposed to our graduate student body and have both employers and students form long lasting and valuable connections! Granting advanced degrees in over 70 areas, Purdue is known for its outstanding graduate programs. Pairing Purdue's high quality graduate students with companies of exceptional reputation, our Career Fairs will continue to be an invaluable resource to our student body!

Registration for participation is required. [Please sign up here.](#)



How are you spending your Spring Break?

Student Service Break

March 14-22, 2020

Apply today at:

purdueservicebreaks.weebly.com

Scholarships Available



Where will you go &
how will you serve?

Freedom &
Organizing
People Power in
Memphis

Fighting Poverty,
Building
Community in
Detroit

Community
Control and
Youth Leadership
in **Indianapolis**

**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT &
LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

Hello,

In Civic Engagement & Leadership Development,

we have a guiding mission that calls us to prepare students to facilitate positive change in their local, national, and global communities. We want students to see this played out in a variety of contexts.

Student Service Breaks engages students in the community by serving alongside its members. By pairing strong direct service with intentional reflection, students fully explore the host community's needs and assets. This year Student Service Breaks is coordinating three Service Spring Break trips, to Detroit, Memphis, and Indianapolis. While focusing on different social issues, these three trips will be connected through similar activities and curriculum. Dates for these trips vary, but fall within the window of Spring Break (March 14-22).

Where will you go and how will you serve?

Freedom & Organizing People Power in
Memphis, TN

Fighting Poverty, Building Community in
Detroit, MI

Community Control & Youth Leadership in
Indianapolis, IN

Learn more about each trip and apply [here](#).

Invite your friends and make new friends that will last beyond your time at Purdue.

All meals (except those in transit) and housing are a part of the participant fee.

Questions? Email leadership@purdue.edu.



2020 SUMMER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM (SROP)

i ABOUT THE PROGRAM	Conduct intensive research with a faculty mentor, develop an oral and poster presentation, attend GRE workshops, and make new friends and connections. Program Dates: June 1st - July 24th.
\$ PROGRAM BENEFITS	A generous stipend, university housing, and round-trip travel is included.
! APPLY TODAY!	Application portal will open mid January 2020 & close on 3/1/20. For more information, please visit: https://tinyurl.com/PurdueSROP
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Call for Research Participants

Hello!

We are conducting a research study on the experiences of marginalization in engineering teams. To do this, we are seeking between 20-30 first-year engineering students who identify as a member of a marginalized group (e.g. URM, LGBTQ+, women) to participate in one (1) group interview that will last between 90-120 minutes. To thank you for your participation, lunch/dinner will be provided (depending on the group interview time). If you are interested in participating, please reply to this email with your name, email, and indicate whether you prefer participating in a lunch group interview (between 11 am – 1 pm) or a dinner group interview (between 5 pm – 7 pm). You will have an opportunity to review and sign the consent form prior to the start of the group interview.

To participate or find out more information regarding this study, please contact: Dr. Stephanie Masta (Zywicki) Assistant Professor, College of Education szywicki@purdue.edu (641) -821-0017

Study Title: I-MATTER: Identifying Marginalization and Allying Tendencies to Transform Engineering Relationships IRB #: 2019-131

Opportunities

LEAP Emerge is an eight-week paid summer internship program designed to develop emerging young leaders by providing college students with practical leadership skills and the opportunity to work hands-on in the Asian and Pacific Islander community in Southern California. Nationally recognized trainers are recruited to deliver

"I appreciate what LEAP has been able to do for me, and I think LEAP has done a really great thing for others as well in terms of creating opportunities."

Real world experiences await.

*Maggie Lee
LEAP Alum '16*

LeapEmerge is an eight-week paid summer internship program designed to develop emerging young leaders by providing students with practical leadership skills and the opportunity to work hands-on in the Asian and Pacific Islander community in Southern California.

Key Benefits

- Explore issues affecting Asian and Pacific Islanders.
- Expand self awareness and deepen understanding of your values.
- Explore and engage with different leadership styles.
- Practice leadership and workforce development skills such as communication, teamwork, public speaking, and giving/receiving feedback.
- Preparation and experience to volunteer and work in the nonprofit sector.

Program Structure

- Intern four days a week at a Southern California community-based organization that serves the Asian and Pacific Islander community.
- Gather one day a week for leadership development trainings to build and strengthen leadership skills.
- Work with intern cohort over eight weeks on a Team Community Impact Project.

Eligibility

Applicants must have completed two years of college by June 15, 2020 and currently enrolled in college, or a recent graduate.

Apply by **March 4, 2019**. Visit leap.org/leap-emerge or email evargas@leap.org for more information.

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LEAP
Unleash Talent

workshops in critical skill areas. Issue discussions are on local or timely topics of interest and are facilitated by local community leaders/activists and LEAP trainers.

ELIGIBILITY Applicants must have completed two years of college by June 15, 2020, currently enrolled in college, or a recent graduate. All applicants must be able to complete the full eight-week program and attend the following mandatory events:

- LEAP Welcome Week: June 15-19, 2020.
- LEAP Leadership Training: June 26, July 2, July 10, July 17, July 24, July 31
- LEAP Leadership Awards Celebration: July 23, 2020
- LEAP Emerge Graduation: August 7, 2020

For more information, please click [here](#).

Model Minority, an AAPI identity Magazine Call for Submissions!

Model Minority is an Asian American identity magazine, dedicated to highlighting creative work by/about/for Asian Americans, subverting the myth of the model minority, and, ultimately, "reclaiming our stories." We're opening submissions for our Spring 2020 issue, and we're looking for artists/writers/creatives to help us build this platform. We're open to any form of creative expression, ranging from fiction to essays to poetry to visual art. Send submissions via our google form: <https://tinyurl.com/modelminorityemory>.

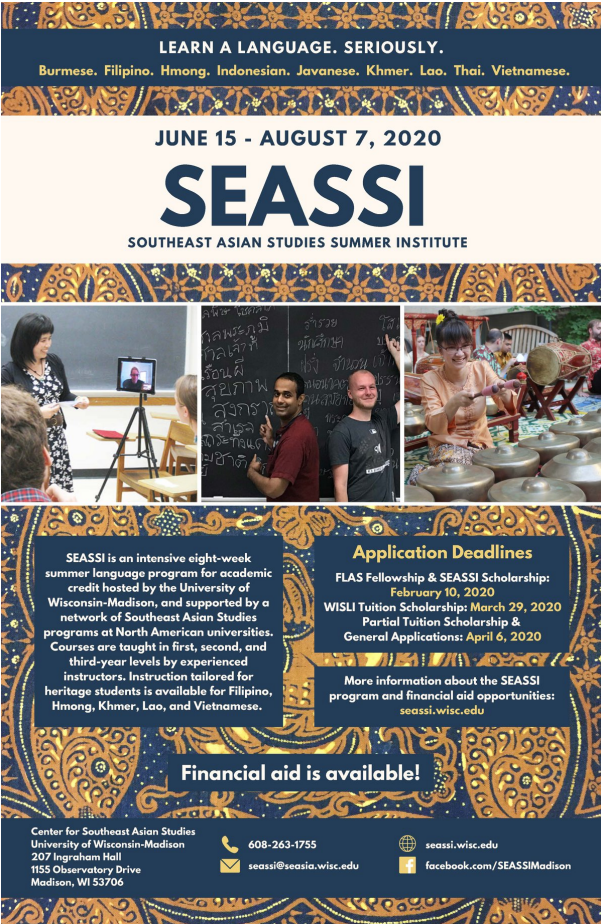
Please don't hesitate to reach out to us at modelminorityemory@gmail.com with any questions or concerns. We can't wait to review your work! Check out our [website](#)!

The Brock-Wilson Center for Women in Management at Krannert

The Brock-Wilson Center for Women in Management at Krannert is excited to announce the 2020 PowerShift Case Competition. This case competition addresses topics that affect gender in the workplace. Registration is open to undergraduate or graduate teams of 4 students. Participants must be full-time Purdue students in good standing on the West Lafayette Campus. Students from all colleges are welcome to participate. [Students register here](#).

Southeast Asian Studies Summer Institute

SEASSI has been providing intensive language instruction since 1983 in Burmese, Filipino, Hmong, Indonesian, Javanese, Khmer, Lao, Thai, and Vietnamese. All language courses offered by SEASSI are for credit, and [financial aid](#) is



LEARN A LANGUAGE. SERIOUSLY.
Burmese, Filipino, Hmong, Indonesian, Javanese, Khmer, Lao, Thai, Vietnamese.

JUNE 15 - AUGUST 7, 2020

SEASSI

SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES SUMMER INSTITUTE

SEASSI is an intensive eight-week summer language program for academic credit hosted by the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and supported by a network of Southeast Asian Studies programs at North American universities. Courses are taught in first, second, and third-year levels by experienced instructors. Instruction tailored for heritage students is available for Filipino, Hmong, Khmer, Lao, and Vietnamese.

Application Deadlines
FLAS Fellowship & SEASSI Scholarship: February 10, 2020
WISLI Tuition Scholarship: March 29, 2020
Partial Tuition Scholarship & General Applications: April 6, 2020

More information about the SEASSI program and financial aid opportunities: seassi.wisc.edu

Financial aid is available!

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available!

This summer's SEASSI program will be hosted by the University of Wisconsin-Madison from June 15 through August 7, 2020.

Applications for the 2020 SEASSI program are now being accepted online via our [website](http://seassi.wisc.edu).

If you would like additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us at seassi@seasia.wisc.edu, or visit our [website](http://seassi.wisc.edu).

Testimonial from a Purdue University student:

I attended SEASSI in 2017 to learn Beginner Vietnamese. This program provides great language immersion and opportunities to interact with teachers from all over the world. You also get to meet language learners from all aspects of life with various reasons for wanting to learn a language. SEASSI also sponsors events including picnics, film showings, and guest speakers from any of the SEASSI languages. I will also add: Madison, WI in the summer is beautiful. -Sarah Huang, PhD Candidate Department of Anthropology and Ecological Sciences & Engineering

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