

# Writing (and Teaching) Family Histories: A Workshop with Anand Pandian

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Professor Pandian has written a book with his grandfather about his journey from Burma, to India, and to the United States. He will lead a workshop about how to employ family histories to teach about the world history and culture of global diasporas.

*The workshop is sponsored by the Yandunandan Center for India Studies. It will take place on February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019, from 5:00-7:00PM in the Anatol Center on the campus of CSULB. If you are interested in participating, please RSVP to: [indiastudies@csulb.edu](mailto:indiastudies@csulb.edu)*



Anand Pandian teaches anthropology at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, MD. He is the author of several books including *Ayya's Accounts: A Ledger of Hope in Modern India* (2014), which he wrote together with his grandfather M. P. Mariappan in both Tamil and English. *Ayya's Accounts* won a Victor Turner Prize in Ethnographic Writing from the American Anthropological Association in 2014, and has been featured by National Public Radio, the Los Angeles Review of Books, *India Abroad*, *The Hindu*, and many other venues.