

Culture

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FALL SEMESTER 2021

Online Workshops

October 2021

Indigenous People's Day: Kumeyaay Resilience, Cultural Burns & Columbus October 11, 2021 | 3 to 4 pm

Presented by: Dr. Stan Rodriguez, Michelle Garcia,
Moriah Gonzalez-Meeks

Celebrate Indigenous People's Day with a discussion of
Kumeyaay resilience, activism, and knowledge; how the
practice of cultural burning restores indigenous ecosystems;
and why we should stop celebrating Columbus.

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Cannibals, Savages, Heathens: Demystifying Aztec/Mexica Culture and Society October 14, 2021 | 11 am to 12 pm

Presented by: Javier Gonzalez-Meeks

This year marks the 500th anniversary of the fall of
Tenochtitlan, the Aztec/Mexica capital city. Much
of our information about this period comes from
Spanish sources; indigenous sources provide a
different story, one that challenges the myths and
stereotypes perpetuated by Spanish authors.

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Impact of "Cultural Portals": Ethnic Identity Development for Filipinx-Americans

October 14, 2021 | 12 to 1 pm

Presented by: Jason Astorga and Daniel Fernandez
What does it mean to be Filipinx-American? "Cultural
Portals" are access points to one's heritage and culture.

As Filipinx-Americans, what are some ways we can
access a connection to our indigenous culture? Come
to this workshop to explore our own Filipinx-American
identity, and learn about ways in which we can
expand our own "Filipinx-ness"

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Providing support and resources for survivors of domestic violence.

The impact of a safe and empowering college climate for undocumented students/families and their mental health

October 18, 2021 | 12 to 1:30 pm

Presented by: Berenice Badillo,
Art Therapist, Marriage & Family Therapist, PhD, LMFT, ATR-BC
In this interactive workshop, Dr. Berenice Badillo will lead you in
a group discussion that will assist you in identifying ways to co
create a more empowering environment for undocumented
students and their families. Art therapy is a processed based
activity, and no art experience is needed. You will need a
piece of paper, a pen, markers or crayons and of course
a curious and open mind.

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Undocumented Student Action Week October 18-22, 2021

Link to live flyer (for event updates):
<https://tinyurl.com/undocuweek2021>

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Undocumented/DACA Status Student and Professional Panel October 18, 2021 | 4 to 5:30 pm

Presented by: Cuyamaca RISE Program and
Grossmont Dream Center

A panel discussion of undocumented students and profes-
sionals sharing their own experiences in college and their
career. Hear from Undocumented/Dacamented individuals
who are currently attending community college, SDSU,
have already completed their Masters degrees and
more!

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It takes a Village October 19, 2021 | 10 to 11:30 pm

Presented by:

Claudia Cuz-Flores and Veronica Corral

This presentation will provide examples and
strategies that can be use by Faculty and Staff to
better support and create a welcoming campus
environment for Undocumented Status Students.

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Financial Aid Presentation for Undocumented Students and their Families

October 19, 2021 | 6 to 7:30 pm

Presented by: Iliana Garcia (Financial Aid Advisor) and Josceline Torres (Scholarship Specialist)

Bilingual Presentation to create awareness about the financial aid opportunities for undocumented/DACAmented students and mixed-status families. How and when to apply for the California Dream Act, scholarships and the California Dream Act Incentive Service Grant available to the undocumented/DACAmented community.

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Social Justice and Black Consciousness Conference

October 20-21, 2021 | 9:30 am to 2 pm

The Social Justice Conference highlights issues of social injustice regarding border and immigration, policing and mass incarceration, while also showcasing the work of local activists, scholars and students, in efforts to connect the community to local organizations who actively engage in social justice efforts. The Black Consciousness Conference brings to light the resistance and agency of the Black Community from historical and current issues of racial, health and economic injustice, through efforts of local activists, scholars, students, and organizations.

10/20 ZOOM:

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DACA, Pathway to Citizenship, Immigration

October 20, 2021 | 3 to 4 pm

Presented by: Alliance San Diego Undocu-Student webinar. We will go over DACA requirements, new information, Pathway to Citizenship and important Immigration Information.

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Open Mic

October 21, 2021 | 2 to 3 pm

Presented by: Karen Marraujo

Share your voice by taking the mic or just drop in to listen or make new friends.

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Undocumented Action Week Presentation

October 21, 2021 | 3 to 4pm

Presented by: José Antonio Vargas Pulitzer Prize-Winning Journalist, Acclaimed Filmmaker and Immigration Advocate shares his past and current experiences and challenges.

bit.ly/JoseAntonioVargas_102121

Filipino Diaspora in San Diego

October 22, 2021 | 10 to 11 am

Presented by: James Diokno

This presentation will provide an overview of the Filipino communities. Discussion will focus on who Filipinos are, how Filipino communities came to be established in San Diego, and the contributions of Filipino San Diegans to the region.

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Using my Student Voice (Student Club Activity)

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Presented by:

Cuyamaca/Grossmont Students

Event facilitated by students to create a space in which undocumented/DACA status students can share ideas to improve campus climate.

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Dynamics of Intimate Partner Violence

October 27, 2021 | 9:30 to 10:30 am

Presented by: Jessica Valencia, Center for Community Solutions and

The presenters will define Intimate Partner Violence,, explore barriers to leaving, breakdown common myths, identify possible warning signs, and gain tips for supporting survivors/victims.

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October College Hour

October 28, 2021 | 10:30 to 11:30 am

Presented by: DSPS Faculty Roundtable
Come and talk to the DSPS Faculty for a question and answer time regarding our support services

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Filipinos and Anti-Asian Racism

October 29, 2021 | 10 -11am

Presented by: James Diokno

This presentation will look into a brief history of racism against Asian communities in the US. This is an increasingly important issue especially regarding the continued surge in racist violence committed against Asian Americans in recent years. Discussion will give an overview of racism against Asians in the US, including Filipino communities.

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