

CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS CALENDAR

September

Unity Wing Open House

Wednesday, Sept. 6
11 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Student Center, Unity Wing

Come see what resources our centers have to offer and connect with our leaders in the Intercultural Center, Pride Center and Women's Center. Come eat, connect and get involved!

Blackout Day

Wednesday, Sept. 6, 3 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Hear Malik Champlin discuss the importance of the Black Lives Matter movement and the tools students can learn to create awareness on social injustices.

REEL Talk: Saint of 9/11

Monday, Sept. 11, 5 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Come see Saint of 9/11, a documentary that follows the life of Rev. Mychal Judge, chaplain of the NYFD and a minister to young gay men with AIDS, before his heroic death on 9/11.

Students Fight Back

Tuesday, Sept. 12, 7 p.m.

Student Center, BTR

Erin Weed has trained with the best violence prevention experts and self-defense programs and returned with workshops focused on providing valuable violence prevention skills to students of all genders.

Bolivian Ambassador Sacha Llorenti

Wednesday, Sept. 13, 3 p.m.

FAIC, Concert Hall

Ambassador Llorenti will speak about foreign policy in terms of global security and the ideological breaches between developing and developed countries.

Debates of U.S. Citizenship in Puerto Rico in Historical Context

Wednesday, Sept. 20, 3 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

This talk explains the history of the extension of U.S. citizenship to Puerto Rico and the debates over the constitutional status of persons born in Puerto Rico today.

Red Flag Campaign

Thursday, Sept. 21, 2 - 4 p.m.

Student Center, Patio

Join us for the interactive program. The Red Flag Campaign uses a bystander intervention strategy to address and prevent sexual assault, dating violence and stalking on college campuses.

October

Dear Woke Brown Girl

Wednesday, Oct. 4, 3 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Come hear founder of Latina Rebels, Prisca Dorcas, reflect on her experience as a "Brown girl" and challenges she faced with identity, resistance and self-love.

Being Latinx: Language, Dance, and Voice

Thursday, Oct. 5, 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Student Center, Rm. 119

Join us for a basic dance lesson in the popular Latin style of *bachata*, while deconstructing the "leader/follower" gender roles in Latin dance culture.

Blackout Day

Friday, Oct. 6, 3 p.m.

Student Center, Intercultural Center

Be part of an open dialogue between police and Eastern student leaders to discuss police brutality, police violence and media misrepresentation in today's culture.

REEL Talk: Precious Knowledge

Monday, Oct. 9, 5 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Come see a gripping documentary following Tucson students and teachers as they fight to save their beloved classes.

National Coming Out Day: Visible Voices

Wednesday, Oct. 11,

11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Student Center, Rm. 219

Come receive tools to uncover, discover and tell stories as Julia Golden-Battle leads a workshop on self-awareness that recognize privileges that shape our concepts of social justice.

Cambodian Diaspora in New England through Lecture and Poetry

Wednesday, Oct. 11, 3 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Heng Sreang will review his current research on the Cambodian (Khmer) diaspora in New England and California with focus on transnational Cambodian culture, human rights and cultural traditions.

Sing Diversity

Monday, Oct. 16, 3 - 5 p.m.

Student Center, Rm. 115

Be part of a song-writing workshop, to produce a song based on personal experiences with social injustice, discrimination, social equity and activism.

November

Matika Wilbur

Wednesday, Nov. 1, 3 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Hear Matika Wilbur, a photographer and documentarian of the Indigenous experience, reflect on Project 562, her ongoing effort to photograph citizens of every federally-recognized Native Nation in the United States.

Blackout Day

Monday, Nov. 6, 3 p.m.

Student Center, Rm. 223

Self care and the mental health of students of color is important. Join a discussion with counselor Andrea Pedraza from CAPS on how we can better take care of ourselves.

Afro Flow Yoga

Monday, Nov. 6, 6:30 p.m.

Student Center, BTR

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The Trouble with My Name Javier

Thursday, Nov. 9, 6 - 9 p.m.

FAIC, Concert Hall

In his one-man show, Javier Ávila sheds light on the American Latino experience with us using his unique brand of poetry and satire.

REEL Talk: American Red and Black: Stories of Afro-Native Identity

Monday, Nov. 13, 5 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

See a film that follows six Afro-Native Americans from the United States, reflecting upon the complex issues of Native and African heritage, ethnic identity and discrimination within communities of color.

Being Intersex: Walking the Line with Saifa Wall

Wednesday, Nov. 15, 3 p.m.

Student Center Theatre

Join us as for a discussion on unconsented surgeries, social norms and stigmas for diverse sex conditions. Students will learn more on what intersexuality actually is.

Transgender Day of Remembrance

Monday, Nov. 20, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Student Center, Pride Center

Help to honor the memory of those whose lives were lost in acts of anti-transgender violence.

December

Blackout Day

Wednesday, Dec. 6, 3 p.m.

Student Center, Rm. 223

#BlackMagic, come discuss what it means to love yourself, your culture and heritage.

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Share your #EasternVoices by joining the discussion on social media.



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University Hour



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