

Latino Heritage Month and Beyond 2012 Cultural Collisions

Wednesday, September 19

Latino Heritage Month Opening Ceremony
Cultural Collisions: Identity, Pop Culture, and Politics
Trabant Multipurpose Rooms A & B
7:00 pm; Doors open at 6:30 pm

Drawing from his personal experiences growing up Latino and Polish, two-time HBO Def Poet Joe Hernandez-Kolski uses spoken word poetry and comedy to explore the changing face of America.

Monday, October 1

Latino Heritage Month Extravaganza**
Courting Diversity: Media, Latinos, and the Law
Mitchell Hall Auditorium
7:00 pm; Doors open at 6:30 pm

With over 19 years of legal experience, Judge Marilyn Milian is the first female to preside over television's most popular court show, *The People's Court*. Milian graduated summa cum laude from the University of Miami and earned her law degree from Georgetown Law School at the age of 23.

Wednesday, October 3/October 4

Comida Latina – Latin Food Festival
Dinner Only – Kent & Pencader Dining Hall (Oct. 3)
Dinner Only – Russell & Rodney Dining Hall (Oct. 4)

Food has historically been the bridge to connect people from various backgrounds. This festival boasts traditional dishes from several countries. Come out and indulge in a world of flavorful dishes.

Saturday, October 13

Guallando**
Perkins Rodney Room
7:00 pm

Join the members of Chi Upsilon Sigma Sorority for a traditional Guallando experience, complete with live performances and vendors.

Saturday, October 27

Multi-Ethnic Career Development Conference

Clayton Hall

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

This conference provides University of Delaware undergraduates from underrepresented and multi-ethnic groups from across all majors an excellent opportunity to hear from dynamic speakers, meet alumni, network with employers, enjoy a fabulous lunch, and find internships as well as full-time and part-time jobs. To register, visit the Career Services Center at <http://www.udel.edu/CSC/mecc.html>.

Friday, November 9

Fiesta Latina**

Trabant Multipurpose Rooms

8:00 pm

Celebrate Latino Heritage Month with HOLA by dancing the night away to the beats of a live Latin band.

Monday, October 1 – Friday, November 30

LHM Community Service Project

La Raza's Holiday Book Drive and Fundraiser

Books should be in good to lightly used condition. All genre accepted for ages 6 -18. Collected books will be donated to the Latin American Community Center (LACC) in time for the Christmas holiday. Donation boxes will be at all LHM events denoted with **. Several UD organizations will join this effort by raising funds to purchase bookshelves to display the books.

Sponsors: Center for Black Culture, Campus Alliance de La Raza, Chi Upsilon Sigma, HOLA, Multicultural Greek Congress, Black Student Union, Cultural Programming Advisory Board, Career Services Center, Dining Services, Office of Equity and Inclusion, Residence Life, Student Life.

All programs and events are open to the public. For further information, contact 302-831-2991.

To request disability accommodations, please call 302-831-4643 prior to the event.

Community Happenings:

September 15 and 16- Hispanic Heritage Month Festival and Parade
Visit www.nuestrasraicesdelaware or call 302-576-2458 for more information.

October 12- LACC 43rd Annual Grand Ball
Visit www.thelatincenter.org or call 302-655-7338 for more information.