

NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL CENTER



Home to Native American, Alaska Native, and
Native Hawaiian students, faculty, and staff

NAECC Newsletter

November 12, 2018

Natives Helping Natives

A new philanthropic initiative to provide assistance to Native American families in Indiana and to support efforts in tribal communities. Join us in the following campaigns:

Turkey Day Food Baskets - partnership with the American Indian Center of Indiana (AICI)

Food baskets will be gifted to Native American families that benefit from the AICI services. Donations will be collected at the NAECC or at NAECC sponsored events **until Friday, November 14, 2018**. Below is the list of non-perishable foods that can be donated:

- Boxed macaroni or Mac n Cheese boxes
- Velveeta cheese
- Canned green beans, corn, cranberry sauce, cream of mushroom soup, yams, or chicken broth
- Corn bread mix
- Stuffing, box or bag
- Gravy, jars or packets

Gently Used Childrens Books

Books will be donated to elementary schools on (or bordering) the Navajo Nation in New Mexico and will be gifted to students. Collection boxes are available at the NAECC **until Friday, December 14, 2018**

Gloves, Hats, and Scarves

Items will be donated to Native American elderly in assisted living facilities in New Mexico. Collection boxes are available at the NAECC **until Friday, December 14, 2018**

For more information, contact Felica Ahasteen-Bryant by email at felica@purdue.edu.



Please join us for lunch!

**NOV
13, 27**

Anytime from
Noon - 1:30 pm
for a warm bowl of soup
and great company

“SOUPER” TUESDAY at NAECC



NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL CENTER FILM SCREENING

A new four-part series from Providence Pictures premieres on PBS. Weaving history and science with living Indigenous traditions, the series brings to life a land of massive cities connected by social networks spanning two continents, with unique and sophisticated systems of science, art, and writing. Made with the active participation of Native American communities and filmed in some of the most spectacular locations in the hemisphere, *NATIVE AMERICA* illuminates the splendor of a past whose story has for too long remained untold.

Tues, October 23 • 6-7:30 pm • NAECC

Episode 1 - From Caves to Cosmos

Combine ancient wisdom and modern science to answer a 15,000-year-old question: Who were America's First People? The answer hides in Amazonian cave paintings, Mexican burial chambers, New Mexico's Chaco Canyon and waves off California's coast.

Tues, October 30 • 6-7:30pm • PFEN 241

Episode 2 - Nature to Nations

Explore the rise of great American nations, from monarchies to democracies. Investigate lost cities in Mexico, a temple in Peru, a potlatch ceremony in the Pacific Northwest and a tapestry of shell beads in upstate New York whose story inspired our own democracy.

Tues, November 6 • 6-7:30pm • PRCE 277

Episode 3 - Cities of the Sky

Discover the cosmological secrets behind America's ancient cities. Scientists explore some of the world's largest pyramids and 3D-scan a lost city of monumental mounds on the Mississippi River, native elders reveal ancient powers of the sky.

Tues, November 13 • 6-7:30pm • NAECC

Episode 4 - New World Rising

Discover how resistance, survival and revival are revealed through an empire of horse-mounted Comanche warriors, secret messages encoded in an Aztec manuscript and a grass bridge in the Andes that span mountains and centuries.

Co-sponsors: CILMAR, Office of Multicultural Program, College of Ag and Diversity Action Committee in Agriculture (DATA), Polytechnic Institute Office of Recruitment, Retention, and Diversity, and Science Diversity Office.



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NAECC Craft Circle with Linda Andrews

Thursday, November 15, 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Take part in this interactive arts and crafts session. Learn about gourds and how they are used in everyday life and in art with local Native artist Linda Andrews (Miami/Cherokee decent). Bring your creative energy for this stress reduction event and create two projects. Reservations required at [Eventbrite](#)



NAECC Indigenous Alumni Speakers Series presents RaeLynn Butler

Tuesday, November 27 | 3:00 – 4:30 pm | NAECC

This speaker series features distinguished Native American, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian Purdue alumni who are making outstanding contributions in Native American communities and accomplishments in their profession. RaeLynn Butler is from the Muscogee Creek Nation in Tulsa, Oklahoma, she received her bachelor's degree from Haskell Indian Nations University and her master's degree in Botany from the Botany and Plant Pathology Department, College of Agriculture. She currently serves as the Manager of the Historic and Cultural Preservation Department with the Muscogee Creek Nation.

Sponsored by: NAECC, in collaboration with SIGP Program.



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2018 NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

NATIVE AMERICA Film Series: Episode 1- *From Caves to Cosmos*

Tuesday, October 23rd | 6:00-7:30pm | NAECC

NATIVE AMERICA Film Series: Episode 2- *Nature of Nations*

Tuesday, October 30th | 6:00-7:30pm | PFEN 241

Native American Heritage Month Opening Celebration with Dana Warrington

Thursday, November 1st | 4:00-5:30pm | STEW 278

Native American Indian Days at the State Capitol

Friday, November 2nd | 9:30am-2:00pm | Indiana State Capitol, Indianapolis

NATIVE AMERICA Film Series: Episode 3- *Cities of the Sky*

Tuesday, November 6th | 6:00-7:30pm | PRCE 277

Lunch and Learn Series: *Tribal Futures-Nightmare or Rebirth?:*

The Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma Imagines 2028 presented by Dr. Tol Foster

Thursday, November 8th | Noon-1:00pm | NAECC

NATIVE AMERICA Film Series: Episode 4- *New World Rising*

Tuesday, November 13th | 6:00-7:30pm | TSS Conference Room

NAECC Craft Circle featuring Gourd Art with Artist Linda Andrews

Thursday, November 15th | 3:00-5:00pm | NAECC | registration required

NAECC and SIGP Indigenous Alumni Speaker Series presents Raelynn Butler

Tuesday, November 27 | 3:00-4:30pm | NAECC

MESA 15th Annual Multicultural Gathering, *Mother Earth & Father Sky: Environmental Justice, Food Security and Sexual Violence Prevention*

Wednesday, November 28th | 8:00am-5:00pm | Hendricks County Fairgrounds, Danville, IN

Purdue University Literary Reading Series presents Poet Natalie Diaz

Thursday, November 29th | 7:30pm | Krannert Auditorium

3rd Annual Native American Winter Art Market

Saturday, December 1st | Noon-4:00pm | NAECC

Co-Sponsors: Center for Intercultural Learning, Mentorship, Assessment, and Research (CILMAR) | Civic Engagement and Leadership Development (CELD) | College of Agriculture, Office of Multicultural Programs | Creative Writing Department | Diversity Action Team in Agriculture (DATA) | Diversity Resource Office (DRO) | Division of Diversity and Inclusion (DDI) | Etelorgj Museum, Indianapolis | Indiana Native American Indian Affairs Commission (INAIAC) | Multicultural Education to End Sexual Assault (MESA) | Native American and Indigenous Studies Program | Native American Student Association (NASA) | Polytechnic Institute Office of Recruitment, Retention and Diversity | Purdue AISES (American Indian Science and Engineering Society) | Science Diversity Office | Sloan Indigenous Graduate Partnership (SIGP) Program | University Residences



Events are open to the public.
For more information, call (765) 494-4540 or go to
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[For more information about events, click here](#)

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CAMPUS-WIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS

- [HIV/AIDS Awareness Week](#)
Mon, November 12 - Fri, November 16
See attachment for schedule of events
- [Susan Bulkeley Butler Center - Did You Know? Series](#)
Cultural Centers as Resources
Tues, November 13 | Noon - 1:30 pm | West Faculty Lounge, PMU
Please RSVP [here](#)
Speakers: Felica Ahasteen-Bryant, NAECC; Lowell Kane, LGBTQ; Florence Adibu, CILMAR Cultural Centers are deeply involved in facilitating mentoring and inclusion of students, staff, and faculty on campus especially under-represented minorities and enable intercultural learning opportunities for all Boilermakers. Each Center will provide an overview of what they do and the resources they provide. For instance, CILMAR mentors intercultural leaders, supports innovative scholarship and encourages best practices in teaching and learning and offer students mentorship, workshops and grant money for study abroad.
- [Mentoring in the Classroom](#)
Mentoring@Purdue Fall 2018 Workshop
Wednesday, November 14 | Noon - 1:00 pm | Pfendler Hall 241
- [Nothing About Us Without Us: Ed Roberts and the Disability Rights Movement](#)
Mon, November 19 | 6:30 - 8:30 pm | WALC 3148
This event will include a reflection on the life and impact of Ed Roberts, the father of the disability rights movement. We will also discuss the protests to legitimize section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the development of Centers for Independent Living, and current disability activist organizations.

PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AT PURDUE AND BEYOND

- [Purdue Graduate School Professional Development Workshop - Budgeting Basics](#)
Fri, November 16 | Noon - 1:00 pm
Budgets are like the New Year's resolutions of personal finance. We all know we should have one and we all know it's a fairly simple thing to follow—at least in theory. Like resolutions, we often map out personal budgets with the best of intentions, only to abandon them a couple of weeks later. Whether you're planning your first budget or re-evaluating your current budget, this workshop will set you up for success by changing the way you look at budgeting. It doesn't matter if you manage your budget on your smartphone or if you prefer good ol' pen and paper—these budgeting basics can be applied to every budgeting system. Brought to you by Purdue Federal Credit Union.
- [Purdue Graduate School Professional Development Workshop - Managing LinkedIn](#)
Fri, November 30 | Noon - 1:00 pm
This interactive workshop will help attendees develop a professional virtual presence by learning to manage LinkedIn! We will specifically discuss advanced strategies for using LinkedIn to enhance professional networks.

- [Purdue LSAMP Call for Applications](#)
2019 Spring Research Program
Application Deadline: November 20
- [Purdue AGEP Scholar Program](#)
Application Deadlines: November 15 for Spring Semester, April 15 for Summer, July 15 for Fall
- [Native American Natural Resource Research Scholarship](#)
Application Deadline: December 5
- [SAA Native American Scholarship](#)
Application Deadline: December 17, 20
- [Native American Congressional Internship 2019](#)
Application Deadline: January 31, 2019
- Raytheon is Hiring - [University programs](#), [Verteran jobs](#)
- [Faculty, Postdoctoral, Research Assistant Positions listed at ProfessorPositions.com](#)

COMMUNITY

- [Eiteljorg Artist in Residence: Dana Warrington \(Menominee/Prairie Band Potawatomi\)](#)
Sat, November 17 | 1:00 - 4:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis
Our artist in residence for November is Dana Warrington. He is an enrolled member of the Prairie Band of Potawatomi of Kansas and grew up on the Menominee Indian Reservation in Northern Wisconsin. Dana is a traditional artist whose many mediums include: beadwork, quillwork, bustle-making, moccasins and cradleboards. Dana won the Eiteljorg Indian Market & Festival Best of Show award in 2017. Visit with Dana and learn more about his art and traditions on two more Saturdays in November.

If you would like to include events and programs in the NAECC Newsletter, [click here](#)



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