

# SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

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## NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Heritage, Diversity, Integrity & Honor: *The Renewed Hope of America*

Each year from September 15 to October 15, the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America are recognized and celebrated. The observation started in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan. It was enacted into law on August 17, 1988, on the approval of Public Law 100-402.



### *Latin American Cuisine*

11:00am – 2:00pm

Thursday, September 15, 2011

Connecticut Hall

In honor of National Hispanic Heritage Month, try something new and enjoy our Latin American menu.

### *Zumba Groove*

7:30pm

Tuesday, September 20, 2011

Adanti Student Center

Ballroom

A dynamic workout routine set to a fusion of Latin and international music.

### *Tres Vidas*

7:30pm

Tuesday, September 27, 2011

Engleman Hall, Room C112

A chamber music theater work based on the lives of painter Frida Kahlo, activist Rufina Amaya, and poet Alfonsina Storni.

### *Real Conversations:*

#### *Latino/ Stereotypes of Men and Women*

12:30pm

Wednesday, September 28, 2011

Adanti Student Center,

Room 233

Real Conversations promotes the discussion of issues regarding diversity and multiculturalism that are of concern to students.

### *Quest\**

9:00am - 4:00pm

Saturday, October 1, 2011

Adanti Student Center Ballroom

Educational Summit for Latino High school students. \*Invitation only.

### *Movie Screening: Real*

#### *Women Have Curves*

7:30pm

Monday, October 3, 2011

Adanti Student Theater

A coming of age story of Ana, a first generation Mexican American teenager living in East Los Angeles facing bridging the gap between family expectations and living her own life.

### *Empowering Lives*

1:00pm

Monday, October 3, 2011

Adanti Student Center Ballroom

Latin dishes and live performances by SCSU students followed by a discussion with Francisco Ortiz, former Chief of Police of New Haven and Director of Security Operations at Yale University.

### *Noche de Gala Ball: “Por El Amor de Espana”*

7:30pm

Thursday, October 20, 2011

Adanti Student Center Ballroom

Organization of Latin American Students celebrates their culture and traditions through music, food, and entertainment.

#### EVENTS SPONSORED BY:

SCSU Multicultural Center, Organization of Latin American Students, Women's Center, Office of Diversity and Equity, Women's Studies, Chartwells Dining Service, SCSU Fitness Center, and Student Support Services with support from The Office of Public Affairs.

All events are  
free & open to the public  
unless otherwise noted.

Organization of Latin American Students Meets every Monday at 1:00pm in the Adanti Student Center, Room 201.