

Anesthesiology & Pain Medicine EDI Brief - May 2023

Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month 2023

Advancing Leaders through Opportunity

The [Federal Asian Pacific American Council \(FAPAC\)](#) announced “Advancing Leaders Through Opportunity” as the AAPI Month theme for 2023. The Library of Congress, National Archives, Smithsonian Institution and other Federal organizations have joined in paying tribute to the generations of Asian and Pacific Islanders who have enriched America's history and are instrumental in its future success. [Visit the online exhibit](#) for art, videos, and teaching resources.

We encourage members of our community to get involved with UW and UW SOM groups and initiatives that further develop Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander leaders.

- [UW Asian and Pacific Islander American Faculty and Staff Association](#)
- [Network of Underrepresented Residents & Fellows](#)
- [Asian Americans Advancing Justice](#)

Diversity Council Highlights

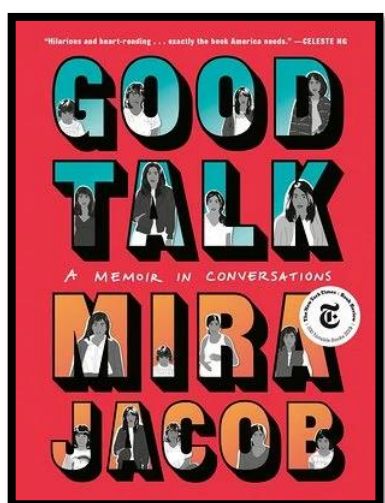
Congratulations Kate Gentry, MD and Preetma Kooner, MD! Their abstract on “Responding to Microaggressions” was selected for presentation at the Society for Education in Anesthesia meeting on April 15.

Watch the January 4th EDI Foundation Training Grand Rounds Presentation, “Gender and Sexual Diversity,” presented by Remigio Roque, MD and Gary Barbour-See

- [Watch the presentation](#) and complete [sign-in form](#).
 - *UW NetID required for presentation.*
 - *Not required if you attended Grand Rounds on January 4, 2023.*
- Remaining EDI Foundational Trainings will be announced as soon as possible.

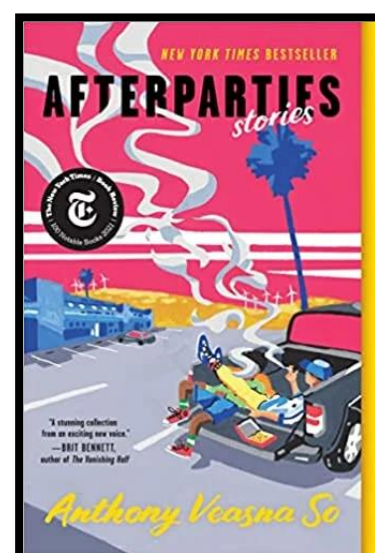
Resources

Recommended Reading:



[Good Talk](#), Mira Jacob

In this graphic memoir, Jacob reflects on race, identity, politics and love.



[Afterparties: Stories](#), Anthony Veasna So

So's short stories portray the daily lives of Cambodian-Americans with humor and sharp emotional depth.

Visit the [2023 Spring Market](#) at the Wing Luke Museum on **May 27** to support local Asian and Pacific Islander artists and small businesses.