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# NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL CENTER

October 28, 2019

## NAECC Announcements

## NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH - NOVEMBER 2019

### 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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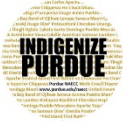
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Film Documentary Screening and Discussion



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6 - 7:30 pm • STEW 278

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1 - 3 pm • NAECC

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# ALOHA FRIDAYS



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Dr. Candice Guy-Gaytán

Thurs, Nov 21

2 - 3:30 pm · NAECC



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## Campus Events

### Urban Naturalista with Courtney Porter

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

### Honors College Diversity Matters: Marginal Identities in Academic Institutions

*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

### Trick or Treating at the Cultural Centers

Thurs, October 31 | 11:00 am - 4:00 pm | AAARCC, BCC, LCC, LGBTQ, NAECC

### 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

### One World One Purdue

November 4 - 21 | Various events across campus in celebration of Purdue's cultural diversity

### Disrupting Discourses

Disability Cultural Series

Wed, November 6 | 4:00 pm | BRNG B222

### An Evening with Stephanie Beatriz

Fri, November 8 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm | Fowler Hall

### Spirituality at the Intersections

Sponsored by BCC

Sun, November 10 | 1:30 pm | IUPUI Campus Theater

RSVP suggested [bccspirit.eventbrite.com](https://bccspirit.eventbrite.com)

### Reali-tea: Conversations on Well-Being and Resiliency

Wed, November 13 | 1:00 - 2:00 pm | AAARCC

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## Professional Opportunities at Purdue and Beyond

### North Central Indiana Mental Health Summit

Sat, November 16 | 8:30 am - 3:00 pm | Lafayette | [Register here](#)

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# Community

## Inuit Art Sale

Sat, November 2 | 10:00 am - 5:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum

## Edward Kabetie Presentation: An AlterNative History of America

Tues, November 5 | 6:00 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](#) | Register before November 1

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