Please join us for our Open House TODAY at 4:30pm!

A3C HAS A NEW LOGO!
Designed by our Assistant Director, Vigor Lam, the concentric circular shapes embody our mission to create an environment of advocacy, education, identity, with community in the middle. The open house icon
The A3C has moved from the ground floor to the second and third floor of 626 Thurston! The center is now located on west side of the second floor, with Vigor's office on that side and Sophie's office on the third floor. We are still in the midst of curating our library and spaces, but please stop by to see the space!

SATELLITE OFFICE

In partnership with Asian American Studies Program (AASP), A3C will have a satellite office in 421 Rockefeller Hall this academic year! Please see below for our office hours (subject to change) starting Friday 8/26:

Tuesdays: appointment only
Wednesdays 1:30-4:30pm (Vigor)
Thursday: appointment only
Fridays 10:00am-12:00pm (Sophie)
Are you a graduate/professional student at Cornell? We are hiring two Graduate Assistants to provide support to the Asian & Asian American Center, including administrative assistance, program coordination, undergraduate student advising, and assisting in leading the Center’s team of undergraduate student interns. These positions report to the Assistant Director of the Asian & Asian American Center. You may download our application (click below and return it to Vigor Lam, vigor.lam@cornell.edu).

Applications have been extended Friday, September 9th.

Click here for application

A3C BOOK CLUB INTEREST FORM

At the Asian & Asian American Center, we have begun to curate a library of books from various Asian American, Pacific Islander, and Desi American authors. As are continuing to purchase and bring more books to the center for students to use and borrow, A3C would like to start a book club! This club(s) will focus on literature and narratives of Asian American, Pacific Islander, and/or Desi American authors and will meet based on student schedules and availability to discuss the book we have assigned to read.

Please fill out the form below if you are interested in hearing more information.

Cannot see the embedded Google Form? Please click the button below!

Interest Form

A3C RENOVATION IDEAS NEEDED!

As you may know, the A3C has moved to a new space on the 2nd floor, and we need your help to design our new space! We want the center to reflect the many cultures within our Asian Pacific Islander Desi American community. Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated. Many thanks!

Please fill out the form by clicking the button below!

Google Form

A3C YOUTH INITIATIVE
At A3C, we have started a Youth Vote Initiative to engage students in the electoral process. If you are 18 and an American citizen, we strongly encourage you to register to vote! Don't know how and what issues are important to you? Please reach out to us as we develop a campus voter engagement plan leading up to the November Elections. The A3C is partnering with Asian Pacific Islander American Vote (APIA Vote) to engage Cornell students. More information to come soon!

Interested? Please contact our A3C Intern, Scott Ho, at sh896@cornell.edu!

More information here as well.

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ECAASU BID TEAM MEMBERS NEEDED!

Join the East Coast Asian American Student Union (ECAASU) 2018 Conference bid committee! This committee will bid for the ECAASU 2018 Conference to be brought to Cornell's campus for 2018.

**What's the ECAASU conference?** It's a conference held at a different university each year. This past year's (2016) conference was held at Rutgers, which some A3C interns and CAPSU members attended. The 2017 conference location will be announced soon!

The university hosting the ECAASU conference plans all the logistics of the conference: the workshops, the socials, the ceremonies, the entertainment, the funding, etc. Then, over a thousand of students from the East Coast attend the ECAASU Conference at the university--it's truly an incredible way to unite students from all over, learn from each other and workshop leaders, and foster not only an intercollegiate API community but also student power.

Cornell has hosted ECAASU 2 times already, in 1998 and 2008. Cornell traditionally holds ECAASU every 10 years, so 2018 would mark the 3rd time that Cornell has hosted ECAASU. No other school has had such a tremendous tradition of hosting the conference every 10 years.

Are there skills you think you can bring to the committee? The following task groups have been created: Finance, Social Media, Public Relations, Outreach, and Web Design/Development. Please contact jk987@cornell.edu, ed427@cornell.edu or mmz27@cornell.edu for further inquiries!
Race. Immigration. Excessive Force. Violence. What are the issues impacting young adults on campus; in our communities; across the nation; around the world?

A community discussion continued.

Moderated by Dr. Renee Alexander

Lunch will be served.

All-Campus LGBTQQIA+ Welcome Reception

*all are welcome!

Thursday, September 8th
Baker Portico, Physical Sciences Building
4:30 – 6:00 PM

Join us in welcoming the 2016-2017 academic year!

Plan to attend this event where LGBTQQIA (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning, intersex, asexual, allies, +), undergraduate and graduate students, faculty, and staff members will have the opportunity to join together in celebrating a new academic year and foster connections in building an even more vibrant and inclusive Cornell community.
Share your ideas, bring your history, and explore the various ways you can support LGBTQIA and ally students in the Cornell community as this work continues to grow!

* Please note that we do not want childcare to prevent anyone from participating in this event. Therefore, if you have children and wish to do so, we welcome you to bring your children with you to this family friendly event.

If you need accommodations to participate in this event, please contact the LGBT Resource Center at (607) 255-4406 or lgbtrc@cornell.edu as soon as possible.

Sponsored by the Cornell LGBT Resource Center, Cornell LGBT Studies Program, Haven: The LGBTQ+ Student Union, the Graduate School Office of Inclusion and Student Engagement, the International Students and Scholars Office, and the LGBT Colleague Network.

I LOVE FEMALE ORGASM

Thursday, September 8th
8pm Statler Auditorium

Join us to laugh and learn about the big “O,” the most popular topic sex educators Dorian and Connor teach about! Orgasm aficionados and beginners of all genders are welcome to come learn about everything from multiple orgasms to that mysterious G-spot. Whether you want to learn how to have your first orgasm, how to have better ones, or how to help your girlfriend, they cover it all with lots of humor, plenty of honesty, and an underlying message of sexual health and women’s empowerment. Are you coming?

Sponsored by Community Center Programs (CCP)
This summer and semester have been marked by a chain of tragic events across the nation and the world. The loss of innocent lives, charged rhetoric and relentless media coverage have impacted many groups and individuals in our community. Please join ALANA and Cornell Minds Matter for an inspiring presentation by Ulysses Smith and Angela Winfield, along with Aladdin's catered dinner.

Please come early, this Friday, *September 9th*, at *5 pm* at the Willard Straight Hall Memorial Room to ensure good seating.
**Wednesday Lunch Series**
**Fall 2016**

Come join us for our monthly Wednesday Lunch Series, featuring Cornell faculty and staff guest speakers. Enjoy a catered lunch in an informal setting, where you can learn more about the speaker's work or research, how they ended up doing what they are doing, current issues in higher education... or even their thoughts on living in Ithaca. Free and open to all.

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We strive to make our events accessible to everyone in the Cornell community. For accommodation requests and information, please contact assp@cornell.edu or aasac@cornell.edu
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**Who:** YOU! Anyone interested or identifying as APIA

**What:** APIA-U is an interactive training workshop taught by staff from OCA focused on self-awareness, team-building, and direct action organizing.

**When/Where:** Saturday 10/1, 10am-3pm + optional discussion afterwards @ RPCC Multipurpose Room

**Register before Monday 9/26**
@ tinyurl.com/APIAworkshopCU or
http://www.ocanational.org/?page=APIAUstudentreg

**Co-hosted by**
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alpha Kappa Delta Phi (AKDPhi)
Cornell Asian Pacific Islander Student Union (CAPSU)
Chinese Bible Study (CBS)
Cornell Filipino Association (CFA)
Chinese Students Association (CSA)
Cornell Thai Association (CTA)
Cornell Taiwanese American Society (CTAS)
Cornell Vietnamese Association (CVA)
Japan-United States Association (JUSA)
Korean Graduate Student Association (KGSA)
South Asian Council (SAC)

**Want to add your own events?**
Please let us know the Monday before the newsletter is published that following Wednesday! Submit your announcements here to vigor.lam@cornell.edu.