


# THURSDAY MAY 24<sup>TH</sup> • 7 PM • FILM SCREENING AND PANEL

## HAINES HALL 220 375 Portola Plaza, UCLA



*A regime that could destroy civilization.  
You think you know... but you don't.*

**A FILM OF A TALK BY  
BOB AVAKIAN:  
THE  
TRUMP/PENCE REGIME  
MUST GO!**

**In The Name of Humanity  
We REFUSE To Accept  
a Fascist America**

**A Better World IS Possible**

**Bob Avakian is the most radical  
revolutionary on the planet and  
architect of a new communism.**

*How serious a threat does the Trump/Pence regime pose to humanity? Could fascism really happen here?*

*What is the character of the regime – is it fascist, and if it is, what are the implications?*

*What are the roots of this regime? Is it a terrible aberration, “more of the same”...or something quite different still?*

*What must be done to stop it? How?*

*Is a better world possible?*

**The screening of this hour-long talk from Bob Avakian will be followed by a panel discussion with:**

**Andy Zee**, a co-initiator of Refusefascism.org and spokesperson for Revolution Books, NYC  
**Juan Gómez-Quiñones**, Professor of History, UCLA, and others to be announced

### Comments About the Film

“Avakian skillfully weaves together the unique challenge we confront with the very specific brand of American fascism... the white nationalist Christian fascism of Pence, together with a historical context of how we got here—while issuing a very specific call to action now because this is a true worldwide emergency.”

—Matthew Shipp, Musician and composer

“Bob Avakian is a man living in truth. This man doesn’t blink. Avakian’s talk was so penetrating, convincing and compassionate... use this talk to deal with the fear factor, the apathy, the propaganda machine, the distraction and dumbing down to the max. Instead, refuse to live on the dark side and be focused on stopping this fascism.”

—Ernesto de la Loza, Street artist and muralist

“...Bob Avakian is a compelling advocate for real social change, and the more his voice and vision are exposed—and this film ... is a powerful vehicle—the more I’m convinced that others will feel a need to join him on the ramparts.”

—Herb Boyd, Author, journalist and activist

“...more important than a wake-up call, it’s a call to action... so we can fight, resist, organize, mobilize against this fascist regime that we have in the U.S.”

—Father Luis Barrios

This event is co-sponsored by The Bob Avakian Institute, Juan Gómez-Quiñones (Professor of History, UCLA), Bryonn Bain (Artist and Assistant Professor in Residence, African American Studies/World Arts & Cultures, UCLA), Dr. Reynaldo F. Macías (Chicana/o Studies, Education and Applied Linguistics, Affiliated Faculty in Afro-American Studies and in Civic Engagement, UCLA), Perry Hoberman (Associate Research Professor, USC School of Cinematic Arts), Robin Kelly (Distinguished Professor and Gary B. Nash Endowed Chair in U.S. History, UCLA), Art and Activist Alliance at UCLA, Revolution Club at UCLA and Refuse Fascism, Los Angeles.

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