

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

# NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL CENTER

September 16, 2019

## NAECC Announcements



### PAINTING WORKSHOP

Featuring NAECC Visiting Artist Jason Wesaw

Wednesday, September 18 | 3-5 pm | NAECC

Jason Wesaw (Pokagon Potawatomi) is a ceramic, fiber, and mixed media artist who has devoted his life to the study and preservation of Potawatomi culture. Join us for this oil pastel painting workshop as he shares his knowledge in blending the traditional ways and contemporary techniques. Wesaw is the featured artist for the fall 2019 Eiteljorg Museum's Artist-in-Residence program. Sponsored by NAECC in collaboration with the Eiteljorg Museum.

Registration is required at

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**LUNCH & LEARN**  
 PROTECTION OF NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURAL RESOURCES THROUGH REPATRIATION  
 TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24  
 12 NOON - 1 PM  
 NAECC

Join us for free food and great conversation with Dorene Red Cloud (Oglala Lakota), Assistant Curator of Native American Arts at the Eiteljorg Museum.

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**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT & LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

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Protection of Native American Cultural Resources Through Repatriation

Tuesday, September 24 | Noon - 1:00 pm | NAECC

The Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) was passed in 1990 to combat the theft of Indigenous religious practices, display of Native American human remains, and inappropriate sale of sacred objects yet it continues to be a major issue in Indian Country. Dorene Red Cloud (Oglala Lakota), Assistant Curator of Native American Arts at the Eiteljorg Museum, will discuss current repatriation efforts, provide basic knowledge of NAGPRA and other new legislation to support the return of cultural items, and share information on the protection of Indigenous cultural resources. Sponsored by NAECC in collaboration with Civic Engagement and Leadership Development

**ALOHA FRIDAYS**



**Cooking Demonstration**

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## Fall NDN Road Trip: Eiteljorg Museum and Indianapolis Repertory Theatre play, "And So We Walked: An Artist's Journey Along the Trail of Tears"

Saturday, October 19 | Bus will leave NAECC at Noon  
and return at 10:00 pm

Join us for a transformative cultural experience on our first NDN road trip to Indianapolis. We will start the afternoon with a visit to the Eiteljorg Museum where we will explore the rich Native American history and cultures. After dinner, we will walk to the Indianapolis Repertory Theatre for the theatrical performance, "And So We Walked: An Artist's Journey Along the Trail of Tears" featuring Cherokee actor and artist DeLanna Studi. "This one-woman play probes the complexities and conflicts that the Cherokee Nation still wrestle with today, almost 200 years after their forced relocation." (IRT)

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## NAECC Employment Opportunities

The NAECC has two employment opportunities: Graduate Assistant will assist special projects related to recruitment and retention of Native American graduate and undergraduate students and planning and implementing culturally relevant programs. Student Staff Assistant will assist with outreach and recruitment events, perform general clerical support, and assist with special projects. Work-study eligible students will have priority consideration.

For more information, contact Felica Ahasteen-Bryant, NAECC Director, by email at [felica@purdue.edu](mailto:felica@purdue.edu).

## Campus Events

### [AAARCC Lunch and Learn Series](#)

Thursdays Fall Semester | 12:00 - 1:00 pm | AAARCC

### [Carlito Camahalan Amalla](#)

Mon, September 16 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm | Marriott Hall Atrium

### [The Problem with Privacy](#)

Social Justice Seminar Series

Tues, September 17 | Noon | WSLR 116 | [RSVP](#)

### [Mirai Nagasu: Defining Our Own Success](#)

Tues, September 17 | 7:00 - 8:30 pm | Feature Gym, CREC

### [Sasha Velour's "Smoke & Mirrors" Performance](#)

Wed, September 18 | 8:00 - 10:00 pm | Long Center for the Performing Arts

Reserve your [free ticket here](#)

### Medical Humanities Film Series: HIV-AIDS

*How to Survive a Plague*

Thurs, September 19 | 7:00 pm | RAWLS 1011

### Protect the Amazon Fair - Documentary Screenings and Art Fair

Mon, September 23 | 5:00 - 7:00 pm | WALC 1087

### Disability Resource Office Film Screening of *Piss on Pity: We Will Ride*

Wed, September 25 | 7:30 - 9:30 pm | Third Street Suites, Room 159

### An Evening with Dr. Ellen Ochoa, NASA Astronaut and First Latina in Space Ideas Festival, Space Exploration

Thurs, September 26 | 6:30 pm | PMU South Ballroom

### Queeribbean - Featuring Robert Wesley of New York University Thriving Thursday Showcase

Thurs, September 26 | 4:00 - 6:00 pm | PMU

### "Video is our Bow" - Fighting for the Amazon Rain Forest

Pat-i Kayapo, Mebengokre Tribal Member, Filmmaker

Thurs, September 26 | 4:30 pm | STEAM Lab, Honors Hall

### Bangladesh Artist Festival II

Sat, September 28 | 6:00 pm | Loeb Playhouse, STEW | [Registration Required](#)

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## Professional Opportunities at Purdue and Beyond

### Think Chicago: Chicago Ideas Week

October 17 - 19 | Deadline to Apply Mon, September 23

### North Central Indiana Mental Health Summit

Sat, November 16 | 8:30 am - 3:00 pm

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## Community

### West Lafayette Global Fest

Sat, September 21 | 2:00 - 10:00 pm | Northwestern and Columbia near W. Lafayette Public Library

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