

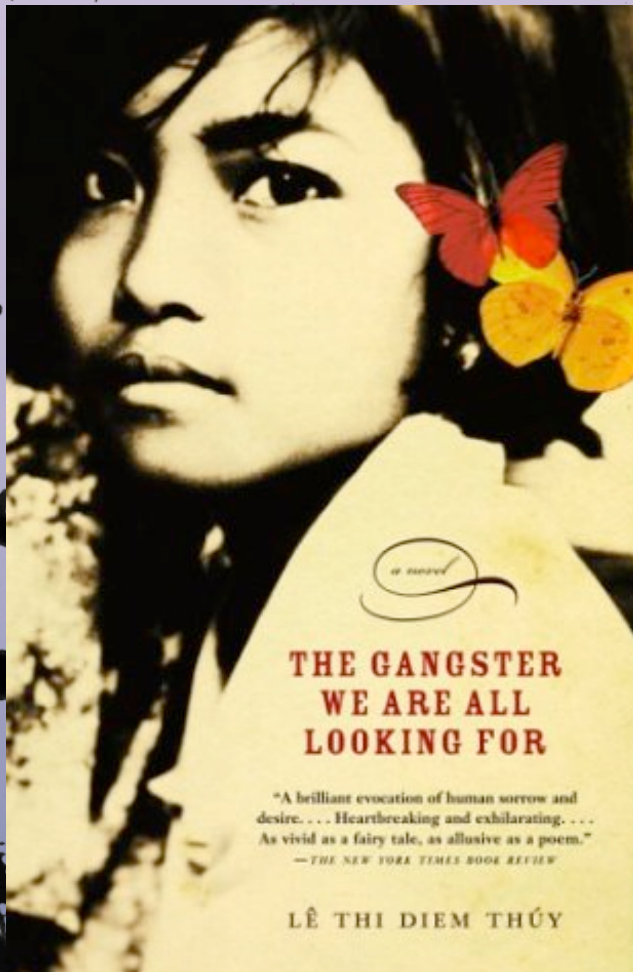
Asian American Culture & Identity

Ethnic Studies 122

Tu/Th 2:00pm – 4:50 pm

Location: HSS 1106A

Session I: June 30 – August 2



This course examines Asian American cultural expressions in literature, art, film, the Internet and other popular venues to understand the social experiences that helped forge Asian American culture and identity.

Through various means of popular culture, we will investigate the construction and negotiations of three enduring key concepts: Orientalism, the Model Minority, and the Refugee Figure. Our task is to deconstruct the meanings associated with each concept and tell new stories about what it means to be Asian Americans.

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