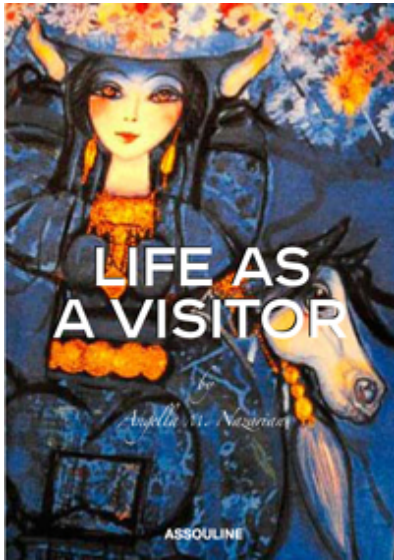


Writer Angella Nazarian reads from "Life as a Visitor" at the Ransom Center

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— Cover of Angella Nazarian's 'Life As a Visitor'

Writer Angella M. Nazarian reads from "Life as a Visitor," her account of fleeing Iran with her family and life as an immigrant caught between two cultures at 7 p.m., Tuesday, April 20, at the [Harry Ransom Center](#). A book signing follows. This program will be [webcast live](#).

Forced to flee to the United States at age 11 after the violent Iranian Revolution of 1979, Nazarian talks about her journey from past to present, from the exotic to the familiar and from a country's political struggle to her own inner struggle in search of home, family and a sense of belonging.

Nazarian is a professor of psychology and facilitates adult personal development workshops. She is an avid traveler, photographer and art enthusiast and has integrated these passions into her writing and her contributions to the Huffington Post and other publications.

This program is co-sponsored by the [Schusterman Center for Jewish Studies](#) at The University of Texas at Austin.

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