Welcome to The Indigenous Reader!

This Indigenous Reader Newsletter is dedicated to highlighting some important resources that are available to you at Colorado State University. We know how important getting connected and finding community is during your college experience, so check out these great resources that are available to all students!

Get connected and stay up to date with events & programs on our social media!

Instagram: @nacc.csu
Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/csunacc
Important Deadlines

October 1
- CSUSA Application opens

December 1
- Freshman Early Action Admission Application Date

December 10
- Deadline to submit spring 2022 residency petition

December 15
- Deadline to accept a fall only direct loan (must be accepted by 3 PM)

Check Out Other SDPS Offices!

NACC is just one office in a cluster of seven Student Diversity Programs and Services (SDPS) that serves students at CSU. With aims to try and holistically serve our students we want to highlight some of the other offices in our cluster that students may want to engage in. Please note our offices are all inclusive and open for all CSU students to utilize.

- Asian Pacific American Cultural Center
- Black/African American Cultural Center
- El Centro
- Pride Resource Center
- Student Disability Center
- Women and Gender Advocacy Center

Want to Learn More About Native Faculty & Staff at CSU?

We have a list of self-identified Native and Indigenous Faculty & Staff at CSU
NACC Website: https://nacc.colostate.edu/student-resources/native-american-faculty-staff/
Our office embraces and encourages a supportive environment based on traditions and cultures of Native American peoples.

CSU Counseling Center

INTRODUCING MULTICULTURAL COUNSELING

The Counseling Center is excited to share a new initiative, the Multicultural Counseling Services. These services are designed for students who have been historically underrepresented and aims to reduce barriers for you to access and navigate Counseling Services. There are lots of identity-specific services and resources that can support your emotional health and overall wellness. Visit the website for more information! https://health.colostate.edu/multicultural-counseling/

FINANCIAL AID DROP-IN HOUR
FALL 2021

Financial Aid questions? Join the monthly drop in hours with NACC’s Financial Aid liaison, Jenna Waldvogel. She’ll be in the NACC office, with virtual drop-in available.

Second Thursday every month - 10am - 12pm MT
NACC Office, LSC 327 AND virtual

September 9th
October 14th
November 11th
December 9th

Zoom Link: https://zoom.us/j/99569246753
Meeting ID: 995 692 46753

Multicultural Counseling Drop-In Hours

Tuesdays: 1 – 4 p.m.
Wednesdays: 1 – 4 p.m.
Thursdays: 1 – 4 p.m
SNAP Benefits

You could qualify for SNAP if you:
- work 80 hours/month
- participate in work-study
- are a parent or caregiver
- receive TANF benefits
- have a disability that makes working challenging
- participate in a workforce development program
- Students (18-49) attending at least half-time may be eligible for SNAP by meeting income guidelines and additional criteria.
- Students attending less than half-time and those age 50+ do not need to meet any additional student criteria (only income).

Rams Against Hunger

Rams Against Hunger offers a menu of services that support students, faculty and staff experiencing food insecurity. Services include a food pantry, a meal-swipe program, pocket pantries, and in-person assistance with navigating federal aid eligibility. To help address financial stress and food insecurity brought about by COVID 19, Rams Against Hunger is now offering a permanent food pantry on campus, located in the Lory Student Center Theater. Bring your CSU ID card. Hours of operation are listed to the left.

Hours of operation:
- Monday: CLOSED
- Tuesday: CLOSED
- Wednesdays: 4:00 – 7:00 pm
- Thursdays: 4:00-7:00 pm
- Fridays: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Visit the website for more information!

https://lsc.colostate.edu/slice/slice-engagement/rams-against-hunger/
Victim Assistance Team

WOMEN AND GENDER ADVOCACY CENTER

The victim assistance team provides confidential support and advocacy to CSU students, family, and friends who have experienced dating/domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking on/off campus.

Trained Victim Advocates are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year to provide emotional support and information for victims of all genders to cope with the physical, psychological, and legal aftermath from interpersonal violence.

Diversity Symposium

The Office of the Vice President for Diversity is pleased to announce that the 21st Annual Diversity Symposium will be held October 25 – 29, 2021, via a virtual platform to ensure accessibility.

Beginning in 2001 with a one-day event, the Diversity Symposium has grown into a week-long conference featuring dozens of sessions relating to diversity and inclusion, cutting-edge research presentations, a variety of keynote speakers, and a strand focused specifically on educators.

For more information, you can also visit the Diversity Symposium website at: https://diversity.colostate.edu/symposium/
Free Tutoring Programs

Colorado State has various tutoring programs available to students across campus for additional support in courses. One of those is the Eagle Feather tutoring program run through the NACC. Our tutoring program generally focuses on AUCC courses, including many STEM courses that students take. It is not as widely utilized as other free tutoring programs so students are able to receive more individualized personal time with our tutors. This can be a nice compliment to some of the group tutoring programs that are available on campus. Tutoring is now available and the schedule can be found on the NACC website: https://nacc.colostate.edu/programs/eagle-feather-tutoring/

Tilt Tutoring: This is another free tutoring program! Instead of our traditional drop-in tutoring services, this semester all TILT tutoring will happen via virtual group tutoring cohorts. Students will have the opportunity to sign-up and commit to participating in a cohort that meets twice a week for 50-minutes. Check back soon for more information!

https://tilt.colostate.edu/Learning/Tutoring

Meet the Mentors!

The North Star Peer Mentoring program consists of upper-class Native American/Indigenous students at CSU who are hired to serve as a mentor to incoming Native American students at CSU. They go through training to learn about resources and how to serve as a mentor and leader to support in the transition to college life. They are a great resource if you have questions about things on campus, and would love to meet with you to support you during your first year at CSU.
Native Women's Circle

Native Women's Circle is a social-cultural group program through the Native American Cultural Center that nurtures group, individual, and cultural support for all students! All gender identities are welcome! In the past, the Native Women's Circle has participated in social and cultural events together and will continue to do this in person this fall. We meet every Tuesday in the Native American Cultural Center (LSC 327) from 5:00 - 6:30 PM.

• To join the mailing list, email our Coordinator, Nizhoni Hatch, at nizhoni.hatch@colostate.edu

American Indian Science & Engineering Society

AISES is one of the major student organizations for Native students at CSU. Even though the national organization is geared towards those that are in STEM-focused majors, we welcome students of all majors to join. The organization hosts various academic and culturally based programming, including the annual pow wow for Native American Heritage Month. Meetings are Wednesdays at 6:00 PM in the Native American Cultural Center, LSC 327

• For more information, email our President, Simone James, at simone.james@rams.colostate.edu
Latinx Heritage Month

El Centro is honored to be able to celebrate National Latinx Heritage Month both on campus and virtually this year! Our objectives for National Latinx Heritage month are:

- To engage CSU students in the celebration of the month
- To provide fun, educational and entertaining events for everyone
- To increase the awareness of diversity in our communities
- To develop and nurture positive relationships across diverse cultures

To check out the full line-up for the month, check out El Centro’s website: https://elcentro.colostate.edu/latinx-heritage-month/

Career Education Workshop Series

What The Future

Schedule 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. MT Hybrid – in LSC 120 or Zoom

- Sep 8 Job/Internship Searching – Prep for the Virtual Career Fair
- Sep 29 Building Career Connections
- Oct 6 Storytelling on Resumes, CVs, and Cover Letters
- Oct 20 Graduate School Applications and Decisions
- Nov 3 Application Party in Lory Student Center 120
- Nov 17 Interview Skill Building
- Dec 1 Job/Internship Search Strategies

Career Center

The Career Center is a great resource dedicated to helping students explore careers and provides resources to help students with the process, including resume/cover letter assistance, job/internship searches, interviewing tips, and more!

https://career.colostate.edu/

Career Center Drop-In Hours

Every day of the work week, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Virtually or In Person
Career Center Website: https://career.colostate.edu/events/