



Asian American and Asian
Resource and Cultural Center

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Weekly Newsletter
March 11, 2020**

Message from the AAARCC

AAARCC Graduation Registration!!

If you a student graduating this semester, please register [here](#) to receive information about potential AAARCC Graduation held in the near future.

AAARCC Dragon & Lion Dance Team Call for Participation!

Interested in being part of a dynamic performing arts team? The AAARCC is forming a lion and dragon team to bring a greater awareness of our culture to our campus community! This team will be directed by the AAARCC's very own Student Ambassador Gwynnelle Condino. If you are interested to learn more about this opportunity, please [email us!](#)



AAARCC Events

PURDUE UNIVERSITY Asian American and Asian Resource and Cultural Center
Unit within Division of Diversity and Inclusion

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:
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!

AAARCC RealI-Tea: conversations on Mental Health and Well-Being, Self-Care Times, & Weekly Student Hours With Purdue Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)

Date: Wednesday, March 11, 2020

Time: 1 - 2 PM

Location: AAARCC

Come join us as we enjoy self-care activities with CAPS!

RealI-Tea series beyond March 11th is currently under review and subject to cancelation.

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.



AAARCC's Lunch & Learn Series: "Living with Loss: How We Can Move Forward"

Thursday, March 12th, 2020

Time: 12 - 1 PM

Location: PMU Anniversary Drawing Room

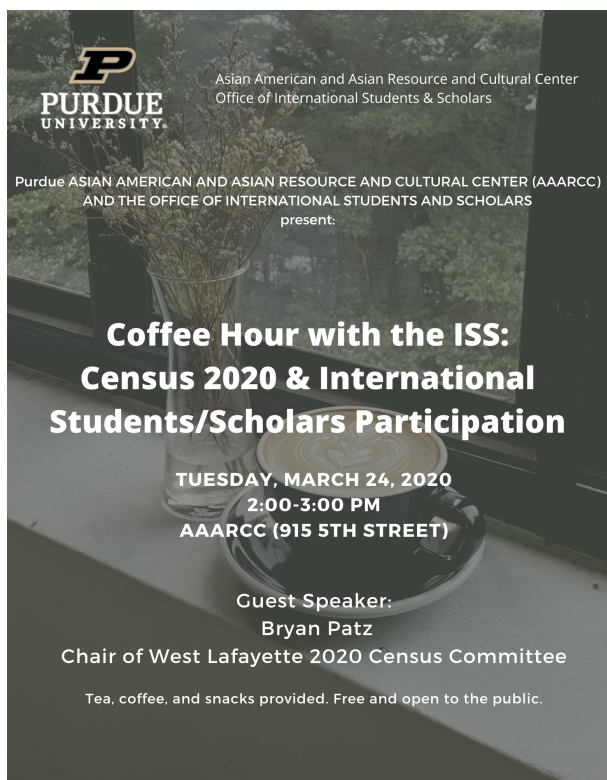
Please join us for lunch and great conversations as we hear from the organization Actively Moving Forward (AMF) share about ways we can move forward after experiencing loss.

Important Announcement

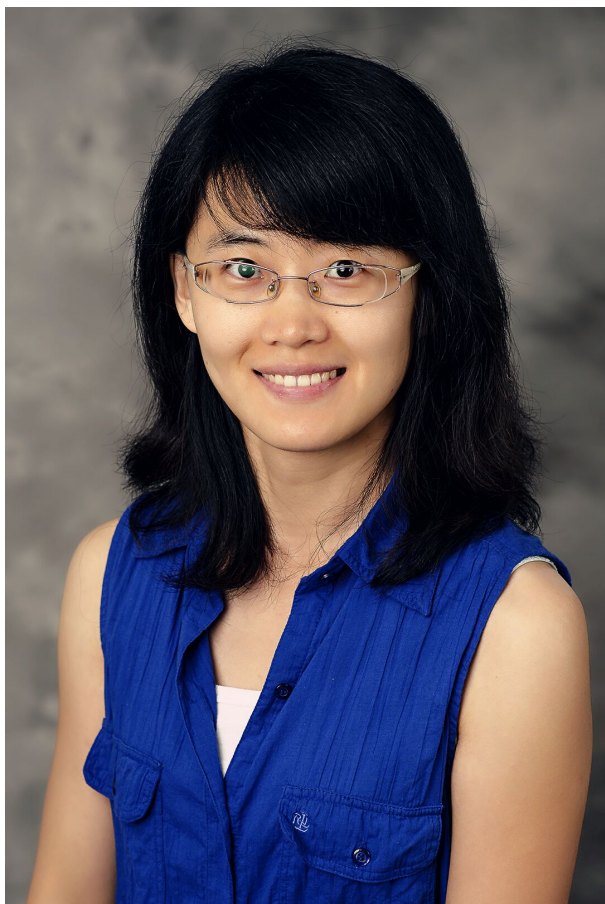
Coffee Hour with the ISS: Census 2020 & International Students/Scholars Participation

Will be potentially moved to an online platform. Please check our social media and newsletter for updated information.

Join the AAARCC as we have a conversation about the upcoming census and what it means for our international community.



Featured Faculty/Staff Member



Dr. Lan Jin

Lan is currently the Intercultural Learning Specialist at CILMAR, providing research support to people who are interested in intercultural learning. Lan received her PhD degree in Consumer Behavior from Purdue University in 2017. Her research focuses on intercultural competence development in the classroom and through study abroad programs.

Lan is particularly interested in how higher education educators, administrators, trainers, researchers, and students can collaborate to improve intercultural competence and build resilience of diverse students, creating a more inclusive climate on campus.

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