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NAECC Announcements



“Diné Survival and Resistance in the Old Leupp Boarding School”

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**Native American Heritage Month
Opening Lecture by Dr. John Low**

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11:30 am - 1 pm
STEW 310



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**Film Documentary Screening and
Discussion of *Dawnland***

Tues, November 5 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm | STEW 278

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NAECC VISITING ARTIST



featuring
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Campus Events

BCC Turbo Tuesday/Thriving Thursday Series

Breast Cancer Awareness with Lisa Hayes
Tues, October 22 | 4:00 - 6:00 pm | BCC

Honors College Diversity Matters: Marginal Identities in Academic Institutions

Affirmative Action
Tues, October 22 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm | HCRS 1066

EMERGENCY

Award-Winning Actor, Singer, Writer and Composer, Daniel Beaty
Wed, October 23 | 5:30 pm | Fowler Hall | Free Admission

Comedian Ryan Niemiller

Sponsored by Purdue Disability Resource Center
Wed, October 23 | 7:00 pm | Loeb Playhouse
Although free, tickets are required at Loeb Box Office in person, by phone at 765-494-3933 or [online](#)

Is there an Asian American Vote? Evaluating Dimensions of Diversity and Unity Among Asian American Voters

Dr. Natalie Masuoka, Associate Professor, University of California
Fri, October 25 | 11:00 am | WALC 3138 | Lunch Provided

Day Trip to Day of the Dead Xicágo

Sun, October 27 | 3:00 - 8:00 pm | National Museum of Mexican Art (NMMA)
[RSVP](#) by October 23

Urban Naturalista with Courtney Porter

BCC Turbo Tuesday/Thriving Thursday Series
Tues, October 29 | 4:00 - 6:00 pm | BCC

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Navigating Spaces

Tues, October 29 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm | HCRS 1066

Boilers Out Loud!

Sponsored by LGBTQ Center
October 29 & 30 | 7:00 - 8:00 pm | Mallett Theatre, PAO Hall

HIV-AIDS Film Series

This Is Not an AIDS Advertisement and Zero Patience
Thurs, October 31 | 7:00 pm | RAWLS 1011

Día de los Muertos

Fri, November 1 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm | PMU Ballrooms | Sponsored by LCC

Disrupting Discourses

Disability Cultural Series
Wed, November 6 | 4:00 pm | BRNG B222

Spirituality at the Intersections

Sponsored by BCC
Sun, November 10 | 1:30 pm | IUPUI Campus Theater
RSVP suggested bccspirit.eventbrite.com

Community

Día de Muertos (Day of the Dead) Community Art and Altar Exhibit

Thurs, October 10 - Sat, November 2 | Eiteljorg Museum

Día de Muertos (Day of the Dead) Community Celebration

Sat, October 26 | 10:00 am - 8:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum

National Center for Great Lakes Native American Culture, Inc. (NCGLNAC) 2019 Academic Conference

Sat, November 9 | Jay County Fairgrounds, Portland, Indiana | [Press Release](#)

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