# SEATTLE ARTS & LECTURES ANNOUNCES THE ADDITION OF BOOK CLUBS TO 2024/25 SEASON

## Featuring SAL Book Clubs for C Pam Zhang and Kevin Kwan.

**Seattle, WA—NOV 12, 2024**: Today, Seattle Arts & Lectures (SAL) announced the addition of the SAL Book Club, a new program to their 2024/25 Season.

In Spring 2025, SAL will host two guided book club discussions, leading up to two SAL events featuring authors C Pam Zhang, author of *Land of Milk and Honey*, and Kevin Kwan, author of *Lies and Weddings*.

Whether participants are brand new to C Pam Zhang or Kevin Kwan's writing or long-time fans, they can join other readers for two guided book club discussions, led by Seattle writer and teaching artist Amy Hirayama, then meet up for the SAL event.

All book club packages include:

- A copy of the associated book, shipped to the attendee's door.
- Two facilitated book club meetings.
- One ticket to the SAL event.

### C Pam Zhang Book Club Package (In-Person Only)

- In-person book club meetings: April 2 & April 23, 2025, 7-8:30 PM, at Charlie's Queer Books.
- A copy of Land of Milk and Honey is included.
- A ticket to Seattle Arts & Lectures' event with C Pam Zhang on May 8, 2025, at Town Hall Seattle.

#### Kevin Kwan Book Club Package (In-Person & Online Options)

- In-person book club meetings: April 24 & May 15, 2025, 7 8:30 PM, at Elliott Bay Book Company.
- OR Online book club meetings: May 10 & May 22, 2025, 7 8:30 PM, on Zoom.
- A copy of Lies and Weddings is included.
- A ticket to Seattle Arts & Lectures event with Kevin Kwan on May 29, 2025, at Benaroya Hall.

#### **Pricing Information**

All prices include a copy of the associated book, two facilitated book club meetings, and one ticket to the SAL event.

- Pay It Forward Price \$250
- Suggested Price \$150

Hosting bookstores will also have a number of complimentary book club packages for their distribution.

Book Club Packages are available online at <u>lectures.org</u> or by phone at 206.621.2230 x10.

About Seattle Arts & Lectures: Founded in 1987, Seattle Arts & Lectures cultivates transformative experiences through story and language with readers and writers of all generations. SAL's programs include the Literary Arts Series, Community Curated Series, Encore Series, Poetry Series, Meet Cute Series, SAL Presents, Murmurations, Summer Book Bingo, the Youth Poetry Fellowship (YPF) program, and Writers in the Schools (WITS). For more information about SAL, visit <a href="Lectures.org">Lectures.org</a>.

Speaker photos available upon request.