

LGBTQ+ AAPI Day of Visibility 2020 Digital Toolkit*

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*We recognize that this toolkit does not (and arguably cannot) include all of the vast and varied LGBTQ+ Asian American experiences. If there's something you feel is missing that should be highlighted, please do not hesitate to reach out! This toolkit has been amended from our 2019 toolkit and will continue to be edited and added onto until June 1, 2020. Huge thank you to all that contributed and added to this toolkit.

Share the Facebook event for the LGBTQ+ AAPI Day of Visibility 2020 [here](#).

TinyUrl for the toolkit: <https://tinyurl.com/qaapitoolkit2020>

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LGBTQ+ AAPI Day of Visibility is a day to celebrate our unique intersections! Share the love by sharing a selfie or a picture of your favorite #QAAPI icon, and check out the toolkit of resources here: <https://bit.ly/2M38IPx>! #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

LGBTQ+ AAPI Day of Visibility celebrates our unique intersections! Share the love with a selfie & check out our toolkit: <https://bit.ly/2M38IPx>. Today, we'll be emphasizing COVID #QAAPI resources & ways to support/engage with Black Activism. #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay #BLM #QAAPIsForBlackLives

Rangoli Pittsburgh is raising funds for the following organizations:

If you are able, please consider donating to:

- The Asian Pacific American Labor Alliance (APALA) community relief fund for folks experiencing hardship due to COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/3bYXMd9> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian
- SisTers PGH LGBTQIA+ relief fund for folks in Pittsburgh impacted by COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/2LSKRPh> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian
- The Black Visions Collective: <https://bit.ly/2Moepox> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- The Bukit Bail Fund to support the release of incarcerated people in Allegheny County, PA: <https://bit.ly/2XKIHIs> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

Coming Soon

Join us for LGBTQ+ AAPI Day of Visibility on June 1 - a day to celebrate our unique intersections! Share the love by using the hashtags #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI #QAAPIDay!

Ever wanted a day just for our unique LGBTQ+ AAPI identities? Well, June 1 is that day! Join us to celebrate our vibrant, beautiful #QAAPI selves! Use #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI to join in on June 1!

Proclamations

At the request of @rangolipgh and the Commission on Asian Pacific American Affairs, PA Governor @GovernorTomWolf proclaimed June 1 in both 2019 and 2020 to be AAPI Pride Day of Visibility! Read the proclamation here: <https://bit.ly/3guLhJZ> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

At the request of @rangolipgh Pittsburgh Mayor @billpeduto proclaimed June 1, 2019 to be LGBTQ+ AAPI Day of Visibility! Read the proclamation here and stay tuned for the 2020 version: <https://bit.ly/2X9Vwvx> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

General

“Mirror, mirror on the wall, who’s the queerest of them all?” I AM. #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI #QAAPIDay

Meet the brave LGBTQ+ Indians who made waves in the Indian elections last year - paving the path for all of us! <https://bit.ly/2JmtY0b> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI #QAAPIDay

@QueeringDesi is a podcast that celebrates the unique experiences of South Asian LGBTQ+ people, and interviews people that live within our varied intersections. Listen here: <https://bit.ly/30q9vwG> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

The #QueerMuslimProject is countering queerphobia/Muslim hate, one story at a time! #QueerMuslimsUnplugged Check out their instagram, where they document #QAAPI stories: <https://bit.ly/2w06Egj> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

This @vice photo series showcases and celebrates being South Asian and queer, and it is giving us LIFE. Thanks for giving visibility and a voice for #QAAPI stories: <https://bit.ly/2B5sUrQ> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@APIENC’s #DragonFruitProject is an intergenerational oral history project that explores #QAAPI stories - by uplifting our community histories, we’re breaking through the silence: <https://bit.ly/2WFEEKt> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@HRC and @NQAPIA partnered to bring us this incredibly comprehensive look into #QAAPI experiences. Check out the resource here: <https://bit.ly/2LMY8vF> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Watch @RepJayapal tear up while talking about how much the #EqualityAct would benefit her gender nonconforming child - we're not crying, there's just a stick in our eyes. <https://bit.ly/2Jm5BQn> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Over #AAPI Month, @GLSEN's National Student Council members used their instagram to share the queer API icons who've made an impact on their lives. Check out these icons here: <https://bit.ly/2WNIg9> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

What the West can learn from Southeast Asia's Transgender Heritage: Being trans "is not a modern development at all, it should retain no whiff of a mere modern innovation or novelty." <https://bit.ly/2MnyDNJ> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@TheQueerAsia is a network of queer identifying scholars, academics, activists, artists and performers. Their annual conference #QA2019 will be held in London in July! Learn more about the network and how to join here: <https://bit.ly/2M785Q7> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

So excited to see Taiwan become the first Asian country to legalize same sex marriage! What a huge win! <https://n.pr/30qGxwW> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

COVID #QAAPI Resources

COVID-19 has resulted in xenophobic hate crimes across the country. Asian Americans Advancing Justice (AAAJ) has compiled a list of resources to respond to experiences of discrimination: <https://bit.ly/3c3iY1z> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The Southeast Asian Resource Action Center (@SEARAC) is regularly updating a list of COVID-19 rapid response resources that are culturally tailored for Cambodian, Laotian, and Vietnamese American communities <https://bit.ly/2ZDMSY1> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

South Asian Americans Leading Together (@SAALTweets) houses a comprehensive list of COVID-19 resources for South Asians, including translations: <https://bit.ly/2ZBqhuX> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The Association of Asian Pacific Health Organizations (@AAPCHOTweets) houses a list of medically and culturally tailored information on COVID-19 for AAPI communities: <https://bit.ly/36oQsXh> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

@QueeringDesi has graciously compiled a page of resources, places to donate, things to read, and more to help support communities during COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/3eelKCJ>
#QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

@EqualityLabs has developed a multilingual community health guide for South Asians to help disseminate safe and accurate information about COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/2ysVCor> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

@EqualityLabs has created an evolving COVID-19 resource guide with resources for disabled, queer, elderly, Asian, and indigenous people: <https://bit.ly/3cZZi05> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The organization @them details some of the specific challenges of queer communities during COVID-19 and offers concrete steps for navigating this pandemic: <https://bit.ly/2WVZuYx> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The National Center for Transgender Equality has created a guide for trans individuals during COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/3d0RWt4> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

In collaboration with therapists from @TrevorProject, them. created a list of tips for quarantining in a non LGBTQ+ accepting environment: <https://bit.ly/2XkpsnC> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The California Department of Public Health's guide on COVID-19 for people living with HIV: <https://bit.ly/2WXoWNc> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Butterfly Asian and Migrant Sex Workers Support Network and Maggie's Toronto Sex Workers Action Project (@MaggiesToronto) have put together a guide on Sex Work and COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/2ZAdF7k> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The National LGBT Cancer Network (@cancerLGBT) has important resources, information, and shareable content for LGBTQIA+ folks during COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/36sML2K> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

#QAAPI Solidarity

All our liberations are tied together - and as a queer Asian organization, we know that our very existence is firmly rooted in the history of Black activism.
#QAAPISForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

Our ability to ask for visibility during this Day of Visibility only exists because of Black Americans who spent their lives dedicated to liberation. #QAAPIDay
#QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM

With that knowledge, we urge folks who are able to donate to:

- Donate to the MN Bail Fund: <https://bit.ly/2Bfy5Zk> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- Donate to Reclaim the Block: <https://bit.ly/2TShYay> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- Donate to Black Visions Collective: <https://bit.ly/2Moepox> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- Donate to Louisville Bail Fund: <https://bit.ly/3euXVXy> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- Donate to North Star Health Collective: <https://bit.ly/2XdAxb5> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- Donate to the Bukit Bail Fund: <https://bit.ly/2XKIHIs> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay
- Split a donation to “orgs fighting against racism and police brutality”:
<https://bit.ly/3eABEYj>

SA4BL lists 5 allyship actions Asians can take to show up for the Black community (@southasians4blacklives): <https://bit.ly/2XNPkZs> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

South Asian Sexual & Mental Health Alliance (@SASMHA) lays out tips for confronting anti-Blackness in South Asian communities: <https://bit.ly/3dgLwGw> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

“Minnesota Freedom Fund pays criminal bails and immigration bond for those who can’t afford to as we seek to end discriminatory, coercive, and oppressive jailing.” Please consider donating, if you are able: <https://bit.ly/3ewnKq3> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

If you are able, donate to Reclaim the Block, which “organizes Minneapolis community and city council members to move money from the police department into other areas of the city’s budget that truly promote community health and safety”: <https://bit.ly/2TShYay> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

Consider donating to the Black Visions Collective - an organization that “believes in a future where all Black people have autonomy, safety is community-led, and are in [the] right relationship within our ecosystems.” <https://bit.ly/36FCAYM> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

The Black Lives Matter movement has put together a guide for educators to help address racial justice and treatment of Black Americans: <https://bit.ly/2XGHRVB> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

Consider purchasing *Teaching For Black Lives* from the publisher to show solidarity with the BLM movement and learn more about fostering educational dialogue around racial justice: <https://bit.ly/36JJjAX> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

Anti-Blackness in South Asian communities is inextricably linked to Casteism. Check out tips from @equalitylabs for how to confront these two oppressive and related systems: <https://bit.ly/2XfD5Wd> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

The 1965 Immigration and Nationality Act was passed in the aftermath of the Civil Rights Act. As Asian Americans, we owe our civil rights to the centuries-long struggle led by Black Americans: <https://bit.ly/3djNohz> #QAAPIsForBlackLives #BLM #QAAPIDay

COVID #QAAPI Donations

Asian-Americans for Housing and Environmental Justice is raising money for their mutual aid network: <https://bit.ly/2Zu0B3v> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

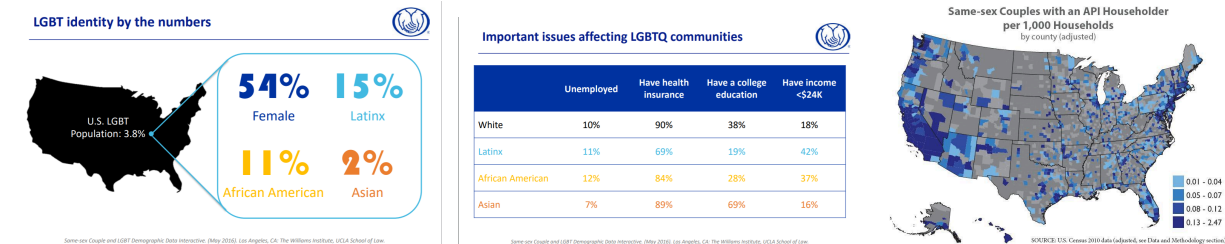
The Fund for Trans Generations has created a COVID-19 specific relief fund for trans communities: <https://bit.ly/2Xubr6M> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Point of Pride’s COVID-19 relief fund for trans communities: <https://bit.ly/36rWICU> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The Radical Muslim Mutual Aid fund is continuing to take donations to help support low-income Muslims impacted by COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/3efyLMk> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The Utopia Alliance is raising COVID-19 relief money for queer and trans Pacific Islanders in Washington State: <https://bit.ly/2ZzddadY> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

#QAAPI Stats/Demographics



We would have more accurate data and representation of ALL of our intersections if data for AAPIs was disaggregated. This is ESPECIALLY important for our #QAAPI community. #DisaggregateData #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@AAPIData is a great resource for not just #QAAPI data and resources, but for all disaggregated #AAPI data! Check out their work on #QAAPIs: <https://bit.ly/2W9FaTW> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

#QAAPIs make up 2.8% of all AAPIs in the country, but only 1.6% of all funding per person in the US. Source: @williamspolicy <https://bit.ly/30g147n> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@williamspolicy: #QAAPI individuals experience psychological distress at rates more than four times higher than their straight AAPI counterparts — higher than any other racial or ethnic group, LGBTQ+ or straight. <https://bit.ly/30g147n> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@williamspolicy: 25 percent of #QAAPI individuals experience psychological distress, 4x higher than straight AAPI counterparts: <https://bit.ly/30g147n> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

@williamspolicy: ~60% of #QAAPI funding (\$1M) was to advance civil rights. Only \$50K was to support immigration issues despite the fact that 35% of documented LGBT adult immigrants are of AAPI descent. <https://bit.ly/30g147n> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

2% of all LGBTQ+ people in the US are Asian. Of LGBTQ+ AAPIs, 7% are unemployed, only 89% have health insurance, 69% have a college education, and 16% have an income less than \$24,000. Read more here: <https://bit.ly/2W3Rc15> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI #QAAPIDay

The 2015 US Transgender Survey - a Report on the Experiences of Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Respondents: <https://bit.ly/2Vw9vb0> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

#QAAPI History

The Compton Cafeteria Riots of 1966 was the first major LGBTQ+ struggle against police brutality. The insurrection catalyzed a new wave of advocacy and organization among the LGBTQ+ community, particularly for trans poc. #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay #QAAPI

When a fight between patrons of Compton's Cafeteria, many of whom were trans POC's, and police officers erupted - Tamara Ching, a trans, Asian-American woman was an important part of the community that fought back: <https://n.pr/2GWxDRJ> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay #QAAPI

@NatIParkService: "#QAAPI's have also played central roles in what many political scientists mark as the two most important issues in gay politics of the 21st century—the repeal of "Don't Ask Don't Tell" and the fight for marriage equality." <https://bit.ly/2HrZLtm> #QueerAndAsian

#QAAPI Dan Choi handcuffed himself to the White House fence in 2010 to protest the "Don't Ask Don't Tell" law. Thanks @NatIParkService for compiling this important history! <https://bit.ly/2HrZLtm> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

#QAAPI organizing has consistently occurred at the intersection of race & sexuality, even as mainstream LGBTQ+ movement attempts to erase the significance of their race in what many Americans believe to be a post-racial America. <https://bit.ly/2HrZLtm> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Ifti Nasim: a Pakistani poet, HIV Activist, & co-founder of Sangat & the first South Asian LGBTQ+ organization in the US. In 1996, he was inducted into the Chicago LGBT Hall of Fame for his contributions to the #QAAPI community: <https://bit.ly/2Hkqr0d>. #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



Listen to scholar @kareempuff's oral history interview with Ifti Nasim about his experience creating Sangat, one of the first South Asian LGBTQ+ organizations in the United States, in @SAADAonline's archives: <https://bit.ly/3d5fkG6>

South Asia's third-gender communities existed before the British and will a l w a y s continue to kick ass. Learn more about one of these vibrant communities and their long history of resilience: <https://nyti.ms/2sDkExp> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Dominic D'Souza was a crucial part of HIV activism and creating safe spaces for gay men to receive medically accurate, queer affirming information in India. Read more about his legacy here: <https://bit.ly/2WWdqBY> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

In 1987, the Gay Asian Pacific Alliance began publishing Lavender Godzilla, a zine addressing queer Asian issues. #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



In 1979, the Queer Asian Pacific Islander Alliance (QAPA) was formed in Boston, MA. It is the oldest #QAAPI community organization in the United States:

<https://bit.ly/2A2xMAo> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

#QAAPI Icons

“Girls like girls like boys do” is such a #mood, @HayleyKiyoko! Thanks so much for being such a #QAAPI icon! <https://bit.ly/1eNL6c7> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



@BD_Wong on coming out in Hollywood and the power in being yourself <https://bit.ly/2GSx006> Such a powerful #QAAPI story. #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



Ocean Vuong is a critically acclaimed queer Vietnamese refugee poet and essayist. Their debut novel is a shattering portrait of a family, a first love, and the redemptive power of storytelling. Get it here: <https://bit.ly/2E9Qzcl> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



Nik Dodani is a queer desi comedian. Catch his HILARIOUS segment on the Colbert Show here: <https://bit.ly/30qeugS> “Dad, I’m gay.” “That’s fantastic, Nik! But isn’t it pronounced lawyer?” 😂😂😂 #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Champion of Change and candidate for Lt. Governor of Hawaii Kim Coco Iwamoto (@votekimcoco) is serious #inspo. #goals #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian



Activist Cecilia Chung (@cecilia_c_chung) is has consistently demonstrated excellent advocacy work on behalf of LGBTQ+ rights, HIV/AIDS awareness, and social justice. #GOALS #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian <https://bit.ly/2HyGy9f>



In love with Eugene (@EugeneLeeYang)? So are we! #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian <https://bit.ly/2YrUiJY>



@GeorgeTakei. Need we say more? #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Vivek Shraya (@vivekshraya): queer, trans, desi, musician, author of “I’m Afraid of Men.” Girl, so are we. Check her out! <https://bit.ly/2Q6Xdos> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Chella Man (@chellamanart) is deaf, queer, Jewish, asian, transgender, a model, and an artist. We stand in awe. <https://bit.ly/2WgNjqr> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Check out this interview with Jin Xing, one of China's most prominent transgender figures! <https://bbc.in/2PM035a> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Meet Gazal Dhaliwal (@gazalstune), the amazing trans writer of Ek Ladki Ko Dekha Toh Aisa Laga and Lipstick Under My Burkha! #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI <https://bit.ly/2HpYWmc>

Is there anything sweeter than a mango lassi? Yes! Manghoe Lassi! Check out @alokvmenon’s interview with @_humzer for @them! <https://bit.ly/2Z3MONI> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI



Raveena is an openly bisexual Sikh singer-songwriter who produces the kind of soft bops that make you want to stare nostalgically out a train window. Check out her NPR Tiny Desk concert here: <https://bit.ly/2LXfgvU> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

Fine as hell and real as fuck; @demonaddyofficial serves as the HOTTEST demon around! #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

KaMani Sutra (@kamani_sutra_) is the FIERCEST #telugay around!!! We’re always so awed by her! #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

Lana Patel (@lanapatelxoxo) is an indo caribbean trans advocate, activists, influencer and performer in the Los Angeles area. Lana Patel is a lover of all things bollywood and expresses that love through dance. #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

Polly A. Maury and Aloysius D are two sides of the same coin, but whichever way you flip it, you're gonna have an amazing time with @polloyicious! #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

That's not JUST a gem, that's @masalasapphire, with spicy flair and incredible style! #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

#QAAPI Media

We were so excited to welcome Commanding Officer Hikaru Sulu to the #QAAPI family in #StarTrekBeyond! #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

If you're in #QAAPI circles, you've probably heard about the INCREDIBLE epic Ek Ladki Ko Dekha Toh Aisa Lega @eklkdtalfilm - the FIRST Bollywood to feature a lesbian #QAAPI romance. Do yourself a favor and watch it on Netflix: <https://bit.ly/2YBjNsp> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



Our favorite show currently - featuring LEGEND @IamSandraOh playing Eve Polastri, who's falling for Villanelle, played by @JodieComer - which. Girl, we get it. #KillingEve #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI

Alex Landi brings Grey's Anatomy its first gay male surgeon and #QAAPI story, Dr. Nico Kim - learn about how he got into acting here: <https://bit.ly/2W3K5pl> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian



Shadowhunters features a relationship between Magnus Bane (played by @HarryShumJr), a gay Asian warlock, and Alex Lightwood, and we're all crying at the wedding scene: <https://bit.ly/2HIC06e> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPI #QAAPIDay

We fell so hard when Minh Thu and Truc Nhu found love with each other on The Bachelor: Vietnam. "I already found what I was looking for and it's waiting for me at home." 🥹🥹🥹 <https://bit.ly/2O2odTs> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

#Iconic #Korrasami #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian



The Brooke Bond Red Label 6 Pack Band @The6PackBand makes us so happy! Check out India's first transgender band's debut single, "Hum Hain Happy!" <https://bit.ly/1Z55GVb> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

If you haven't already, you need to watch the trailer for "The Half of It," a Netflix movie about an Asian-American lesbian living in a small town. Just a warning, you might cry: <https://bit.ly/3efpqEI> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Check out the trailer for SheerQorma, a movie about queer Muslim women navigating their identities - we can't wait to watch it! <https://bit.ly/2zrn8ml>

Check out the trailer for Shubh Mangal Zyada Saadavan, @Smzsofficial, another queer film to make it to the big screen in Bollywood! <https://bit.ly/3c3oTDP> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

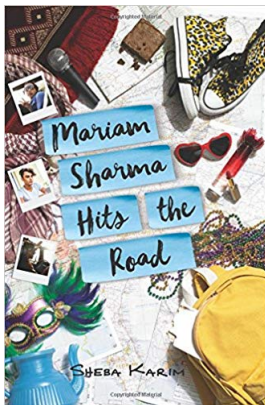
#QAAPI Books

Summer reading list, anyone? 17 Books by Queer Asian American authors: <https://bit.ly/2Ec52Ex> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

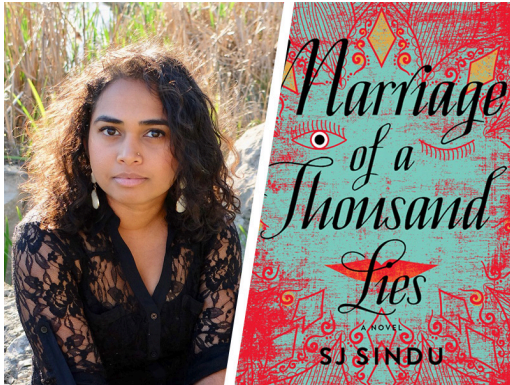
You can never have too many #QAAPI reads! Here are 8 more for your reading pleasure: <https://bit.ly/2VGmlZi> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

A fan of comic books? So are we! It's hard to find #QAAPI comics sometimes, but @QueerComicsDB has come through for us here - check out this database of #QAAPI comics: <https://bit.ly/30qJBcv> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Mariam Sharma Hits the Road is a fun YA novel featuring Mariam, looking for the dad she never knew, Umar, looking for self acceptance, and Ghazala, looking for a place to belong. <https://n.pr/2E9N31w> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



@SJSindu weaves a powerful narrative about the intricacies of living as both Sri-Lankan Tamil and LGBTQ+ in Marriage of a Thousand Lies, where two best friends fake a marriage in order to appease their parents: <https://bit.ly/2LSMuPM> #QAAPIDay #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian



Where were you when you first heard DarkMatter's poetry? Janani Balasubramanian and @AlokVMenon's poetry still hits just as hard the fifth, sixth, or thousandth time, in our opinion: <https://bit.ly/2efpKGH> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Acclaimed poet Ocean Vuong's debut novel "On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous", a beautiful story about the author's childhood as a queer refugee, was long-listed for the 2019 National Book Award! <https://bit.ly/2zuj314> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay



Looking for more queer South Asian fiction? Check out these ten books recommended by @QueeringDesi's host @thepriyaarora: <https://bit.ly/2WYJ2a0> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

#QAAPI Resources

Masterlist of Resources for Queer Muslims: <https://bit.ly/2HpDQ63> #QAAPI #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

The South Asian American Digital Archive (@SAADAOnline) has dedicated a section of their online archive to LGBTQ+ South Asian history: <https://bit.ly/36vnvsG>!

@GLAAD's resource kit provides guidelines for coverage, terminology, and contact info for #QAAPI organizations for a more inclusive, fair, and balanced coverage of our community. Check it out here: <https://bit.ly/2YBkxxH> #QueerAndAsian #QAAPIDay

Scholarship alert! AAPI lesbian, bisexual, or queer women or transgender individuals pursuing technical/professional training or an undergraduate/graduate degree. Apply here: <https://bit.ly/1aFY6X3> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Looking for grant money for your next big #QAAPI project? Consider @AAPIP's LGBT Giving Circle: <https://bit.ly/2JJebIk> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

If you need community where you live, check out this list of @NQAPIA's member organizations: <https://bit.ly/2Yv4C3O> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Mental health is so important, especially in our communities! Here's some #QAAPI specific resources from @AAPAonline: <https://bit.ly/2qp2Q4J> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Can never have too many #QAAPI resources! Here's some more from the University of Arizona: <https://bit.ly/2EckQCq> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

Resources for transgender people and their allies from SALGA: <https://bit.ly/30p7TUb> #QAAPI #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

An annotated bibliography of Books DVDs, and Internet Resources of #QAAPIs from @ALALibrary: <https://bit.ly/2HIYZPz> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

In the Bay Area? Check out these resources for #QAAPIs folks from Bay Wellness Coaching: <https://bit.ly/2WZLaOA> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

@APIprideproject is creating a wonderful and open virtual space for #QAAPIs and allies. Check out some of their projects and see how you can get involved: <https://bit.ly/3gf243H> #QAAPIDay #QueerAndAsian

The Visibility Project is a stunning archive of the Queer Asian American Women & Trans* community. Check out some of their powerful stories: <https://bit.ly/3glUOCT>
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