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Native American Educational and Cultural Center

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August 24, 2015

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NAECC PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

1. Wednesday, September 2
NAECC Fall Open House
4:00 – 6:00 pm | NAECC

Fall kick-off event to welcome new and returning Purdue students, faculty, and staff. This year's theme focuses on Hawaiian cultures and traditions and we'll feature local Purdue Native Hawaiian students who will demonstrate hula dancing. Join us as we open our doors and learn about the many resources and opportunities available to the campus community.

2. Wednesday, September 9
NAECC "Souper" Wednesday
6:00 – 7:00 pm | NAECC

Stop by the NAECC and join us for hot soup and fresh bread! Special guests for the evening will be our Native Hawaiian students and members of Hui Na Opio O Hawai'i (Purdue Hawaiian Club). Reserve your spot, call 764-494-4540 or email naecc@purdue.edu.

3. Tuesday, September 15
From Monarchy to U.S. Statehood: Overview of Hawai'i from a Native Hawaiian Perspective
6:00 – 7:30 pm | LILY 3118

Join us as we unfold the history of Hawai'i as seen through the Native Hawaiian viewpoint. This presentation will include the film documentary, *Pa'a Ke Aupuni: The Reel History of Hawai'i*, from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and followed by a moderated discussion with Purdue Native Hawaiian students.

Featured Speakers: Purdue Native Hawaiian students – Kyle Dahlin, Rylan Chong, Darius Kaweweh, Jordan Oshiro, and Kanoelehua Perreira

Sponsored by: NAECC, Native American Student Association (NASA), and Hui Na Opio O Hawai'i (Purdue Hawaiian Club)

4. Thursday, September 17
NAECC Craft Circle
3:00 – 5:00 pm | NAECC

Take part in this interactive arts and craft session as we make dream catchers. Bring your creative energy and join us for this stress reduction activity. Reservations required, call 764-494-4540 or email us at naecc@purdue.edu.

5. NAEECC Fall 2015 Events

You can find a complete list of our Fall 2015 Events by going to our website at www.purdue.edu/naecc/events

PURDUE CAMPUS-WIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

6. Wednesday, August 26 and Wednesday September 3

PSUB Callouts

(8/26) 7:00 pm | Union North Ballroom

(9/2) 7:00 pm | Krach 260

Interested in joining Purdue Union Student Board? [Click here](#) for application.

The Purdue Student Union Board provides a variety of programs and services that enrich and entertain. Every day the Purdue Student Union Board (PSUB) works hard to bring fun-filled excitement to the lives of every students of Purdue University and every citizen of the Greater Lafayette area through programming, event planning, and project presentations. PSUB members serve as the voice of Purdue students as they participate in cooperative management of the Purdue Memorial Union. It's easy to get involved with PSUB! Simply come to our callout, stop by the office, email, or call us and we will set up a time to tell you more about PSUB.

7. Thursday, August 27

BCC Boilerfest and New Student Orientation

4:00 – 6:00 pm | BCC Parking Lot

Connect with the Black Cultural Center to begin the celebration of our fall theme “The Black Freedom Struggle: Historical Narratives, Contemporary Echoes.” Boilerfest will introduce you to the BCC, various student organizations and campus support services. It will feature a live DJ, performances by BCC ensembles, and Funk Out Band.

[Black Cultural Center](#)

8. Saturday, August 29

Food Pantry at Purdue – Grand Opening/ Community Action Day

12:30 pm | Baptist Student Foundation basement on campus (200 N Russell Street)

Civic Engagement & Leadership Development is excited to share the opening of an on-campus food pantry at Purdue. In partnership with Food Finders Food Bank and Sigma Pi Fraternity at Purdue, CELD has spent the past year developing what we hope will be a recognized resource for community members, students, faculty, and staff members.

We would be honored to share this moment with you during the first portion of our Grand Opening/Community Action Day. During this event, we will announce the “business hours” for the pantry (which we will also post to our [Facebook page](#)) and share information about the

impacts of food insecurity - specifically as it relates to education. This day will also serve as our first Community Action Day of the year as we will need student support to stock the pantry. If you can, we would love to have folks post and share our flyer for students to see (attached).

[Click here](#) for registration. We ask our guests to arrive by 1:00 pm, as our speakers and ribbon cutting will begin at that time. You are free to stay with us to serve, but we will conclude the opening portion by 1:15.

If you find that you can make it to this event, you can register as a “Special Guest,” however if you have any questions, feel free to contact pantry advisor Vanessa S. Pacheco at vpacheco@purdue.edu.

Please consider bringing a donation for our resources! Our wish list: Boxed Cereals, Pasta, Canned Goods, Juices, Peanut Butter, Boxed Rice & Potatoes, Beans, and Paper Products.

9. Tuesday, September 1
Shell Diversity Evening at Purdue
6:00 – 8:00 pm | KRAN G016

At Shell, we see a diverse staff and an inclusive work environment as vital to building relationships and as integral part of Shell’s success. We’d like to share more about our culture with you. During the event, you can expect to learn about:

- what working at Shell is really like – what I’ve learned and what I’ve been able to do
- how to succeed in our recruitment process, information sessions, interviewing and resume tips
- what scholarships, Shell Drilling and Production camp, internship, and full-time opportunities are available

This event promises to be a fun and an informal opportunity for minority students to connect with Shell (casual attire is appropriate).

10. Thursday, September 10
Save the Date: Center for Research on Diversity and Inclusion Welcome Back
3:00 – 4:30 pm | Anniversary Drawing Room, PMU

The Center for Research on Diversity and Inclusion (CRDI) promotes and funds cutting-edge research that examines diversity and inclusion across disciplines through awards, grants, and programming featuring renowned scholars, panels, and symposia. CRDI is committed to diversity and inclusion on the Purdue campus. For more information, [click here](#).

11. Thursday, September 24 and Friday, September 25
6th Annual Conference for Pre-Tenure Women
Purdue University

The Susan Bulkeley Butler Center for Leadership Excellence, in collaboration with the Provost's Office at Purdue, invites you to participate in the annual Conference for Pre-Tenure Women. Since 2010, this conference has helped women not only achieve promotion and tenure but also develop career strategies and networks useful for moving into further promotions and into different academic areas. Although this conference focuses on women in pre tenure and postdoc phases, the strategies and insights offered by speakers and other participants are useful for women at different points in their academic careers. Men are welcome to participate.

For additional information, including conference schedule and Hot Topic Sessions, [please visit our website](#).

Purdue Pre-Tenure Faculty: Please contact the butlercenter@purdue.edu for special pricing.

Registration is now open - [click here](#)

PROGRAMS, INTERNSHIPS AND EMPLOYMENT

12. **AISES 2015 National Conference Travel Scholarships**

Scholarships will provide travel assistance to 5-15 students pursuing degrees in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) fields. Students must be a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited four year college/university or a full-time student at a two-year college enrolled in a program leading to an academic degree. Awards will range from \$500 to a max of \$1,350.

For more information, [click here](#)

13. **United National Indian Tribal Youth Inc. Survey**

UNITY has served the nation's Native youth for 39 years and looks forward to continuing its important work for many years to come. UNITY's ability to deliver quality projects and programs to the coming generations of Native leaders depends in part on our understanding of the needs of the community of youth that we serve. Additionally, there is a large and growing interest among members of the general public about the nation's Native population and their experiences in today's rapidly changing society. Therefore; to learn more about today's Native youth and their interests, concerns and future outlook, UNITY has teamed with The Huffington Post for the purposes of surveying young Natives between the ages of 18 and 24. This population has a unique perspective and valuable information to share with their UNITY family and the public at large.

To complete the survey, [click here](#)

14. Thursday, October 15 – Saturday, October 17

ThinkChicago: Chicago Ideas Week

Application Deadline: September 7

Mayor Rahm Emanuel, Chicago Ideas Week, World Business Chicago, 1871 and the University of Illinois invite university students from across the Midwest to take a behind-the-scenes tour of Chicago's fast growing tech scene and attend Chicago Ideas Week.

Chicago Ideas Week

Participants will have the opportunity to attend Chicago Ideas Week's most popular events, including Technology: Disruptive Innovation. Designed to turn ideas into actionable results, Chicago Ideas Week is an annual seven-day gathering that hosts 150+ globally-recognized speakers at 100+ events across the city. For more information, visit www.chicagoideas.com.

How to Apply

Students are accepted into the program based on their interest in digital technology, computer science, innovation, entrepreneurship and a demonstrated commitment to excellence. Most students are in their junior or senior years of their undergraduate studies, but students from other years are also encouraged to apply. Majors represented include engineering, computer science, design, technology entrepreneurship, information technology, and business administration programs. The program is free and there is no fee to apply.

- The deadline for student applications is 11:59 PM CST on Monday, September 7, 2015 (Labor Day)
- Applications can be completed at <http://apply.thinkchicago.net>.

Student Benefits

- Tour some of Chicago's most innovative companies and co-working spaces, and meet with key industry leaders
- Participate in talks and presentations featuring Chicago technologists and entrepreneurs
- Attend Chicago Ideas Week events, including [Technology: Disruptive Innovation](#)

COMMUNITY

15. Wednesday, September 23

Lecture by Dr. Ari Kelman

A Misplaced Massacre: Struggling Over the Memory of Sand Creek

7:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis

The Eiteljorg Museum has teamed up with the Department of Public History at IUPUI to offer a free lecture by Dr. Ari Kelman. The lecture is based upon his important study of the 1864 massacre by Colorado troopers of Arapahoe and Cheyenne people at Sand Creek. Dr. Kelman will be joined by Norma Gourneau, Superintendent of the Bureau of Indian Affairs and descendant of Cheyenne victims, who will offer a rare opportunity to embrace Native American voices and to help the public understand the history and issues at hand.

Dr. Kelman is the McCabe Greer Professor of History at Penn State University. He is the author of *A Misplaced Massacre: Struggling Over the Memory of Sand Creek* and the recipient of the

Avery O. Craven Award, the Bancroft Prize, the Tom Watson Brown Book Award and the Robert M. Utley Prize, all in 2014.

Eiteljorg Museum

16. Saturday, September 26

Educators Symposium: Truth Be Told: Alternative Narratives for Teaching Columbus Day and Thanksgiving

9:00 am – 3:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis

This symposium is designed for educators, university students and life-long learners. It offers teachers different perspectives and ideas for creating alternative and historically accurate lessons for Columbus Day and Thanksgiving. The keynote speaker is noted author and historian James Loewen, Ph.D. To register today please call the museum at 317-275-1310. The cost is \$10 and includes symposium materials, museum admission and free parking. Participants are encouraged to bring a sack lunch. Teachers will receive documentation for six Professional Growth Plan points.

For more information, [click here](#)

NOTE: If you would like to include events and programs in the NAECC e-Newsletter, please contact Deb Swihart by email at dswihart@purdue.edu or by phone at 765-494-4540.