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Native American Film Festival

Please join us for a mini-film festival featuring documentaries and short films chronicling native people's multi-faceted health experiences in the United States.

The event is part of UCSD's 2008 California Native American Day Celebration. It is free and open to the public.

When: Friday, October 17th, 2008 Noon-6:00 pm Where: Cross Cultural Center, 2nd floor Price Center East

For a short description of the films please visit: <u>http://ccc.ucsd.edu/Events.asp</u>, if you have any questions about this event please call (858) 534-9689.

UCDC Information Session

UCDC is an academic program created in 1997 for the purpose of providing approximately 30 students per quarter an opportunity to continue their studies while interning for a quarter in Washington D.C. Moreover, the availability of a 4-unit research seminar that satisfies upperdivision course requirements for a number of majors affords students the opportunity to reflect on and enlist their intern experiences in an academic exercise. UCDC is also a residential program with apartments at the centrally-located, UC Washington Center. Not only does this facilitate relocating temporarily in the nation's capital, the Center offers students a rich exposure to the Washington community through tours and an evening speaker series. Since its inception, hundreds of UCSD students have included UCDC in their educational experience. You can too!

Please attend information session for more information:

When: Monday, October 20, 2008 from 10:00-11:00 a.m. Where: Horizon Room, Career Services Center

Career Services Events

Need help writing your personal statement for Law School? Attend *The Write Stuff: Law School Personal Statements workshop.*

When: Tuesday, October 21, 2008 from 11:00-12:00 pm Where: Horizon Room, Career Services Center

Are you planning on attending the Triton Fall Job and Internship fair? Attend *How to make the Most of the Career Fair.*

When: Tuesday, October 21, 2008 from 1:00-2:00 pm Where: Horizon Room, Career Services Center

Need help with your resume? Attend the Resume Marathon.

When: Tuesday, October 21, 2008 from 2:00-4:00 pm Where: Horizon Room, Career Services Center

Looking for an internship or a job opportunity for fall quarter? Don't let this opportunity pass you by, make sure to attend the *Triton Fall Job and Internship Fair*.

When: Wednesday, October 22, 2008 from 10:30-2:30 p.m. Where: Library Walk

Do you want to practice your interview skills? Please attend the following workshops:

Interview to Win workshop When: Friday, October 24, 2008 from 12:00-1:30 pm Where: Horizon Room, Careers Services Center

On-Camera Interview for Job Seekers When: Monday, October 27, 2008 from 10:00-12:00 p.m. Where: West Conference Room

On-Camera Interview for Internships When: Tuesday, October 28, 2008 from 2:00-3:00 pm Where: Horizon Room, Careers Services Center

Migration Film Series: Center for I berian and Latin American Studies

Need a break from studying? CILAS (Center for Iberian and Latin American Studies) will be hosting four Latin American films this fall quarter focusing on migration.

Please come watch their first film "Voices of the Fields" on Wednesday, October 22 at 7:00 p.m. at Copley International Center, Hojel Auditorium, Institute of the Americas.

"Voices of the Fields", this very personal documentary follows farm workers from California's Salinas Valley back to their roots in the fields of rural Mexico, where they recount their everyday struggle to cope in the midst of the globalization of agriculture and the impact of NAFTA.

"The Invisible Chapel", award winning filmmaker John Carlos Frey captures the enduring story of a migrant chapel which remained invisible for 20 years to the wealthy residents of a San Diego, CA neighborhood. Every Sunday parish volunteers provided humanitarian assistance and held a church service for over one hundred impoverished construction and service industry workers from Mexico. Local Neighbors, along with the San Diego Minutemen and Talk-Radio host clashed the with mostly undocumented immigrant congregation (Film will be shown on October 29 at 7:00 p.m. at Copley International Center, Hojel Auditorium, Institute of the Americas).

For a list of upcoming films please visit: <u>http://cilas.ucsd.edu/events/film_series.php</u>.

Latin American Studies Lecture: Rodrigo Montoya, "The First Amazonian Rebellion in Peru"

When: Thursday, October 23, 2008 from 2:30-4:00 p.m. Where: Deutz Room, Copley International Conference Center, The Institute of the Americas Complex

Peru once seemed like an exception to the indigenous movements that have taken place in Ecuador and Bolivia until two months ago, when the Amazonian Indians decisively opposed the decrees of President Garcia to sell the lands of the native communities. They painted their faces as a signal of combat, occupied an oil company's installations, and threatened to cut off the flow of gas. The government was unprepared for such a response and lost. How do we explain these actions? What implications do they have?

CCIS Research Seminar: Mark Harris, "Immigration, Detention, and Human Rights: Legal and Social Implications or Recent Australian Immigration Policy"

When: October 28, 2008 at 3:00-5:00 p.m. Where: Eleanor Roosevelt College Administration Building, Conference Room 115

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IICAS Lecturer:

Professor Naomi Roht-Arriaza, UC Hastings College of Law, ""International Justice From Outside Pushing In: Using Transnational Prosecutions to Create Domestic Change"

When: Thursday, October 30, 2008 at 12:10 pm Where: California Western, Roy Bell Reading Room For information on this event, please visit: iicas.ucsd.edu or contact iicas-events@ucsd.edu

International Education Week (IEW), November 17th- November 21st

IEW is an opportunity to celebrate the benefits of international education and exchange worldwide. The week is dedicated to enhancing international awareness across the UCSD campus as well as to reinforcing the importance of the exchange of students and scholars across borders.

Initiated in 2000 by the US Department of State and the Department of Education, International Education Week emphasizes the importance of increasing student knowledge and awareness of the world's cultures, peoples and languages, and affirms the critical role that international education and exchange programs play in fostering world peace.

For a complete calendar of IEW events, please visit: <u>http://iew.ucsd.edu/calendar.html</u>.