

Annotated Bibliography

Erika Lee and Judy Jung, *Angel Island: Immigrant Gateway*. (New York: Oxford University Press, 2010) These authors collected stories of many immigrants from different nations who went through Angel Island. The book examines the great diversity of United States immigration policy in Angel Island. They cover examples of immigrants from China, Japan, Russia, Jews, Korea, Filipinos and Mexican families. Throughout the book one learn a great deal women's experience in Angel Island.

Judy Yung, "A Bowlful of Tears" Revisited: The Full Story of Lee Puey You's Immigration Experience at Angel Island", *Journal of Women Studies*, Vol. 25, No. 1 (2004), pp1-22. This the story of Chinese women who was detained in Angel Island for almost two years. This is perhaps a well documented story because there were many documents left behind from the time when she was detained. Lee was also interviewed by Judy Yung, the author of *Angel Island: Immigrant Gateway*. And she was also interviewed for a film in 1975. The story takes different directions each time she was interviewed, an important warning to historians in using oral evidence.

Paul Lauter, "Teaching History through Immigration Stories", *OAH Magazine of History*, v13 n2 (Winter, 1999) p10-13. This article provides strategies of using stories in a history class.

Rita G. Koman, "Ellis Island: The Immigrants' Experience", *OAH Magazine of History*, Vol. 13, No. 4 The Gilded Age (Summer, 1999), pp31-37. Many articles and books covered in this research has to do with immigrant experience in Angel Island, here is one article that provides stories and shed lights on Ellis Island immigrant experience. After you read this article, one becomes aware that at the general level Angel Island was following similar procedures that were applied in Ellis Island.

Robert Barde and Gustavo J. Bobonis, Detention at Angel Island: First Empirical Evidence, *Social Science History* 2006 Volume 30, No. 1: pp103-136. This article contains statistics of immigrants that went through Angel Island from 1910 to 1940.

Robert Eric Barde, *Immigration at the Golden Gate: Passenger Ships, Exclusion, and Angel Island*, (Connecticut: Praeger Publishers, 2008). Just like Judy Yung spend a lot of time researching a Chinese woman Lee Puey You, Barde's book focus on another Chinese woman and spends half of the book looking at primary source documents that brings the story of Quoke Shee alive. He analyzed transcripts of lengthy interrogations of Quoke Shee who was detained at Angel Island for 20 months. He shares a different perspective of Asian immigration history.

Roger Daniels, "No Lamps Were Lit for Them: Angel Island and the Historiography of Asian American Immigration", *Journal of American Ethnic History* Vol. 17, No. 1, Fall, 1997

Vincent J. Cannato, *American Passage: The History of Ellis Island*, (New York: Harper Collins Publishers, 2009). Cannato's book covers the history of Ellis Island and the U.S. immigration policies between 1892 and 1954. Cannato's approach of Ellis Island is different from many historians in that he ties U.S. immigration policies changes during the early twentieth century to Progressive Movement.

Websites

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l5I10diAjGc&feature=related> (This short video clip gives a quick history and the general background of Angel Island)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5rz5whByOts&feature=related> (This short video clip gives a quick history and the general background of Angel Island)

<http://www.aiisf.org/mediat/132-press-releases> (The Angel Island Immigration Station Foundation Executive Director, Eddie Wong was featured on *National Public Radio's* show "Tell Me More" on February 16, 2009. You can hear him talk with host Michel Martin about the significance of the Immigration Station as a national symbol of Pacific Immigration)

<http://www.aiisf.org> (The Angel Island Immigration Station Foundation has posted many Angel Island stories and short films on their web site, under "Immigrant Voices." You can also read the Poetry on Barrack Walls from this website)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YgBrZNUR2H0> (This is youtube short documentary about Soto Shee, a story of a Chinese woman who attempted suicide after she lost a baby while detained in Angel Island.)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vuXmeOqXsZo&feature=related> (This is story of a Filipino immigrant, Felipe who was coming from Philippines, a U.S. national, he did not have a problem in entering U.S. His story gives us another perspective of how United States treated immigrants differently in Angel Island)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vflhNeamujQ&feature=related> (Interview with Harmon Wong-Woo who was arrived in Angel Island and was detained in 1938. He was 15 years old at the time. This interview provide a children perspective about the experience in Angel Island)

<http://www.immigrationlawyers.net/48-ellis-island-immigrant-stories/> (This website contains 48 Ellis Island Immigrant individual stories)

<http://library.thinkquest.org/20619/Eihist.html> (This will help you with history and the general background of Ellis Island)