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NAECC Newsletter

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April 10, 2018



NAECC Movie Night featuring Lake of Betrayal: Story of Kinzua Dam

Tuesday, April 10 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm | NAECC

Kinzua Dam, on the Allegheny River in Pennsylvania, was a flashpoint in history for the Seneca Nation of Indians. Completed in 1065, the dam was originally proposed to help mitigate flooding in Pittsburgh, almost 200 miles downriver, but the 27-mile reservoir that formed behind the Kinzua Dam inundated vast tracks of the Seneca Indians' ancestral lands, forcing their removal in breach of the United States' oldest treaty then in effect. Set against a backdrop of a federal Indian termination policy, pork-barrel politics, and undisclosed plans for private hydropower during the post WWII boom, "Lake of Betrayal" reveals an untold story from American history - a one-sided battle pitting an impoverished Native American nation against some of the strongest political, social and commercial forces in the country as they fought to protect their sovereignty. And although the imposed changes resulting from the dam cost the Seneca irreplaceable cultural losses, the Kinzua crisis became a turning point to more aggressively protect and exercise their sovereignty and build a strong Seneca Nation." – Toward Castle Films. 2017, Documentary, Not Rated. Run time: N/A

Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) at NAECC

Tuesday, April 10th and 24th 1:00 - 2:00 pm | NAECC

No appointment necessary. Stop by to talk to Greg or Laura about how your semester is going





SCHOLARSHIP DEVELOPMENT @ NAECC

March 22nd: 2-3 p.m. April 19th: 2-3 p.m. May 17th: 2-3 p.m.

What impact do you want to have on humanity? Find out if one of our fourteen scholarships is the next step in your development as a scholar.



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STRATEGIES TO ATTRACT AND SUPPORT URM GRADUATE STUDENTS

Thursday, April 19, 2018 Stewart Center, Room 202 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Lunch is included

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Effective recruitment and mentoring strategies for underrepresented minority (URM) graduate students are crucial for student success and for creating a more diverse and inclusive university. Workshop participants will learn about effective strategies from national experts, about the experiences of URM alumni, and about resources available to graduate students and mentors at Purdue.

This workshop is funded by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation and co-sponsored by the Purdue University Graduate School.

For more information on the Sloan Foundation, please visit their website: https://sloan.org/programs/higher-education

For more information on The Purdue University Graduate School diversity initiatives, please visit their website:

https://www.purdue.edu/gradschool/diversity/



Unfinished Business: National Contexts on URM Graduate Degree Attainment Presented by Dr. Hironao Okahana, Council of Graduate Schools

Utilizing Holistic Review Practices in Graduate Admissions Presented by Dr. Casey Miller, Rochester Institute of Technology

Academic Family: Reconceptualizing Mentoring for Graduate Students from Communities Historically Underrepresented in STEM Presented by Dr. Sweeney Windchief, Montana State University

The URM Graduate Student Experience at Purdue University: An Alumni Panel Featuring:

Dr. Adrienne Carter-Sowell, Texas A&M University; Dr. Vanessa Valentin, University of New Mexico; and Dr. Michele Yatchmeneff, University of Alaska Anchorage

Support Mechanisms that Facilitate Underrepresented Minority Graduate Student Success and Degree Completion at Traditionally White Institutions Presented by Dr. Levon Esters, Purdue University

Graduate School Programs to Attract and Support URM Graduate Students Presented by Dr. Linda Mason, Purdue University

SPECIAL PANEL DISCUSSION: Creating Connections Between Local Communities and Academia at the Intersections of Indigenous Knowledge and Western Science

Panelists:



Ángel A. García Jr. PhD Candidate Arizona State University

Dominique M. Davíd-Chavez PhD Candidate Colorado State University



Victor Maqque Tecumseh Postdoctoral Fellow Purdue University

Topics:

What is Indigenous knowledge? How is Indigenous knowledge used by different communities? Why should academic institutions of higher education respect Indigenous knowledge?

Date: Friday, April 20, 2018 Time: 2:30pm-3:30pm Location: Wilmeth Active Learning Center (WALC) 1121

This event will be live streamed and will also be available to view afterwards. Please contact Darryl Reano (<u>dreano@purdue.edu</u>) for more information.

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CAMPUS WIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Film Screening & Discussion: Stilettos for Shanghai Sponsored by LBGTQ Center Tues, April 10 | 6:30 pm | Krannert Auditorium
- Inclusive Philosophies Conference
 Keynote Speaker: Dr. Dale Turner, Assoc. Prof. of Government & Native American Studies, Dartmouth College
 Fri, April 13 & Sat, April 14
- <u>1 World Purdue</u>
 April 12, 13 and 14 | See flyer for various events
- <u>#Resist: Panel Discussion with the Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence</u> Sponsored by LBGTQ Center Wed, April 11 | 6:30 pm | Krannert Auditorium
- <u>AAARCC Lunch & Learn</u> Quenic: The beginning of an era Thurs, April 12 | Noon - 1:00 pm | AAARCC
- <u>The Challenge 5K Run/Walk</u>
 Sat, April 14 | 8:30 am | Ross-Ade Stadium, North End
- <u>Purdue Spring Fest</u>
 Saturday, April 14 and Sunday, April 15 | 10:00 am 4:00 pm
- New Directional Players Spring Production Sponsored by BCC Sat, April 14 | 7:00 pm | BCC
- AGEP Scholar Program
 - Application deadline April 15
- <u>2018 Interdisciplinary Social Just Seminar Series</u>
 A Convenient Untruth: System Justification and the Processing of Climate Change
 Tues, April 17 | 12:00 pm | Krannert G-002 | <u>RSVP</u> by April 11
- <u>The Trouble with My Name, A One-Man Show</u> with Javier Avila Sponsored by LCC
 Tues, April 17 | 7:30 pm | Mallet Theater, PAO Hall
- <u>Mentoring@Purdue Workshop Conflict Resolution</u> Wed, April 18 | Noon - 1:00 pm | Pfendler 241
- <u>Take Back the Night</u> A rally against sexual assault, domestic violence & gender based violence Thurs, April 19 | 6:30 pm | Slayter Hill
- <u>Academia and Human Rights in Afghanistan</u>
 Being a Peripatetic Philosopher: A Personal Journey Dr. Sayed Hassan Akhlaq
 Sat, April 21 | 5:00 pm | BRNG 1245
- Jahari Dance Troupe Spring Revue Sponsored by BCC Sat, April 21 | 7:00 pm | Loeb, STEW
- Dr. Nick Marino A Friend of Dorothy: The Queer Appeal and Rhetorical Legacy of the Wizard of Oz Sponsored by LGBTQ Center
 Sat, April 28 | 5:00 - 6:30 pm | WALC 1087

SCHOLARSHIPS, CONFERENCES AND MORE

 <u>ThinkChicago Lollapalooza 2018</u> for Engineering, Design and Entrepreneurial College Students Wed, August 1 - Fri, August 3 | Applications now open

COMMUNITY

- Interwoven: Native American Basketry from the Mel and Joan Perelman Collection
 April 14 August 5 | Eiteljorg Museum
- NCGLNAC Conference
 Sat, April 21 | 9:00 am 3:00 pm | Jay County Fairgrounds, Portland, IN

If you would like to include events and programs in the NAECC Newsletter, click here

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