

Fifty Years Later: The Vietnam War Through the Eyes of Veterans, Vietnamese, and  
Southeast Asian Refugees  
Week One: Onsite Presentations

Time	Monday June 12, 2023	Tuesday June 13, 2023	Wednesday June 14, 2023	Thursday June 15, 2023	Friday June 16, 2023
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<p><b>Breakfast at Coastline's Le Jao Campus, Westminster, Room 226</b></p> <p><b>Welcome from Administration 9:30 am</b></p> <p><b>10 am -12 Dan Johnson, History Professor, Institute Introduction: The Vietnam Conflict</b></p>	<p><b>Breakfast at LJC</b></p> <p><b>Thuy Vo Dang</b> <i>Articles: Fostering Transformation: Ethnic Studies as a Critical Intervention for Primary Source Pedagogy, Little Saigon and Vietnamese American Communities, Transnationalizing Viet Nam: Community, Culture, and Politics in the Diaspora</i></p>	<p><b>Breakfast at LJC</b></p> <p><b>Vu Tran</b> <i>Dragonfish</i></p> <p><b>Marilyn Brock</b> The Western Imagination and Narratives of the Vietnam War Through Film, Art, Music, and Texts</p>	<p><b>Breakfast at LJC</b></p> <p><b>Tuyet Mai Dinh</b> Little Saigon TV</p> <p><b>Discussion and Project Work Session</b></p>	<p><b>Breakfast at Coastline's Newport Beach Campus, Room 117</b></p> <p><b>Yen Le Espiritu</b> Departures Body Counts</p> <p><b>Discussion and Project Work Session</b></p>
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch and Participant Group Introductions</b>	<b>Lunch and Visit to Vietnam Memorial and Republic</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Lunch, Art Exhibit from Little Saigon Artists</b>
1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	<p><b>Michael Griffith</b> <i>Narratology and the Experience of War</i> <b>2:30-4:30</b></p> <p>Small group discussions, projects, developing questions for research or study (comparative, descriptive, relationship based)</p>	<p><b>Vietnam Veterans Vietnam War Narratives: Through the Eyes of Veterans Denton Knapp Bobby McDonald Andy McTigue</b></p> <p><b>3:30 - 4:30</b> <i>O'Brien's The Things They Carried and O'Donnell's poetry</i></p>	<b>Little Saigon Museum Visit, Tour of Highlights in Little Saigon</b>	<p><b>Discussion and Project Work Session</b></p> <p><b>Field Trip to Republic of Vietnam Museum</b></p>	<b>Field Trip to Heroes Hall, Costa Mesa</b>
6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	<b>American Film Series: Apocalypse Now (LJC Rm 226)</b>	<b>American Film Series: Platoon (LJC Rm 226)</b>	<b>Dinner in Little Saigon, Vietnamese Music 5:30pm</b>	<b>American Film Series: The Last Days of Vietnam (LJC Rm 226)</b>	<b>American film series: Da 5 Bloods (NBC Rm 117)</b>

## Week Two: Virtual Presentations

Time	Monday June 19, 2023	Tuesday June 20, 2023	Wednesday June 21, 2023	Thursday June 22, 2023	Friday June 23, 2023
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Amihan April M. Alcazar,</b> <b>President of University of Pasig City</b>  Speaker from The Philippines	<b>Hong Lam</b>  Speaker from Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam	<b>Viet Thanh Nguyen</b> <i>Nothing Ever Dies, The Sympathizer, The Refugees</i>	<b>Phuong Tran Nguyen</b> Author of <i>Becoming Refugee American: The Politics of Rescue in Little Saigon</i>	<b>Lecturer from Hoa Sen University, Vietnam</b> <b>Political Science, Literature, and International Relations with My Asia Connections</b> <b>Founder, Alexander Parini</b>
12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	<b>Landmarks of the War in Vietnam:</b> <i>Presentation of museums, battle sites, and memorials in Vietnam</i>	<b>Van Vinh</b>  Speaker from Hoi An, Vietnam	<b>Novel Discussions:</b> Readings from <i>The Sorrow of War: A Novel of North Vietnam</i> by Bao Ninh and Dang Thuy Tram's <i>Last Night I Dreamed of Peace</i>	<b>Presentation on Little Vietnam in Orlando, Florida</b>	<b>Participant PowerPoint Presentations</b>
3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	<b>Participant PowerPoint Presentations</b>	<b>Participant PowerPoint Presentations</b>	<b>Participant PowerPoint Presentations</b>	<b>Participant PowerPoint Presentations</b>	<b>Participant PowerPoint Presentations</b>
6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	<b>Vietnamese Film Series:</b> <b>Green Dragon</b>	<b>Vietnamese Film Series:</b> The Little Girl from Hanoi <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...</a>	<b>Vietnamese Film Series</b> When the Tenth Month Comes	<b>Cuban Film:</b> April in Saigon in the Year of the Cat	<b>Vietnamese Film Series:</b> Journey from the Fall