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LATINX STAFF AND
FACULTY FORUM

LOOKING BACK: SPRING 2017

Meeting: May 22, 2017



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New Leadership: Spring 2017

- After a successful election, a new leadership was announced at the December 7, 2017 meeting:
 - President/Chair – Marisol Arredondo Samson
 - Vice President/Vice Chair – Rueben Martinez
 - Secretary – Oscar Teran
 - Treasurer – Linda Padilla Smyth
- The new Executive Board has meet multiple times over the Spring semester to plan events, meetings, and discuss items brought to the board for consideration.



WHAT WE'VE

BEEEN UP TO

Planning Latinx Meetings: January, February, March, and May



Helping with Orange High School Visit to CU: February 23, 2017

- Building Bridges with OHS
- Orange Unified statistics: 86% of the students enrolled in Orange High School in the 2015-16 AY were identified as Hispanic/Latino.



Cross Cultural Center Opening: February 27, 2017



AAHHE Preconference: Recruiting and Retaining Latino/a Students: Struggles, Challenges, and Commitment: March 9, 2017

Welcome Remarks:

- Daniele C. Struppa, President, Chapman University
- Video Welcome from Edward James Olmos
- Loui Olivas, President, AAHHE

Featured Speakers:

- Dr. Antonia Darder, Leavey Presidential Endowed Chair of Ethics and Moral Leadership, Loyola Marymount University
- Dr. Miguel Zavala, Associate Professor in the College of Educational Studies, Chapman University
- Latino/a Student Panel: Dr. S. Oliver Lopez Najera, Assistant Professor in Schmid College of Science and Technology, Chapman University will moderate a panel of Chapman University students who will discuss the struggles and challenges of navigating the higher education experience

Hosted at Chapman University by the Office of the President,
Office of the Provost, College of Educational Studies,
and the Latinx Staff and Faculty Forum

Preview Day: April 8, 2017

- Diversity & Inclusion Breakfast
- Student Involvement Fair

Preview Day

Please join us on Saturday April 8, 2017 for Preview Day. Admitted students and their families are invited to come experience Chapman on this exciting day. You will have the opportunity to meet our distinguished faculty, experience the campus, take tours and meet other admitted students.

Check-in will begin at 8:15 a.m.
The Opening Session will begin promptly at 9:15 a.m.

Registration is required, please use the link below. We hope to see you there!
- REGISTER FOR PREVIEW DAY -

Diversity and Inclusion Breakfast

Join us before Preview Day begins, for a breakfast to learn more about Diversity & Inclusion at Chapman. Diversity & Inclusion is infused into the very fabric of the Chapman University experience. Our students are encouraged to embrace their individuality while also engaging with others to cultivate a dynamic global community built atop principles of dialogue, mutual respect and compassion. Please join us for an informative breakfast reception to learn more about Diversity & Inclusion at Chapman. This event requires an additional reservation, please use the link below.
- REGISTER FOR DIVERSITY & INCLUSION BREAKFAST -



Latinx Forum Student & Alumni Mixer: April 25, 2017

Student & Alumni Mixer

WHERE: Cross Cultural Center
(3rd floor, Argyros Forum)

WHEN: Tuesday, April 25th at 6PM

WHY: Meet the CU Latinx Staff & Faculty Forum!
Mingle with other students and alumni!
Enjoy some refreshments, music and community!

We Can't Wait To See You There!
RSVP at <http://tiny.cc/latinxrsvp>



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Latinx Graduation Celebration: May 6, 2017





Representing Chapman Outside the University

- AAHHE 12th Annual National Conference: March 9-10, 2017
- OC Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (OCHCC) Estrella Awards: April 29, 2017
- OC Human Relations Awards Ceremony: May 4, 2017
- Exclusive Briefing with Pacific Standard Time: LA/LA: May 23, 2017

World CAFE: Heartbeat of Mexico: May 28, 2017

Musco Center for the Arts

World CAFE

Cultural Arts Festivals & Events

The Heartbeat of Mexico

Presented in association with
Chapman Latinx Staff & Faculty Forum

Sunday, May 28

6:00pm Inside the
Jullianne Argyros Orchestra Hall

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Mariachi Flor de Toloache

Pushing the boundaries
of mariachi while preserving
Mexican traditions.



Mariachi Flor de Toloache



AND Las Cafeteras
"uniquely Angeleno mishmash of beat music,
cumbia and rock...Live, they're magnetic"
-Los Angeles Times

FREE PARKING!

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!
muscocenter.org 844-OC-MUSCO

Tickets start at \$20. Chapman Students: \$10 off with ID (any level)
Chapman Faculty & Staff: \$5 off with ID (any level)
One University Drive, Orange, CA 92866

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World CAFE

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The Heartbeat of Mexico

Sunday, May 28, 2017

1:00-5:30pm **FREE Outdoor Festival**



BETTE AND WYLIE AITKEN ARTS PLAZA STAGE

1:00pm | Opening Ceremony

1:15pm | El Sol Academy

The kids get things started when students from kindergarten through fifth grade showcase traditional Mexican dances, demonstrating the future of this art form is strong.

2:15pm | Calle4Cumbia

This community-inspired cumbia band from Santa Ana plays songs that highlight the pride and strengths of the Mexican/Latino community.

3:15pm | Relámpago del Cielo

The artists-in-school program travels nationwide to help traditions thrive by educating students and teaches about Mexican culture through regional music, folklore and art.

4:45pm | La Misa Negra

La Misa Negra explodes onto the stage with an electrifying blend of cumbia and high-energy, Afro-Colombian dance music of the 1950s and 1960s.

1:30pm | Los Sanchez Mariachi Quartet

This award-winning youth quartet puts its voices together to perform different interpretations

of mariachi music with a variety of instruments, including violin, trumpet, vihuela, guitarra, guitar, and harp.

2:30pm | Felipe Orozco & Mariachi Tierra Azteca

This band has delighted audiences of all ages across Southern California with popular mariachi songs, Latin pop and Banda hits like Porqué Porqué, Luna Luna, and Quisiera Resarte.

3:30pm | MEXIKA

MEXIKA is a high-powered ensemble of artists. Their brightly colored traditional leather garments and ancient instruments reflect the culture they celebrate.

4:45pm | Ballet Folklórico el Tapatio

Passion and love permeate these traditional dances and the culture of Mexico, performed by students who learn professionalism and life skills as they learn and convey their culture.

FISH INTERFAITH CENTER TERRACE

1:45pm | Gloria Arjona "Frida: Under Your Skin"

Professor Gloria Arjona draws from famous Mexican artist Frida Kahlo's personal letters, journal, photos, self-portraits, and the songs she loved.

3:00pm | La Caperuñita Roja

The classic childhood tale of Little Red Riding Hood comes to life in the form of comedy and magic, and provides charming entertainment for the entire family.

4:15pm | Lighthouse Theatre workshop

Learn and apply basic concepts of theatre arts as they concern the culture of Mexico.

MILAN PANIC AMPHITHEATRE

1:30pm | "Journey through the Americas"

Higgy Vasquez and Martin Espino conduct a musical trip through North, Central and South America, singing in Spanish, Portuguese and indigenous languages. All ages are invited to sing along.

4:00pm | Folklórico Workshop

Featuring dances from different states of Mexico, including stunning skirts work (filedo), dancing with machetes, and while balancing glasses with candles.

PERFORMER'S COURT

1:00 and 3:00pm | Randy y Sus Diamantes
Bring the whole family to celebrate the rich variety of Mexican regional music, from classic rancheros and cumbias from 100 years ago to modern-day corridos.

SOUTH LAWN ACTIVITIES

Paper Flower Workshop — Family Art Therapy
Let your creativity take wing as you explore different techniques to make paper flowers. Design and make hair ornamentations, lapel pins, and other works of simple and original beauty.

Mural painting with Higgy Vasquez
Orange County's own Higgy Vasquez is a man of many talents, and during this session he shares his gift for mural painting.

Papel Picado workshop
Express yourself in the traditional medium of tissue paper as you create your own unique and elaborate works of Mexican folk art.

The outdoor celebrations will also showcase numerous other crafts and activities for the whole family, including face painting and art exhibits from Bowen Museum and Chapman University's Hilbert Museum of California Art.

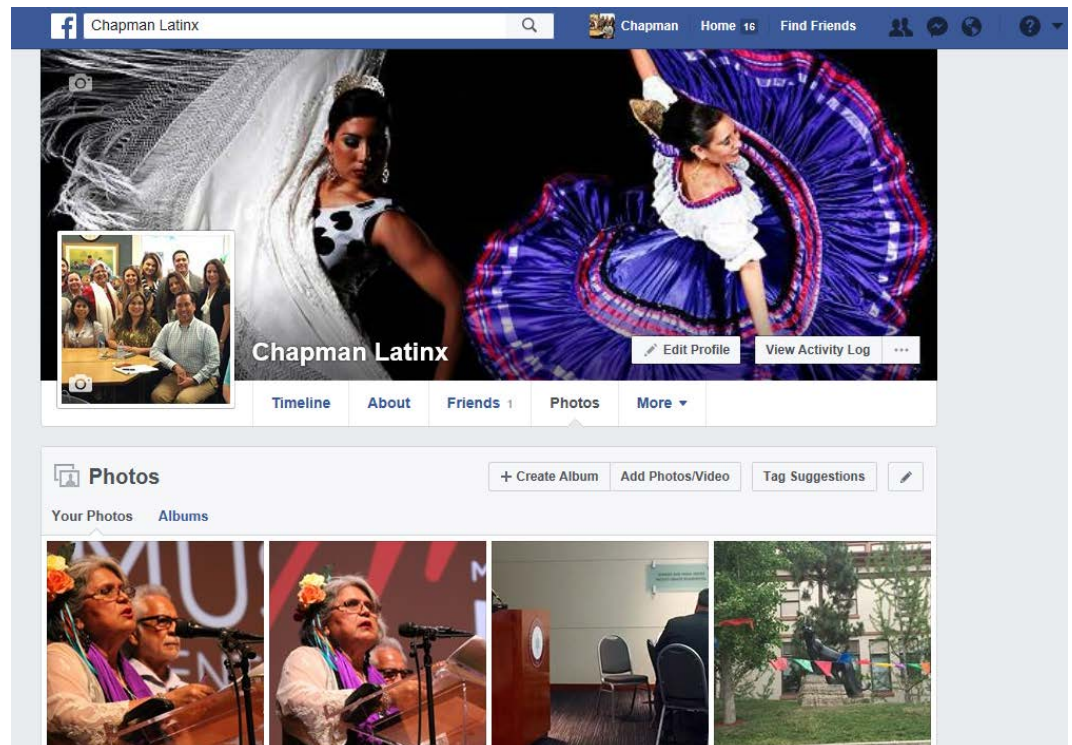
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2:30pm | Salvador Torres lecture
This artist, muralist, and early figure in the Chicano art movement has left his mark on San Diego, celebrating Mexican culture in that city's public spaces. He discusses and shows his art during this session.

Latinx Forum Email and Facebook

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Diversity & Inclusion Strategic Plan



FOSTERING A DIVERSE & INCLUSIVE CAMPUS CULTURE



CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY
FIVE-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN
FOR DIVERSITY & INCLUSION

2017 – 2022



Special Access or Invitations

- Discount Tickets for the Rita Moreno Event: March 11, 2017
- Special Seating for the Placido Domingo Event: March 29, 2017
- 2nd Annual Education & Ethnic Studies Summit: April 1-2, 2017
- Personal Invitation from the President's Office to the Give Something Back Foundation Celebration: May 17, 2017

Thank you for a Great Year!





Looking Ahead: Summer 2017 and Fall 2017

- Staff Summit
- Students in Santa Ana Unified visiting Chapman via the Achievement Institute of Scientific Studies (AISS)
- October 14th Project: Fiesta Mendez
- Latinx Heritage Month
- OHS and/or Higher Ground partnership
- Fundraising
- Latinx Forum website update