

Asian American and Asian Resource and Cultural Center Newsletter February 2, 2024

Upcoming AAARCC Programming



Asian Americans in an Anti-Black World Wednesday, February 7, 2024 5:30 PM ET Via Zoom

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RSVP to attend the virtual event: http://tinyurl.com/Feb7-DrClaireJeanKim



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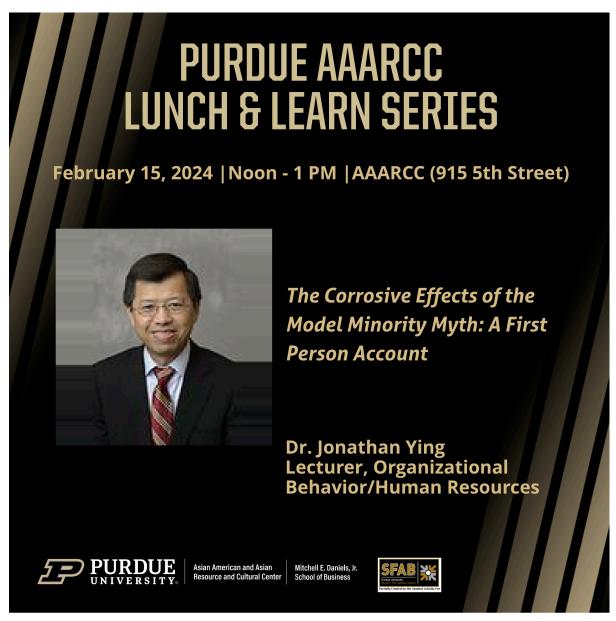
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Co-Sponsored by: Black Cultural Center & School of Interdisciplinary Studies



Time: 12 - 1 PM at the AAARCC (915 5th Street)

Join us for this weekly event of sharing and learning diverse research, teaching, and engagement related to Asian and Asian American communities. We will be hearing from three students, Soyol Enkh-Amgalan, Fan Jing Hoon, and Ana Elena Pasi Rojas, as they share their journey as student researchers at Purdue University, This event is co-sponsored by the Office of Undergraduate Research and SFAB.



11 AM - 2 PM at the Co-Rec Black & Gold Gyms 1-3 (355 North Martin Jischke Drive, West Lafayette)

Join us in welcoming the Year of the Dragon with tabling activities and performances! This event is free & open to the public with free parking available at the Co-Rec parking lot.

Co-Sponsored by: Purdue Student Government, Purdue Graduate Student Government, University Residences, John Martinson Honors College, Asian Studies, Hawkins Hall, First Street Towers Titan Club, RX Club, and SFAB.

Review of the Week



The AAARCC hosted **Dr. Michael Viega** (Associate Professor, Music Therapy at Montclair State University and Fellow, Association of Music and Imagery) in his visit to Purdue University. Dr. Viega has been working with the AAARCC Research Lab team and Health Disparity Research Lab (Co-PIs Dr. Pamela K. Sari and Dr. Stewart Chang Alexander) in research on music and identity development of Asian/American adolescents in the Midwest.

Dr. Viega visited classes in American Studies and Public Health, and spoke at the AAARCC's Lunch and Learn event. He discussed with many students about music therapy as a field and its contributions to health and well-being journey of both individuals and communities.

AAARCC + CCO/PPA OFFICE HOURS

SELECT WEDNESDAYS 1:00 - 2:00 PM ET, SPRING 2024 AAARCC (915 5TH STREET)



Shihling Chui-Dwyer

Career Services Consultant/International Student Specialist

Drop in Hours for CCO Advising

- January 10 & 24, 2024
- February 14 & 28, 2024
- March 20 & 27, 2024
- April 10, 2024

Stop by to have your resume and/or your cover letter looked over. Other services such as help preparing for interviews is also provided.



Cristy Gosney, MFA

Senior Pre-Professional Advisor

Office Hours for Pre-Professional Students

- January 24, 2024
- February 14, 2024
- March 20, 2024
- April 17, 2024

Stop by for assistance as you prepare for furthering education and careers in healthcare and law.



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Center for Career Opportunities

CCO Office Hour Select Wednesdays from 1 - 2 PM Held at the AAARCC

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Spring 2024 CAPS Liaison Student Hours

Fridays, Noon to 1 PM In person at AAARCC (915 5th Street)



Dr. Yixun Zhu Staff Therapist Purdue CAPS

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Before coming here, I worked in two other universities' counseling center and enjoyed working with college students. I am looking forward to talking to you, learning about you, and helping you achieve your goals at Purdue.



Zizhuo (Grace) Yin, MS, NCC Staff Therapist Purdue CAPS

Hi! My name is Grace. I originally came from Shanghai, China and currently a staff therapist at Purdue CAPS. Before coming to Purdue, I lived in Wisconsin for several years. I speak Mandarin.

I am running an art workshop at CAPS and hope could help you with some self-care strategy at AAARCC. I am looking forward to talking to you, learning about you, and helping you reduce some stress at Purdue.

Let me know if there is anything else you need from me. I am looking forward to meeting you again and working with you in the Spring.





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Spring 2024 CAPS Liaison Student Hours Fridays, Noon to 1 PM In person at AAARCC (915 5th Street) alternating between Dr. Yixun Zhu and Zizhuo (Grace) Yin, M.S., NCC

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Spring 2024 CARE ADVOCATE HOURS

At the AAARCC (915 5th Street)



Amanda Shie Prevention Programming Specialist Center for Advocacy, Response, & Education (CARE)

Join the AAARCC & CARE for an opportunity to take part in different activities and conversations. Taking place between 2 - 3 PM ET.

- January 29th: Screening of the show I am a Stalker
- February 20th: Lunar New Year Calligraphy
- March 20th: Conversations and drawing
- April 17th: De-Stress Activity



Center for Advocacy, Response & Education A DIVISION OF THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENTS



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CARE Liaison: Amanda Shie

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Campus Opportunities

HHS CONNEX SERIES

ACTIVISM IN HHS WORKSHOP

FEBRUARY 6, 2024 4:30 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. HHS CONNEX HUB, STONE HALL, ROOM 122





Use QR Code to RSVP

COMMUNITY ORGANIZING BUILDS MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS WITH PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITIES BASED ON SHARED VALUES AND COMMON CONCERNS.

IN THIS WORKSHOP, YOU WILL GET AN OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN FROM EXAMPLES OF ACTIVISM AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZING IN THE HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICE ARENA. THIS WORKSHOP WILL ALSO EQUIP YOU WITH THE TOOLS TO BUILD RELATIONSHIPS AND POWER TO EFFECTIVELY BRING ABOUT SOCIAL CHANGE.

RSVPs are requested.



Activism in Health and Human Sciences Workshop

Tuesday, February 6, 4:30-6:00 pm

Stone Hall 122 (Connex Hub)

Community organizing builds meaningful relationships with people in our communities based on shared values and common concerns. In this workshop, you will get an opportunity to learn from examples of activism and community organizing in the health and human services arena. This workshop will also equip you with the tools to build relationships and power to effectively bring about social change. The workshop will be led by Mel Gruver, Remingtin Mickle, and Nathan McBurnett. The event is free, and registration is requested but not required.

AN EVENING WITH

ELIZABETH ACEVEDO



FEBRUARY 26, 2024 | 5PM | FOWLER HALL

Stewart Center, 410 Grant St., West Lafayette, IN | Free & Open to the Public

The Purdue University Latino Cultural Center presents Elizabeth Acevedo in celebration of Black History Month.

Elizabeth Acevedo is the New York Times-bestselling author of The Poet X, which won the National Book Award for Young People's Literature, the Michael L. Printz Award, the Pura Belpré Award, the Carnegie medal, the Boston Globe-Horn Book Award, and the Walter Award. She is also the author of numerous other titles including Family Lore; With the Fire on High, which was named a best book of the year by the New York Public Library, NPR, Publishers Weekly, and School Library Journal; and Clap When You Land, a Boston Globe-Horn Book Honor book and a Kirkus finalist. Acevedo has been a fellow of Cave Canem, Cantomundo, and a participant in the Callaloo Writer's Workshops. She is a National Poetry Slam Champion, and resides in Washington, DC with her husband.





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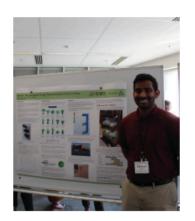


Department of English

Purdue LCC presents Elizabeth Acevedo in celebration of Black History Month. Event will take place at Fowler Hall, Purdue University (410 S. Grant St, West Lafayette, IN 47907). Books for sale provided by Second Flight Books (Book signing after event).



ENGAGEMENT & SERVICE-LEARNING SUMMIT: Student Showcase





Office of Engagement

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Students across Purdue's campuses are invited to present their service-learning or engagement projects in one of two formats:

POSTER

A wide-format poster that explains the project and its impact

CREATIVE DISPLAY

A creative demonstration or interactive display that captures the story of the project and its impact

Students may re-use a poster or creative display from a previous event or develop a new one. All accepted submissions will be showcased both in-person and on the event website. The top three in each category will be awarded cash prizes of \$150, \$100, and \$50, respectively. Interested students should submit an abstract (max 150 words) by Monday, February 5, 2024, 5:00 PM ET via the application survey. More info can be found on the Showcase info site.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29TH, 2024 • 4:00 - 5:30 PM ET
DISCOVERY LEARNING RESEARCH CENTER | 298 NIMITZ DR, WEST LAFAYETTE, IN 47906
HTTPS://WWW.PURDUE.EDU/ENGAGEMENT/SUMMIT/

Students from across Purdue's campuses are invited to showcase community engagement projects as part of service-learning courses or engagement organizations at the **Engagement and Service-Learning Summit on Thursday**, **February 29**, **2024**, **from 4:00-5:30 PM ET at the Discovery Learning Research (DLR) Center**. The goal of the session is to

showcase student efforts with faculty, community partners, and other students rather than judge them.

Submissions will be accepted as posters or creative displays. The top three submissions in each category (poster and creative display) will be awarded cash prizes of \$150, \$100, and \$50, respectively. Check out the <u>Summit event site</u> and <u>Showcase info</u> site for more information.

To apply for the Showcase, submit a brief abstract (max 150 words) by <u>Monday</u>, <u>February 5, 2024, 5:00 PM ET</u> via the <u>application survey</u>.

Questions about the Showcase may be directed to Carly Evich, Graduate Assistant for Service-Learning, at cevich@purdue.edu. Other questions about the Summit may be directed to Robert Elliot, Lead Event Planner, at relliot@purdue.edu.



SPIRaL: Student Partners for Information Research and Literacy | Undergraduate Research Program

Unit: The Institute for Information Literacy at Purdue (in the Libraries & School of Information Studies)

Program Overview:

SPIRaL trains a team of undergraduate researchers to investigate how information literacy can inform real-world solutions to contemporary information challenges, such as mis/disinformation. For the 2024-2025 academic year, SPIRaL will explore information challenges affecting the field of journalism. SPIRaL researchers will interview student journalists at Purdue and other universities about their perceptions of how information challenges, such as misinformation, affect the field of journalism and in their own journalistic practice. In SPIRaL, students are research partners who make decisions, build relationships with research mentors, and contribute to the success of future SPIRaL researchers.

Program Details:

- Academic-year undergraduate research program (August 19, 2024 May 3, 2025)
- 6-8 hour time commitment per week with required in-person research group meetings
- Academic credit through enrollment in ILS 235 (2 credits in fall) and ILS 236 (1 credit in spring)
- \$1,000 annual stipend (paid in \$500 installments per semester)
- Guidance from research mentors in the <u>Institute for Information Literacy at Purdue</u>
- Opportunities to attend talks, workshops, and trainings from other units at Purdue
- Present or publish research findings

Required Qualifications:

- Undergraduate student with an expected graduation date of no sooner than May 2025
- Interest in research and information challenges
- Ability to dedicate 6-8 hours per week of quality time and effort to SPIRaL activities
- Desire to work on a dynamic team and contribute through shared decision-making
- Initiative to complete independent tasks on-time and communicate progress
- Strong written and oral communication skills
- While not a requirement, we find it helpful for students to be in their second or third year in college

How to Apply:

Fill out this <u>short Qualtrics form</u> no later than Friday, March 22 at 11:59pm. You will need a current resume and a 1-page description of your interest in SPIRaL ready to attach to the form. If you have any questions, please contact Rachel Fundator (<u>rfundato@purdue.edu</u>).

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THE SHIRLEY MARTIN SCHOLARSHIP

SPONSORED BY

The Songwriters Association of Mid-North Indiana (SAMI)

Open to songwriters ages 14-19 in the following Indiana counties: Benton, Carroll, Cass, Clinton, Fountain, Howard, Jasper, Montgomery, Newton, Pulaski, Tippecanoe, Tipton, Warren & White

Deadline for submission is April 2nd, 2024

WINNERS GET CASH AWARDS & STUDIO TIME
ALL PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE PROFESSIONAL FEEDBACK

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Apply at www.samisong.com today!

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Research Participation Opportunities



Asian & Asian American teens living in Rural Midwest IRB-2022-1326

Purdue University researchers are recruiting Asian and Asian American high school students who live in the rural Midwest to learn about their experiences growing up.

Earn \$50 for your participation.

For more information, reach out to Stewart Chang Alexander at AA_Teen_Study@purdue.edu tinyurl.com/AAPurdueStudy



RESEARCH ON ASIAN AMERICAN ALCOHOL EXPERIENCES (RAE) IRB-2022-549

RAE aims to better understand why Asian and Asian American's abstain from or drink alcohol.

WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

You will be asked to complete one, 10minute questionnaire, followed by one, maximum 80-minute interview.

Questionnaire collects:

- Demographics.
- Perceptions of Asian and Asian American experience in the U.S.
- · Alcohol abstinence or use.

Interview questions topics:

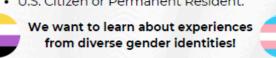
- · Decision to drink or abstain from alcohol.
- The ways friends, family, school, and societal norms have impacted use or non-use of alcohol.

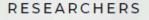
INCENTIVE

You will receive a \$25.00 Amazon gift card for completion of the questionnaire and interview.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

- Individuals who are 18- to 25-years old.
- Identify as Asian or Asian American.
- Lived in the U.S. for at least 3 years between the ages of 10- to 18-years.
- · U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident.







Principle Investigator: Dr. Annabelle Atkin (She/Her/Hers)



Lead Graduate Student: Amy Loviska, M.S. (They/Them/Their) aloviska@purdue.edu

WANT TO PARTICIPATE?

Use the link or scan the QR code to complete a brief pre-screen survey:

https://tinyurl.com/RAEPreScreen



If you have questions or would like to learn more about RAE, email aloviska@purdue.edu.

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Interview question topics: Decision to drink or abstain from alcohol, the ways friends family,

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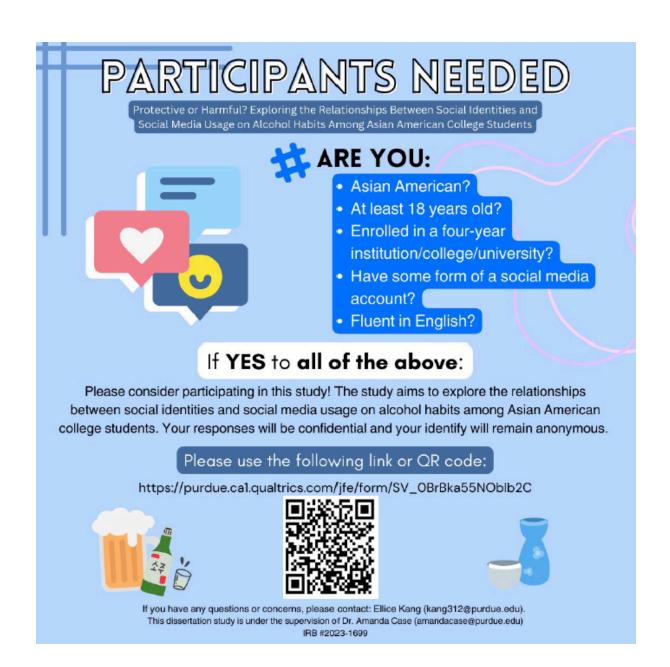
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- US Citizen or Permanent Resident.

Want to participate? Scan the QR code to complete a brief pre-screening survey or use the link. tinyurl.com/RAEPreScreen

We want to learn about experiences from diverse gender identities. If you have questions or would like to learn more about RAE, email aloviska@purdue.edu



PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

Protective or Harmful? Exploring the Relationships Between Social Identities and Social Media Usage on Alcohol Habits Among Asian American College Students

ARE YOU:

- Asian American?
- At least 18 years old?
- Enrolled in a four-year institution/college/university?
- Have some form of a social media account?
- Fluent in English?

If YES to all of the above:

Please consider participating in this study! The study aims to explore the relationships between social identities and social media usage on alcohol habits among Asian American college students. Your responses will be confidential and your identify will remain anonymous.

Please use the following link or QR code:

https://purdue.cal.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV OBrBka55NOblb2C

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact: Ellice Kang (kang312@purdue.edu).

This dissertation study is under the supervision of Dr. Amanda Case (amandacase@purdue.edu) IRB #2023-1699



Seeking Participants

A Qualitative Inquiry into Peer Racial Ethnic Socialization among Interminority Friendships

About the Study:

We are interested in understanding how friends discuss race relations and what it means to be a member of a racial group. If you choose to be in this study, participation wil involve completeing two interviews.

Eligibility Criteria:

Age 18+

Must be current domestic undergraduate students Both friends identify as different racial ethnic minorities ex. Black and Latinx, Mexican and Puerto Rican

Compensation for Participation: \$50 for each participant

If you and your friend are interested, scan here to take the screening survey by scanning the QR Code of the image.

Questions, contact:

Co-PI: Brenda Shein (bshein@purdue.edu)
PI: Xiang Zhou, PhD (zhou1081@purdue.edu)

IRB #: 2023-859

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