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NAECC Newsletter

September 10, 2018

NAECC Visiting Artist: Beaded Medicine Bag Workshop featuring Katrina Mitten

Tuesday, September 18 | 3:00 – 5:00 pm | [Registration Required on Eventbrite](#)

**This event is full. If you would like to be placed on a waiting list,
please email us at naecc@purdue.edu**

Meet artist Katrina Mitten and learn about Miami culture while making a beaded medicine bag neck pouch. All supplies and instruction will be provided. No previous experience necessary. Katrina Mitten (Miami Tribe of Oklahoma) was inspired at an early age to pursue an art traditional to the great lakes people, and she began learning the art of embroidery style native beadwork. Katrina has learned the art through study of family heirlooms, museum collections and practice. The imagery she creates is inspired by the world around her - texture, form and color. Many of the forms depicted in her beadwork are representative of her people. Mitten is the featured artist for the fall 2018 Eiteljorg Museum's Artist-in-Residence program.



NAECC Visiting Artist: Painting Workshop featuring DG House

Thursday, October 18 | 3:00 – 5:00 pm | [Registration Required on Eventbrite](#)

Love DG House's iconic colorful wildlife paintings? Join her for this one-of-a-kind workshop and create your own wildlife painting – choose a bear, fox or a wolf. DG will provide instruction and lots of inspiration. All supplies will be provided. No previous experience necessary. DG House (Cherokee Nation of Northeastern Alabama) is a contemporary painter and focuses on Native people and wildlife of the Rocky Mountain west. House is the featured artist for the fall 2017 Eiteljorg Museum's Artist-in-Residence program.



CAMPUS-WIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS

- [Industrial Roundtable - Seminars and Career Fair](#)

[Seminars](#), Mon, September 10 | STEW

[Career Fair](#), Tues, September 11 & Wed, September 12 | [Register](#)

An interactive, two-day job fair that annually attracts close to 400 companies and over 12,000 student from Purdue University. Open to all undergraduate and graduate students from any major including Engineering, Science, Technology and Management.

- [Rainbow Callout - Sponsored by LGBTQ Center](#)

Tues, September 11 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm | PMU North & South Ballroom

Rainbow Callout is the annual welcome and resource fair for the entire LGBTQA+ and ally community at Purdue University. With live performances and over 100 on- and off-campus departments and organizations present, you will meet new friends, connect with supportive resources, and find ways to get involved in the campus community! Staff, faculty, undergraduate & graduate students, and community members welcome! Stop by the NAECC table to say hello.

- [Meet Vera Stark Discussion: Using Art to Build Community](#)

Tues, September 11 | 3:00 pm | Honors Hall, Honor College

- [Writing Our Way Home: A Queer Chicana Legacy with Cherrie Morago](#)
Wed, September 12 | 7:00 pm | Loeb Playhouse
- [Guerrilla Girls](#)
Thurs, September 13 | 7:30 - 9:00 pm | Loeb Playhouse
The [Guerrilla Girls](#) are feminist activist artists who wear gorilla masks and use facts, humor, and outrageous visuals to expose gender and ethnic bias, and corruption in politics, art, film, and pop culture. The Guerrilla Girls could be anyone because they are everywhere. We are the Guerrilla Girls. We are feminist activist artists. In public, we wear gorilla masks and use facts, humor, and outrageous visuals to expose gender and ethnic bias and corruption in politics, art, film, and pop culture. Our anonymity keeps you focused on issues over identities. We undermine mainstream narratives to reveal understories, subtexts, the overlooked, and the downright unfair. We believe in intersectional feminism, fighting discrimination, and human rights for all people and genders. We have done over 100 street projects, posters, and stickers worldwide: New York, Los Angeles, Minneapolis, Bilbao, Shanghai, and more.
- [The Queer Vocabularies of Latinx with Dr. Richard Rodríguez](#)
Mon, September 17 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm | Krannert Auditorium
This talk will examine the shift from Latino and Latina/o to Latinx as a means of articulating new formations of language, identity, and cultural politics. It will further explore the stakes in adopting the X as a symbol of collectivity while questioning its relationship to matters pertaining to gender and sexuality. To whom does the X belong? Who should it account for? And how do we retain the queer politics that gave rise to its adoption in the first place? Free and Open to the Public. To learn more about Dr. Rodríguez, click [here](#).
- [Interdisciplinary Social Justice Series: The Functional Manifestations of a Mild Traumatic Brain Injury](#)
Speaker: Dr. Riya Shi, Purdue University
Tues, September 18 | 12:00 pm | Whistler Hall 116
[Click here](#) to RSVP by September 12
- [A Conversation with Tarana Burke, Founder of "MeToo"](#)
Wed, September 19 | 6:30 - 8:00 pm | Loeb Playhouse
Tarana Burke, 2017 TIME Person Of The Year, shares the story behind her creation of the viral #Me Too movement and gives strength as well as healing to those who have experienced sexual trauma and/or harassment. Tarana's powerful story ignited an international movement that inspires solidarity and amplifies the voices of thousands of survivors and advocates. Attendance is free but you must register for a free ticket at [Eventbrite](#)
- [Sky Happiness Retreat](#)
September 20 - 23 | Purdue Campus
(formerly known as YesPlus Leadership Retreat)
Experience yoga, meditation, breathing techniques, increase focus and academic performance, learn to deal with criticism and mistakes, take personal and community responsibility. [Register here](#) or contact YesPlus@purdue.edu for questions
- [For Queer Poets of Color: From Stonewall to Orlando; What Roles Have People of Color Played in the Quest for Queer Liberation?](#)
A reading with Christopher Soto
Mon, September 24 | 6:00 - 7:00 pm | Krannert Auditorium
- [The Defamation Experience - When Race, Class, Religion, and Gender Collide, A Conversation Begins!](#)
Mon, September 24 | 7:00 pm, door open at 6:30 pm | Loeb Playhouse
A unique interactive diversity program comprised of three components:
- A play which explores the highly charged issues of race, religion, gender, class and the law with a twist

- The audience is the jury through deliberations
- Post-show discussions

- [Disability Cultural Series - Death by a Thousand Papercuts: Ableism and Microaggressions](#)

Wed, September 26 | 6:30 - 8:30 pm | WALC 3148

The intent of this presentation is to provide participants with a deeper understanding of the invisible barriers that disabled students encounter. Attendees will gain a deeper understanding of these barriers and the DRC's role in helping disabled students manage them.

PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- [Purdue National & International Scholarship Office Week](#)

September 17 - 21

A bundled week of information sessions on all distinguished awards NISO coordinates and how to secure the campus endorsement.

- [Job Posting - Purdue Police Officer VII, West Lafayette](#)

Application Deadline: October 1

- [Big Ten+ Graduate School Expo](#)

Sun, September 30 - Mon, October 1 | Purdue University | [Purdue Student Registration](#)

- [USFS Native American Research Assistantship](#)

Application Deadline: November 5

COMMUNITY

- [Pawn Jewelry Sale & Navajo Rug Auction Preview](#)

Fri, September 28 | 4:00 - 8:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum

- [Navajo Rug Auction](#)

Sat, September 29 | Noon - 5:00 pm Preview, 5:30 - 8:00 pm, Auction | Eiteljorg Museum

- [Language Conservancy Bookstore](#)

Books and media available in various Native languages

- [NCAI 75th Annual Convention and Marketplace](#)

October 21 - 26 | Denver, CO

- [Symposium on Indigenous Languages and Cultures](#)

October 25 - 28 | Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

If you would like to include events and programs in the NAECC Newsletter, [click here](#)



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