CELEBRATING KOREAN WRITER

HAN KANG

2024 NOBEL PRIZE IN LITERATURE LAUREATE

MODERATOR: CHUNGMOO CHOI, PROFESSOR, EAST ASIAN STUDIES

Friday, October 25 11:30-1:30pm @ HG1030

*Lunch provided

Han Kang is the first South Korean writer, the first Asian woman, and the eighteenth woman to win the Nobel Prize in Literature. In this luncheon event, we will catch a glimpse of her—albeit on tape—sharing her thoughts and views of her writings as she spoke at the UCI CCKS conference earlier this year. Speakers at the event will introduce her prize-winning novels such as The Vegetarian (2016 Man Booker International Prize) and Human Acts (2017 Malaparte Prize of Italy). Reading and discussing parts from Han's poetic prose, The White Book (2016) as well as Greek Lessons (2011) will be an added feature. There will be a display of her novels both in Korean original and in English translation including the Korean original of the soon to appear in English as We Do Not Part (2024 Médicis Prize of France).





