



HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

The Office of Multicultural Affairs is committed to recognizing the histories, cultures, experiences, and contributions of diverse populations. Through cultural heritage month programming, OMA supports the University of Dayton's academic mission by providing educational opportunities that assist students in exploring new experiences while also enhancing their understanding of their cultural identity. In collaboration with faculty, staff, students, and the Dayton community, OMA seeks to provide thought-provoking co-curricular programming that supports the personal development of all students, while also influencing the campus climate.

Please join The University of Dayton and The Office of Multicultural Affairs in celebrating *Hispanic Heritage Month*.

Educate, Empower, Engage

Wednesday, September 7: IEP Global Game Night- Latin America: Global Game Night is a recurring event developed to create a relaxed, fun environment where international, Intensive English Program, and US students can interact. Each night will focus on a different region of the world and feature games and snacks from that region. September's Global Game Night will focus on games and activities from Latin American countries. This event is PATH eligible.

5:45 p.m. – 7:00 pm. in the **Rike Center**

Sponsored by the Center for International Programs

Wednesday, September 14: Culture Fest: The annual Culture Fest is a time when students, faculty and staff come together to celebrate the rich cultural diversity of the University of Dayton's campus. Culture Fest is a campus-wide collaborative initiative that showcases music, dance, spoken-word and culinary traditions.

Celebrate Diversity...Celebrate You!

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in **KU Central Mall**

Sponsored by Office of Multicultural Affairs, Center for International Programs, Dining Services, Center for Student Involvement, Housing & Residence Life, Campus Recreation, ArtStreet, Women's Center, New Student Programs, Rites Rights Writes, the Office of Diversity and Inclusion, and the Student Government Association

Thursday, September 15: OMA Day – Hispanic Heritage Month Lunch: Join OMA as we dine together in the spirit of fellowship in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month. A variety of authentic dishes associated with Latin culture will be served. This event is free to all UD students, faculty and staff.

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the **Office of Multicultural Affairs (Alumni 101)**

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Affairs

Thursday, September 15: Film & Discussion: *American DREAMers* - Special guest: Dayton Mayor Nan Whaley: *American DREAMers* follows the journey of a group of five undocumented youth and an ally who risk their freedom by outing themselves as undocumented and walking more than 3,000 miles across America's heartland to organize for immigrant rights. Their stories of growing up in a country they know as home while constantly fearing deportation, inspires people from all parts of the country to take part in what they believe is their civil rights movement. These are college students, young professionals, activists, and community leaders. They are undocumented and unafraid.

*AVIATE, PATH-point eligible
Refreshments provided*

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. in **Roesch Library Collab**

Co-sponsored by University of Dayton Libraries, the Dayton Human Relations Council and Welcome Dayton

Sunday, September 18: Bilingual Mass: All are welcome to celebrate Mass in Spanish and English. Todos son bienvenidos a Santa Misa en Español e Inglés.

Please contact Kathy Sales at ksales1@udayton.edu if you would like to be an Eucharistic minister at this Mass or have questions.

6:00 p.m. in the **Chapel of the Immaculate Conception**

Sponsored by the Campus Ministry

Wednesday, September 21: Checking the *Pulse* – Vigil and Discussion: June 12, 2016, in the midst of Pride celebrations, a gunman opened fire at an Orlando, Florida LGBTQ+ nightclub, Pulse, in what we now know was the deadliest mass shooting in modern U.S. history, leaving at least 50 dead and 53 injured. Most of the victims were members of the LGBTQ+ Latinx community. Join us as members of the University of Dayton community come together to process their thoughts, explore the impact of this event, and remember those affected.

7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. at **Kennedy Union RM 331**
Sponsored by **LGBTQ+ Support Services, SPECTRUM, Human Rights Center**

Thursday, September 22: Friends of Latin America: Meet students, faculty and staff with an interest in or affiliation to Latin America and its languages and cultures.

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. in **Kennedy Union Torch Lounge**
Sponsored by the **Center for International Programs and the Office of Multicultural Affairs**

Monday, September 26: Hispanic Heritage Month Cookie Facts: Stop by Kennedy Union to grab a free cookie and learn a little more about the significant roles that Latinos and Latinas have played in the shaping of U.S. and world culture.

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the **Kennedy Union Lobby**
Sponsored by **Office of Multicultural Affairs and New Student Programs**

Tuesday, September 27: Latin Trivia Night: Do you know that September 15-October 15 was chosen as Hispanic Heritage Month because September 15 marks the anniversary of the independence of five Latin American countries: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. Mexico, Chile and Belize also celebrate their independence days during this period and Columbus Day (Día de la Raza) is October 12. If you knew the answer and/or would like to learn more interesting facts, join us for Latin Trivia Night. This event will include questions highlighting both historical and current events, and will also test your critical thinking as some of the trivia will be based on visual cues. Prizes and light refreshments will be provided.

6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at **Office of Multicultural Affairs (Alumni 101)**
Sponsored by the **Office of Multicultural Affairs and Multicultural Programming Council (MPC)**

Thursday, September 29: Film & Discussion: Cesar's Last Fast - Special guests: An immigration attorney and a migrant farmworker: Cesar's Last Fast is a multi-platform feature documentary film about the private sacrifice and spiritual conviction behind Cesar Chavez's struggle for the humane treatment of America's farm workers, and the impact Chavez's legacy has on today's generation of organizers fighting for farm worker rights. The film is built around powerful, never-before-seen footage of Chavez's 1988 "Fast for Life," a 36-day act of penance for not having done enough to stop growers from spraying pesticides on farm workers. The story of this water-only fast is the film's dramatic arc into which the filmmakers interweave the historic events that defined the life mission of America's most inspiring Latino leader and the struggles confronting today's farm workers.

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6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. in **Roesch Library Collab**
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Monday, October 10: Brown Bag Discussion: *How Could We Have Lived or Died This Way:*

Join us as we discuss the work of Latino poet and essayist Martin Espada, and how his poem *How We Could Have Lived or Died This Way* beautifully captures the complexities of the social justice movement and how/why lives have been lost in this country. This discussion will be led by Camilo Pérez-Bustillo, director of the University of Dayton's Human Rights Center.

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. at **Kennedy Union 207**

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the Human Rights Center

Tuesday, October 11: Latin Flavors Student Potluck: Enjoy a multitude of authentic Latin dishes prepared by UD students. Join us as we dine and fellowship together in the true spirit of *la familia*. All welcomed and you do not need to bring a dish to attend.

6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. in the **Office of Multicultural Affairs (Alumni 101)**

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Affairs, El Orgullo Latino (EOL), the Society of Hispanic Engineers (SHPE) and the Hispanic Student Business Association

Thursday, October 13: Film & Discussion: *Hecho en Mexico* - Special guest: Gabriela Pickett of Missing Peace Art Space in downtown Dayton: Take a vibrant look at contemporary Mexican culture as experienced through the art and music of the people. *Hecho en Mexico* showcases the richness of Mexican music from traditional to pop rock and rap, featuring interviews from Diego Luna, Lila Downs and other leading personalities. The result is an inspiring and often funny musical road trip through modern-day "Mexicanity."

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Friday, October 14: REAL Topics: Building the Wall: keeping *them* out or locking *us* in: Join us as we discuss the concept of what means to be a *foreigner* in today's America. Who belongs? Who doesn't? and which individuals decides who gets to call the U.S. home. Join us as we dialogue over these and other questions.

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For more information about Hispanic Heritage Month events please call the Office of Multicultural Affairs at 229-3634 or visit go.udayton.edu/heritagemonths

