Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) Educators Network

Virtual Meeting
Thursday, February 2, 2023
4:30 to 6 p.m.

Zoom link: https://sccoe.zoom.us/j/97116253427?pwd=M21hWVZVTnhCZnVzUkImUzBQcFlIZz09

Agenda

AAPI webpage https://www.sccoe.org/sclis/aapi

Meeting Topic:
- Hmong History, Culture, and Arts
- AAPI Educators Toolkit: Expanding Perceptions of AAPI Diaspora

I. Welcome and Introductions
   - Anisha Munshi, Ed.D., Associate Superintendent, Professional Learning & Instructional Support Division, Santa Clara County Office of Education

   Land Acknowledgement
   - Tina Tong Choy, Principal, Cherrywood Elementary School

II. Keynote: Creating Literature for Each Other: Hmong American Storytelling Grades K-12

   Keynote Speaker
   Dr. Ma Vang
   Associate Professor, Critical Race and Ethnic Studies (CRES), School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts
   University of California, Merced

   4:30 – 4:40 p.m.

III. Breakout Rooms & Share Outs
   Facilitator: Dr. Hong Nguyen, Director of Educational Equity, San Ramon Valley Unified School District
   - Discussion Questions:
     - How can educators use stories, art, and culture critically in the classroom?
     - How do we know which stories or forms of art are appropriate AND how do we read or analyze art and culture?

   5:15 – 5:30 p.m.

IV. AAPI Educator Toolkit: Expanding Perceptions of AAPI Diaspora
   Erica Misako Boas, Ph.D., Education Researcher/Community Activist

   5:30 – 5:55 p.m.

V. Closing & Feedback
   5:55 – 6:00 p.m.

Future Meeting Date: May 8, 2023

Please complete meeting survey: https://sccoe.to/aapien_020223
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Network Objectives:

- Provide professional networking opportunities for AAPI educators
- Learn about trending topics related to AAPI students and educators
- Discuss issues and challenges related to AAPI students and educators
- Encourage AAPI educators to aim for leadership roles