Florida Atlantic University will celebrate Hispanic/Latina/o/x Heritage with a series of events from September 15th through October 15th, 2021 at its Boca Raton, Jupiter and Broward campuses. The events are virtual, free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted.

It traditionally honors the cultures and contributions of both Hispanic and Latina/o/x Americans as we celebrate heritage rooted in all Latin American countries. During this month and throughout the year, we, and our partners, share history, heritage, and accomplishments of Hispanic and Latina/o/x Americans of past and present.

2021 National Hispanic Heritage Month theme: “Esperanza: A Celebration of Hispanic Heritage and Hope.”

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Tuesday, September 14 from 5:30 P.M. to 6:30 P.M.
Student Union Room 214, Davie Campus
A discussion platform uniting the voices and experiences of our Hispanic/Latina/o/x faculty, staff and students.
For more information, contact Nori Carter from the Broward Campus Life at ncarte10@fau.edu.

**United Greek Council Speakeasy Night**
Tuesday, September 14 from 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
House of Chambers
Students are allowed to attend the event and bring their poetry and rapping game in person and remotely.
For more information, contact the United Greek Council at faugcpresident@gmail.com.

**Adivina Quien (Guess Who)**
Wednesday, September 15 from 11:00 A.M. to 11:30 A.M.
Poolside, Seatech Campus
Test your knowledge in a game of Adivina Quien (Guess Who) on Hispanic/Latina/o/x leaders.
For more information, contact Aaron Hackman from the Office of LEAD- Broward Campus Life, at hackmana2015@fau.edu.

**Hispanic Star: Hispanic Heritage Month Opening Ceremony**
Wednesday, September 15 at 3:00 P.M. ET
Virtual, Registration: https://hispanicstar.org/hispanic-heritage-month/
Invite your company, organization, family and friends to begin Hispanic Heritage Month in a unified gathering to celebrate our heritage and set the tone for the month. Engage us in building a stronger narrative about Hispanics.
United Greek Council Sorority and Fraternity Recruitment Night Fall 2021
Wednesday, September 15 from 7:00 PM to 8:30 P.M.
Virtual, Registration Required
UGC Sorority and Fraternity Recruitment Night is an opportunity for women and men who are interested in joining a culturally based and/or historically Latinx or Asian organization. You will learn basic information about all United Greek Council organizations. The night will begin with an Orientation from the Assistant Director of Fraternity and Sorority Life, followed by organization presentations. You will then select the break-out room(s) of your choice to gain more insight regarding membership. We welcome you to meet the women and men of Lambda Theta Alpha, Latin Sorority, Inc., Alpha Psi Lambda National, Inc., Lambda Alpha Upsilon Fraternity, Inc., Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity, Inc., and Delta Kappa Delta Sorority, Inc. Business casual wear and turning your camera on is required for this event.
For more information, please contact Ebony Lamar, Fraternity and Sorority Life Office, fslife@fau.edu or 561-297-4924.

Indigenous representations in Spanish Peninsular Literature - DESCUBRIMIENTO EN ACCIÓN - Descubra la verdad sobre el regreso de los "Indianos" a España
Thursday, September 16 from 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.
Virtual, Zoom Registration Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/6316297514878/WN_thfS8e7cS1WJ5AmzunR8lA
Join Nuria Godón, PhD, in the analysis of the figure of the "Indiano," Spaniards who returned to Spain after making fortunes in America. Godón will talk about how the figure from the Indiano marked the end of the 19th century, how the narrative changed after the loss of overseas colonies of Cuba and Puerto Rico, and how the Philippines created myths based on the natives of the Iberian Peninsula. Presentation will be hosted in Spanish.
For more information, contact Sigma Delta Pi at santiagorodr2016@fau.edu.

Multicultural Assembly
Friday, September 17 from 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Grand Palm Room, Boca Raton campus
It is an event where we invite all the presidents and plus one to a dinner so that they can mingle and we speak on how to co-sponsor with the Multicultural Programming Board and with other Multicultural/Spiritual student organizations. RSVP is required.
For more information, please contact the SG’s Multicultural Programming Board at sgbocamp@edu.

Miami Pride Festival
Sunday, September 19 from 11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.
Miami
FAU students will be attending the event to showcase their LGBTQ+ identities and advocate for ways we can make South Florida more inclusive.
For more information, please contact the Center for IDEAs at 561-297-3959.

FAU Diversity Recruiting Showcase (Virtual)
Tuesday, September 21, from 4:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.
Virtual: https://fau.joinhandshake.com/career_fairs/24982/student_preview?token=IkyXQEza5j48xPTfE_EEPSzcpJNnO_HhhUkBSex2-8lyYHqI2QtdA

Many companies across all industries are focused on diversifying their workforce. For many, this means increased hiring of women, those who identify as LGBTQIA*, people of color, veterans, people with disabilities and others.

Join us for this educational networking and recruiting event featuring representatives from multiple companies across industries.

The goal is for students to learn of the variety of ways in which companies are hoping to attract and retain diverse talent from Florida Atlantic University.

EVENT FORMAT:
Panel presentation: 4:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
Networking: 4:30 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.
Date: Tuesday, September 21
Step 1: Please RSVP in Handshake! You do not want to miss out on all of the important information regarding this event.
Step 2: Let’s Get Ready!
For more information, please contact Emmanuela Stanislaus from the Career Center at estanislaus@fau.edu or 561-297-3533.

Caribbean Student Association- General Body Meeting
Tuesday, September 21 from 6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.
Live Oak, Boca Campus
Bi-weekly meetings for all members of the Caribbean Students Association, to discuss organization business and socialize.
For more information, contact Caribbean Student Association at fauca14@gmail.com or 561-412-7067.

In the Time of the Butterflies - Watch Party
Wednesday, September 22 from 12:00 P.M. to 1:45 P.M.
Zoom: https://fau.edu.zoom.us/j/81532095260?pwd=bkNRNRfBNkxUWOhWeTgzSmNoUVJ6Q
Meeting ID- 815 3209 5260
Passcode- Ktx5HL
Join us in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month by watching the film based on the book In the Time of the Butterflies by Julia Alvarez- then joining our discussion, facilitated by Dr. Mary Ann Gosser-Esquelin on Friday, September 24.
For more information, contact Dr. Jennifer Bebergal from Undergraduate Studies at bebergal@fau.edu or 561-297-2432

Brazilian Student Association (BRASA) First Meeting
Thursday, September 23 from 2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M.
Student Union, Boca Raton campus
This will be the first meeting of the semester where members will be able to officially meet the BRASA officers as well as get to know each other. Here we will also discuss future event ideas with the members.
For more information, contact the BRASA President at hmedeiros2018@fau.edu.

**Bodega Central: Generational Trauma**
Thursday, September 23 from 3:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.
Majestic Palm Room, Student Union, Boca Raton Campus
A discussion platform uniting the voices and experiences of our Hispanic/Latina/o/x faculty, staff and students.
For more information, contact Marlynn Lopez from the Office of Hispanic/Latina/o/x Initiatives at lopezm@fau.edu or 561-297-3959.

**America Runs on STEM**
Thursday, September 23 from 5:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Join an interactive panel discussion where students and educators discuss the importance of being a part of the STEM field and the obstacles faced by being a Hispanic/Latino/a/x person.
For more information, contact Nori Carter from Broward & Jupiter Campus Life at ncarte10@fau.edu

**In the Time of the Butterflies - Book/Film discussion**
Friday, September 24 from 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.
Hybrid: Boca GS 226 OR online via Zoom
Zoom: [https://fau.edu.zoom.us/j/81532095260?pwd=bkNRNVBNkxUWFeTgJzSmNoUVJ6Q](https://fau.edu.zoom.us/j/81532095260?pwd=bkNRNVBNkxUWFeTgJzSmNoUVJ6Q)
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**DACA Fall 2021 #1**
Friday, September 24 from 6:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Meeting of the minds to discuss current political policies & create awareness towards the DACA Program.
For more information, contact DACA Association at mdilmaghani2018@fau.edu.

**Bodega Central: Generational Trauma**
Wednesday, September 28 from 5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.
The Burrow, Student Union, Jupiter Campus
A discussion platform uniting the voices and experiences of our Hispanic/Latina/o/x faculty, staff and students.
For more information, contact Marlynn Lopez from the Office of Hispanic/Latina/o/x Initiatives at lopezm@fau.edu or 561-297-3959.

**Fiesta de Barrio Sensacional (Sensational Block Party)**
Wednesday, September 29 from 2:30 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.
Davie Campus
Explore Latina/o/x culture with dancing and food to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month.
For more information, contact Marybeth Lockwood from Broward Program Board, Broward Student Government and Center for IDEA’s at mlockwoo@fau.edu or 954-236-1467

**Dominoes Tournament**
Wednesday, October 6 from 7:00 pm to 9:00 P.M.
Student Union Esports Arena, Boca Raton Campus
To commemorate Hispanic History Month, the FAU Student Union will be holding our first ever Dominoes Tournament inside the FAU Esports Arena. The event will take place from 7:00 P.M-9:00 P.M on October 6th, 2021. Alongside the ongoing tournament, we will be serving traditional Hispanic-inspired mocktails on the FAU Esports Arena Patio for all of our patrons to enjoy.
For more information, contact Loissa Lespinace from the Student Union at llespinace2013@fau.edu or 561-297-2471.

**Salsa Under the Stars**
Thursday, October 7 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 P.M.
The Burrow, Jupiter Campus
Come out to the Burrow to learn about Hispanic/Latina/o/x cultures. Then learn how to salsa dance from a professional instructor. Refreshments will be provided.
For more information, contact Cecilia Sarmiento from Jupiter Campus Life at CSarmiento@fau.edu or 561-799-8145.

**Wellness Hoot**
Wednesday, October 13 from 10:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.
Breezeway, Boca Raton Campus
Visit the Owls Care Leaders for a discussion on stress and resiliency within Hispanic and Latinx/a/o communities. Earn some Hoot Loot for exciting prizes!
For more information, contact Cherilyn Bean from Owls Care Health Promotion & Women and Gender Equity Resource Center at cbean5@health.fau.edu or 561-297-1048.

**FUTUROS Retreat**
Saturday, October 9 from 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.
Grand Palm Room, Student Union, Boca Raton Campus
The FUTUROS Retreat is a one day, cohort-based retreat for participants to connect with one another, develop personal and professional skills, and begin transforming leadership potential into action. This year’s focus is on encouraging participants to build comunidad (community), enhance their educational experiences and to reflect on the complex notions of their Latinidad (Latina/o/x identity).
Bodega Central: Decolonization
Monday, October 11 from 3:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.
Virtual: Zoom- tinyurl.com/EventsML
A discussion platform uniting the voices and experiences of our Hispanic/Latina/o/x faculty, staff, and students. Event topics include issues that affect the Hispanic/Latina/o/x community, such as identity formation, immigration, cultural complexities, financial literacy, and social justice.
For more information, contact Marlynn Lopez from the Office of Hispanic/Latina/o/x Initiatives at lopezm@fau.edu or 561-297-3959.

In the Heights Movie Night
Wednesday, October 13 from 7:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M.
Student Union, Boca Raton Campus
Join Multicultural Programming in watching Lin Manuel Miranda's In the Heights, a movie about Hispanic/Latina/o/xs in a neighborhood of New York. Snacks will be included.
For more information, please contact the SG’s Multicultural Programming Board at sgbocamp@edu.

#UnidosSomosFAU Tabling Fair
Wednesday, October 13 from 3:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.
It will be an environment to engage Hispanic/Latina/o/x students by showcasing the departments, student organizations, and resources available to aid in their overall success at the institution. Refreshments will be provided.
For more information, contact Marlynn Lopez from the Office of Hispanic/Latina/o/x Initiatives at lopezm@fau.edu or 561-297-3959.

Noche Caribe
Friday, October 15 from 8:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M.
Student Union, Boca Raton Campus
A night full of celebrating Hispanic/Latina/o/x culture with music and dance.
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NATIONAL HISPANIC-SERVING INSTITUTIONS WEEK
“Each year, the Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU) calls on Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs) to join in observance of National HSIs Week. This week recognizes the 569 HSIs throughout the nation for their work and critical role in educating and empowering Hispanic youth. This year, HSIs Week will take place Sept. 13-19, 2021, coinciding with Hispanic Heritage Month.

Celebrating HSIs Week on campuses
Below are some suggestions of how campuses can celebrate HSIs Week:
HSIs Week is observed by colleges and universities across the nation. Social Media, virtual events and campus activities are encouraged to heighten awareness of the important role HSIs play in improving access to education and advancing equity for traditionally underserved students. Plans are underway for several members of Congress to recognize the contributions of HSIs in their communities.

1. Raise awareness - Partner with your local newspaper or radio station to promote National HSIs Week and your success stories in the education of Hispanics. This increased visibility can highlight the contributions made by HSIs on a local, national and international scale. Mention your membership with HACU.

2. Go Live. Host a campus forum - Organize virtual town hall meetings with students, faculty, staff and community leaders to explore issues of particular interest to the HSI community.

3. Organize a community-wide activity - Build and promote campus-community partnerships to address various issues impacting the local community.

4. Use Social Media - Share your HSI stories and/or how your institution plans to celebrate National HSIs Week on all social media platforms. Be sure to use #HSIWeek and tag @HACUNews on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram on all your posts.

5. Showcase your students - Showcase your institution’s choir, band, cheerleading squad as a way to commemorate National HSIs Week.

6. Celebrate National HSIs Week in a way unique to your institution.”