October 18, 2018

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Bulletin Highlights:

- Next LASSO meeting will be on October 31 @ 7pm
- Cuba Study Abroad info session: October 23 @ 12pm
- Tijuana Tour with LASSO, November 10 @ 12pm

EVENTS AT CLAS

DIA DE LOS MUERTOS COMMEMORATION, NOVEMBER 1, 2018
The Center for Latin American Studies and the Chicano and Chicana Studies will have its traditional and innovative *Altar de Muertos*. The 2018 theme is "State-Sponsored Death-Mexico: Tlatelolco 1968 Student Massacre/United States: Separation of Families, To Date." Opening remarks by Norma Iglesias Prieto with musical performance by Coral MacFarland Thuet. Coffee and *pan de muerto* will be served.

Open to everyone!

**Location:** Arts and Letters Building, Third Floor Alcove  
**Time:** 12:00 pm

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**STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES**

**STUDY ABROAD IN CUBA: CULTURE, SOCIETY, AND THE CONTEMPORARY CUBAN EXPERIENCE**

Spend three weeks in Cuba while studying abroad! Culture, society and the contemporary Cuban experience will explore various themes relevant to life in Cuba with various excursions to cultural sites. This is a unique opportunity to get first hand exposure to the life, culture, history and politics through the lens of the Cuban people.

This is a three unit course open to undergrads and graduate students.

**Program Dates:** May 24, 2018 - June 15, 2019 (3 weeks)

Info session in Arts and Letters 379  
**October** 23rd at 12 pm

For more info or email Ricardo Betancourt classtdy@sdsu.edu!

**SUMMER ETHNOGRAPHIC FIELD METHODS IN OAXACA, MEXICO**

This course will introduce you to various methods used in qualitative research design and implementation through the hands on experience. You will be working on a research project that examines the influence of migration on food preferences, food practices, and farming in this indigenous community. Students will need to be prepared to live in a challenging setting with little to no modern comforts, such as consistent access to electricity and running water.

**Faculty:** Dr. Ramona Perez  
**Location:** Oaxaca, Mexico and Rural Indigenous Community  
**Dates:** June 16- July 12, 2019  
**Price:** $2,500.00

**ZAPOTEC AND MIXTEC LANGUAGE PROGRAMS**
The Center for Latin American Studies offers three Indigenous language courses in Oaxaca, Mexico. Our Beginning Intermediate Mixtec Language course, is a six-week program with classes provided through the Welte Institute in Oaxaca City. Also offered by the Center is a 6-week, intensive Zapotec Language course, offered through the Casa de La Cultura in Juchitan. Spanish fluency required.

**LATAM 110:** Elementary Mixtec I (4 units)  
**LATAM 111:** Elementary Mixtec II (4 units)  
**LATAM 210:** Intermediate Mixtec (4 units)  

**Faculty:** Dr. Ramona Perez  
**Location:** Oaxaca, Mexico  
**Dates:** June 16-July 26, 2019

**LATAM 120:** Elementary Zapotec (4 units)  
**Faculty:** Dr. Ramona Perez  
**Location:** Juchitan, and Valley of Oaxaca, Oaxaca, Mexico  
**In-country dates:** June 17-July 28, 2019

### Events at SDSU  
**LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES STUDENT ORGANIZATION, LASSO**

LASSO is an SDSU student organization that is open to all grade levels and disciplines. It's purpose is to gain an understanding of Latin America’s place in many academic disciplines as well as to enhance the student experience in their various degree programs, while exploring the cultures and influences of Latin America. Check out their [website](#) to find out more about LASSO and their activities! We hope you’ll become the next LASSO member!

**Location:** AL-379  
**Time:** 7:00 pm on Wednesdays

### DANCE OF HOME, OCTOBER 19, 2018

A night with live music, dancing, singing, and poetry reading to celebrate refugee communities in San Diego - their home, belonging, and legacy with memories of love and empathy.

San Diego is one of the largest refugee-receiving cities in the U.S. Collaborated with and presented by members of refugee women and children in El Cajon, this performance shares their stories with dance and music. Arts is a great tool to build a supportive community regardless of cultural barriers and differences. We hope that this performance will invite everyone to feel and create their own "home" with a sense of respect, love, and empathy.

Free general admission. Donations are accepted. For tickets and more information visit: [Dance of Home Eventbrite](#).
**Location:** Smith Recital Hall  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

**EDUCATED UNIDOS SERIES, NOVEMBER 3, 2018**

The Center for Equity and Bi-literacy Education Research invites you to their first presentation in their Critical Educated Unidos Series! Their keynote speaker is Antonia Darder who holds the Endowed Chair in Ethics and Moral Leadership in the School of Education at Loyola Marymount University. For more than 30 years, her practice and scholarship have focused on political questions and ethical concerns linked to racism, class inequities, language rights, critical pedagogy, Latino education, and social justice.

**Date:** November 3, 2018  
**Location:** Parma Payne Goodall Alumni Center- Frowler Family Ballroom  
**Time:** 10:00 am-2:00 pm

**BOWLING WITH THE PORTUGUESE BUDDIES, NOVEMBER 7, 2018**

Come and join the Portuguese club at Aztec Lanes. The Brazil and the Portuguese Program in the department of Spanish and Portuguese have worked on a community outreach project to integrate language and culture of Brazil on SDSU campus. This project is called Portuguese Buddies. Its goal is to introduce international Brazilian students learning English in San Diego at Connect English to our SDSU students learning Brazilian Portuguese at our university. Under the sponsorship of Program on Brazil and Portuguese Program's sponsor, Instituto Camões, our students will meet up at the Aztec Lanes with these volunteers from Connect English to mingle, have fun bowling, eat some Oggi's pizza and practice both English and Portuguese.

**Date:** November 7, 2018  
**Location:** Aztec Lanes  
**Time:** 5:30 pm-7:30 pm

**INTERNATIONAL PEACE VILLAGE FESTIVAL, NOVEMBER 15, 2018**

The International Student Center ISC in collaboration with ONE SDSU Community also cordially invite you to participate in the 62nd Annual International Peace Village Festival. International Peace Village aims to promote global awareness and international goodwill through cultural performance, country showcase, international music, arts, fashion show and more! Join us in celebrating SDSU's rich campus culture and the many benefits of global education. Please sign up HERE to host a table or a cultural performance.

**Date:** November 15, 2018  
**Location:** Aztecs Student Union Courtyard
Events Outside SDSU

The Hola Mexico Film Tour 2018, October 19-25, 2018
The Hola Mexico Film Tour 2018 is a traveling film festival featuring eight of the most popular and acclaimed recently-released Mexican movies. The film selection includes Sacudete Las Penas, Me Gusta Pero Me Asusta, Los Adioses, Oso Polar, La Gran Promesa, Eres Mi Pasion, Como Matar A Un Esposo Muerto, and Vuelven. Media Arts Center’s San Diego Latino Film Festival will be bringing the tour to our Digital Gym Cinema North Park from October 19th through the 25th. The movies listed below are the ones that have a set date for screening.

Museo: October 12-18
Alonso Ruizpalacios (GÜEROS) directs MUSEO, an unforgettable heist thriller starring Gael Garcia Bernal about two unlikely thieves who set out to steal cultural artifacts from Mexico's iconic National Anthropology museum on Christmas Eve. Inspired by true events. Museo is a sardonic cautionary tale that underscores the old adage: you don’t know what you have until you lose it.

You can learn more about this film tour on their website.

Dia de los Muertos Festival, OCTOBER 20, 2018
Experience artisan demonstrations and exhibits from various cultures, Aztec dancers and rituals, an art walk, a catrina runway and fashion show, face painting, a children's craft workshop, and a community altar and altar contest while listening to mariachi music and ballet folklorico! Click here to purchase tickets.

Time: 2:00-10:00 pm
Location: La Vista Memorial Park, National City

Hispanic Heritage Celebration with San Diego County Latino Association, October 22, 2018
Celebration will include Hispanic themed food, live entertainment and guest speakers. Click here to register.

Time: 11:30 am-1:00 pm
Location: SD County Operations Center, 5520 Overland Ave., San Diego

CINE EN SHERMAN: BORDER & FOOD, OCTOBER 24, 2018
From crossing borders to bringing food justice to a new country, these films follow the journey of individuals on a the to creating community and finding empowerment in their passion.

Time: 6:00 pm-8:30 pm
Location: Bread & Salt
1955 Julian Avenue
San Diego, CA 92113
For tickets and showtimes click here!

Southern California at the 2018 Southern California Forum for Diversity in Graduate Education, October 27, 2018

You are invited to join the 2018 Southern California Forum for Diversity in Graduate Education! This event will be held at University of San Diego, on Saturday, October 27, 2018. Transportation, lunch and the Forum itself are FREE! However, a deposit of $20.00 (cash only, refundable for those that attend) is required to reserve a place on the bus. Due to parking limitations at USD and at request of the Chancellor’s Office, DRIVING TO THE FORUM IS NOT POSSIBLE for SDSU students. You will need to select the “bus” option when registering for the forum. Students that select the “driving” will be removed from the forum registration. Details on time and place of departure will be sent to students who register and submit their fee.

To participate in the Forum, click the link and enter the registration code: diego2018.

Deadline to sign up: October 12th.

For more info visit the website or contact the graduate affairs office at gra@sdsu.edu or 619-594-5213.

LASSO Tijuana Tour, November 10, 2018

If you are new to the San Diego-Tijuana region and would like to explore Tijuana with others, join LASSO on Saturday November 10th!

Join them as they tour and explore Tijuana. Participants will be responsible for their day expenses.

For more info email LASSOSDSU@gmail.com

STUDENT TRIP TO TIJUANA, NOVEMBER 12, 2018

Come and learn about community health and development in Tijuana! Join Via International, a local non-profit that organizes educational tours for students, on this day trip! The focus of the day is to visit businesses started with microfinance loans. Microfinance loan programs all over the world have sought to reduce poverty and financial burdens among underserved populations, especially women. Many programs also provide business training. The microfinance business owners will share their challenges and successes.

Cost of the trip: To be determined. Cost includes transportation and a delicious lunch catered by a microfinance-led business.

To sign up, please email Elizabeth Reed – ereed@sdsu.edu
CONSULTAS DE IMMIGRACION/IMMIGRATION
CONSULTS, NOW-DECEMBER 2, 2018

Everything that is discussed is confidential between you and the attorney. For more info., contact: Dulce at dulce@borderangels.org.

Date: First Sunday of the month (October 7, November 4 & December 2)
Time: 12:00-1:00 pm

INTENSIVE NAHUATL CULTURAL AND LANGUAGE PROGRAM

Nahuatl is an indigenous language of Mexico, with approximately one and a half million speakers. This ten-day course is taught by native speakers in Zacatecas, Mexico. Through this language course, the students will develop communication skills along with an interactive focus on understanding, speaking, reading, writing and language culture that will allow them to interact effectively and appropriately with native speakers at at level basic and intermediate-advanced.

THERE IS NO ACADEMIC CREDIT FOR THIS COURSE.

Location: Zacatecas, Mexico
Program Dates: January 2, 2019-January 12, 2019
Price: For non-residents, $480.00 dollars

For more info. email contact Eduardo de La Cruz at xochiayotzin@gmail.com

UPCOMING CONCERTS IN SAN DIEGO & BAJA CALIFORNIA

❏ JESSE AND JOY at the Balboa Theater in San Diego on Tuesday, October 23, 2018
Buy tickets here!

❏ Tecate Peninsula 2018 Music Festival in Tijuana B.C. on Saturday, October 27, 2018
Buy tickets here!

❏ Los Angeles Azules at the Observatory North Park in San Diego on Sunday, November 4, 2018
Buy tickets here!
Fellowship Opportunities

**English Opens Doors Program**

The English Open Doors Program is a Program of the Ministry of Education designed to improve English language education in schools throughout Chile. The NVC is an initiative of the English Opens Doors Program as it is supported by the United Nations Development Programme-Chile. The NVC seeks highly motivated native or near native English speakers to serve as English Language Teaching Assistants. Volunteers teach for 24 hours each week and spend an additional 11 hours leading extra-curricular activities.

For more information about the program, check out the website: [http://www.centrodevoluntarios.cl/](http://www.centrodevoluntarios.cl/)

If you would like to speak to a former volunteer of the English Opens Doors Program and hear about their experience, please send an email at Stephanie.hairgrove@mineduc.cl

**JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

**EOP TUTORS NEEDED**

EOP is looking for tutors! If you are currently enrolled in JMS 489, ART 349 and 250, PA 320, and CJ 300 and are a Junior, Senior, or Graduate student with a GPA of 3.0 or higher, this is for you! The pay rate is $13.00 per hour and they work around your schedule.

For more info, contact Samantha Champi at eoplsc@sdsu.edu

**Note:** If you have an event that you would like to see added to the CLAS E-Bulletin, please send the event information along with the time, date, and place of the event to clasgrad@sdsu.edu.