

# PORTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY 2017 MEET THE AUTHOR SERIES

April 12, 2017  
Time: 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

**Trami Nguyen Cron** will speak to us about her book *VietnamEazy: A Novel About Mothers, Daughters, and Food*. Trami was born in Saigon, Vietnam, and when she was eight years old left Vietnam with her family for France. Three years later, they settled in the United States.

Trami, a longtime resident of Northern California, is the founder of Chopsticks Alley, an international foodie group promoting restaurants and hosting events for members while raising funds to support homeless kids in the Silicon Valley. She is a successful entrepreneur, having started numerous businesses in Northern California, and serves as the philanthropy director for the Miss Vietnam of Northern California Intercollegiate Pageant.



When asked why she wanted to author a book about the Vietnamese experience, Trami responded, “I wanted to write about all that is beautiful and unique about Vietnam from its culture to its food. I want to share stories about the people of Vietnam that have nothing to do with the Vietnam War.”

You can learn more about Trami by visiting her website [www.vietnameazy.com](http://www.vietnameazy.com) or reading a interview by [WALLACE BAINÉ | Santa Cruz Sentinel](http://www.mercurynews.com/2016/06/30/a-treasured-heritage-reclaimed/)

These programs are informal coffee hours where local authors discuss their works, answer questions, and autograph their books. They are free of charge and open to the public. Coffee will be provided by The Ugly Mug. For further information call 475-3326

We are located at 3050 Porter Street, Soquel. Parking is available behind the library. Enter from Soquel Drive into the Bagelry parking lot and drive through to the left.

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