

## **An Invitation to celebrate Chinese New Year and Black History Month with TL OC and Angel Island Immigration Station Foundation**

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Dear Friends,

Happy New Year of the Rabbit! I hope spring is at your door, or at least not too far from it :) wherever you are in the world!

I am writing to invite you to celebrate Chinese New Year and Black History Month with [Two Languages/One Community](#) (which I cofounded poet Michael Warr) and [Angel Island Immigration Station Foundation](#) on the beautiful and historical Angel Island, on Saturday 2/25 (11:30-3:00 pm).

For details and tickets:

<https://www.aiisf.org/events/two-languages-one-community-poetry-reading>

Our event will be located at the historical Immigration Station's Detention Barracks Museum. It will start around 11:30-11:45 Am. The event will begin with 1-1.5 hours of poetry and discussions, small bites (dumplings and cornbread!) will be served after, and a free tour of the museum is also included in the ticket.

**To plan your trip** to the island you can take one of two ferries; the Angel Island Ferry which is based in Tiburon or the Golden Gate Ferry from the Ferry Building in SF.

For the 25th the **best options** for your trip are the **10 am Ferry from Tiburon, the 11am ferry from Tiburon, or the 9:30 am ferry out of SF**. Please keep an eye on the schedules for any updates or service announcements. **Tiburon:** <https://angelislandferry.com/schedule/>  
**San Francisco:** <https://www.goldengate.org/golden-gate-ferry-october-schedule-updates-/>

When traveling from Tiburon on the Angel Island Ferry, tickets can be purchased ahead of time and there is parking near the ferry terminal.

When traveling from SF we recommend using your clipper card for a discounted fare.

From the ferry landing on Angel Island, you can either hike (two route options) or take the tram to the Immigration Station: <https://www.aiisf.org/planyourvisit> (read STEP 3: Getting To The Immigration Station).

Make a day of your trip to Angel Island. Come for the event and stay for history and/or nature!  
Here is more information about getting to and visiting the island: <https://www.aiisforg/planyourvisit>

We look forward to having you in the historic Detention Barracks Museum for history, poetry, and community!

Also, TLOC's bilingual poetry collection with my translations has recently been featured on Poetry Northwest. We are honored to be able to invite amazing poets from our communities including Maxine Hong Kingston, Al Young, Afaa Weaver, and Genny Lim to be in the collection. I hope you enjoy reading the poems: <https://www.poetrynw.org/two-languages-one-community-together-in-poetry/>

Sending love and gratitude,  
Chun

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