

ASIAN AMERICAN FILM THING

With special guest, <u>ASIAN AF</u>!

Hosted by founder Angel Yau and Kate Moran.

Saturday August 20th, 2022 at 7:00PM - <u>BUY TICKETS HERE</u> - <u>SUBMIT HERE</u>

Littlefield Performance and Art Space, 635 Sackett Street, Brooklyn, NYC

The long-running AAPI short film festival, ASIAN AMERICAN FILM THING, is screening on August 20, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the renowned Littlefield performance space in Brooklyn, NYC. This August's show will be hosted by founder, producer and comedian **Angel Yau** (BBC, Story Collider, Award-winning filmmaker, AzN PoP!) and producer/comedian **Kate Moran** (Asian Comedy Fest, Yahoo)

The mission of this event is to have a safe space for AAPI filmmakers to voice their stories and receive meaningful feedback on both new work and works-in-progress. Says show founder Angel Yau, "We want to focus on shorts that show Asian- Americans as the main characters, as the voice, as someone that Hollywood usually never portrays us in." See TimeOut NY feature here.

The evening will also include brief introductions by the filmmakers themselves and several live performances. Featuring performances by: <u>Juicy Liu</u>, <u>Kurt Cruz</u> and improv from <u>Asian AF</u>!



ABOUT THE HOSTS:

Angel Yau is a comedian, storyteller, actor, and filmmaker from Queens, New York. She started her comedy career (unintentionally) in high school when she ran for school council. From then she knew how to laugh at herself. She founded "Asian American Film Thing", and "Shoes off, Mouth off" an all AAPI storytelling show. She is also proudly in the musical comedy group, AzN PoP! Angel's festival-winning stop-motion animations are where she explores her childhood in comedic but heartfelt ways dealing with solitude, rejection, and alienation. Angel was recently featured in a BBC short documentary on being a comedian dealing with mental health. www.angelyau.com

Kate Moran is a Korean American producer, director, writer, and comedian with experience working in casting, talent representation, sketch comedy, programming, production and more. She is a founder and exec producer of Asian Comedy Fest, the longest running NYC-based international comedy fest dedicated to uplifting and supporting the AAPI community; VP of Nasty Women Unite Fest, a non-profit arts festival benefiting the ACLU; producer/co-host of The Witchcast Podcast, combining comedy and witch culture; founder of The Revolution comedy show, showcasing the best women and non-binary comics in NYC; and currently a full-time video producer for Yahoo. See more at www.kmoproductions.com