

David Wong Louie Memorial Conference

Friday November 15th
10:00 00 AM - 5:00 PM
Royce Hall 314

10:00 am - 10:30 am: Light Breakfast

10:30 am - 11:30 am: Welcome & Keynote

Welcome from UCLA Dean of the Humanities, David Schaberg

Remarks and introduction of keynote speaker from UCLA English Chair, Ursula Heise

Keynote by Viet Thanh Nguyen "The Life of a Writer"

11:30 am - 12:30 pm: Academic Connections

Opening remarks by King-Kok Cheung

David Eng "Pangs of Love"

Wenyng Xu "The Barbarians are Cooking your Dinner: Race, Class, and Asian-American Masculinity."

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm: Lunch

2:00 pm - 2:30 pm: David Wong Louie Prize Announcement

Jacklyn Louie

2:30 pm - 3:45 pm: Creative Connections & Inspired Readings

Remarks by Fred D'Aguiar

Marilyn Chin "A Personal Remembrance"

Jennifer Tseng "Dear David,"

Russell Leong "Louie's Barbarian Food Truck"

3:45 pm - 4:00 pm: In Memoriam

Julian Louie

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm: Reception