

# SOUTHERN CELEBRATES...

September 15th thru October 15th, 2023



LATINX  
HISPANIC  
HERITAGE  
MONTH!

Friday, September 15th, 2023 - Sunday, October 15th, 2023

Buley Library First Floor Exhibit Case | Open during Library hours

**Buley Library Celebrates Latinx/Hispanic Heritage Month**

Visit Buley Library and view the display of selections of its physical and electronic resources that represent Hispanic culture and heritage during library open hours.

Wednesday, September 20th, 2023

Buley Library Patio | 12:00pm - 2:00pm

**Fiesta Latina 2023**

Join the MCC, OLAS, SIA, and LAU along with our guest DJ for southern style pina colodas as you experience the sounds of Latin America, Hispaniola, and the Spanish speaking world through a mix of salsa, merengue, bachata, Latin jazz, reggaeton and Latin pop.

Tuesday, September 26th, 2023

Residence Life Quad | 8:30pm

**Movie on the Lawn: *In the Heights***

Join the MCC, Residence Life, and RHA for a screening of *In the Heights*. This film version of the Broadway musical explores the complexities of life in the inner city for Hispanic/Latinx youth, the obstacles of being a first-generation college student, and the intersection of culture and higher education.

Wednesday, September 27th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Ballroom | 1:00pm

**15th Annual Empowering Lives: Latinos Driving Prosperity, Power, and Progress in America**

Join us as we welcome and hear from Chris Soto, Senior advisor to U.S. Secretary of Education, as he shares his own personal story of the obstacles and triumphs that have shaped him into the person he is today!

Wednesday, September 27th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Room 309 | 7:30pm

**Noche de Juegos: Domino Tournament**

Join SIA for a domino competition to see who the best player on campus will be!

Thursday, September 28th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Theater | 12:00pm - 1:00pm

**Bridging Cultural and Social Differences for Indigenous Health in Peru**

The School of Nursing invites you to join us for a report back on the study abroad program to Cusco, Peru. This learning and networking opportunity will provide all with a chance to hear more about this past summer's service-learning experience.

Monday, October 2nd, 2023

Adanti Student Center Room 301 | 5:00pm - 6:00pm

**Movie & Discussion of *West Side Story***

Join OLAS for a movie screening and discussion conversation on *West Side Story*!

Tuesday, October 3rd, 2023

Adanti Student Center Room 301 | 5:00pm - 6:00pm

**Sabor y Saber: Celebrating LGBTQ+ Latinx/Hispanic Voices**

Join the SAGE Center for a dynamic panel discussion that shines a spotlight on the intersectionality of Latinx and LGBTQ+ identities. Guest panelists include drag queens, faculty, and staff.

Wednesday, October 4th, 2023

Engleman Hall Room B121 | 12:30pm - 1:30pm

**Mi Gente, Mi Familia, Mis Amigos: Student, Staff, and Faculty Mentorship Connection**

Join the MCC and ALAS (Advancing Latino/a/e/xs at Southern) for this networking opportunity to meet and engage with fellow Latinx/Hispanic students, faculty, and staff with the intention of building long-lasting relationships for our BIPOC campus community members.

Wednesday, October 4th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Room 202 | 6:00pm

**Cena a las Seis**

Join the Multicultural Center for "dinner at six!" The featured presenter of this month's "cena" is Dr. Rafael Hernandez, Chair for the Department of World Languages and Literatures. As you enjoy Latin American cuisine, Dr. Hernandez will share his experiences, challenges, and tips on how to navigate life's obstacles.

Wednesday, October 4th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Room 309 | 7:00pm

**Papel Picado Workshop: A Mexican Folk Art Tradition**

Papel picado translates to *perforated paper* and SIA wants to teach you about the history of this traditional Mexican folk art and have you practice making your own!

Thursday, October 12th, 2023

Connecticut Hall Main Dining | 11:00am - 2:00pm

**A Taste of Latin America**

Enjoy a Latin inspired lunch for \$10.00 at Conn Hall in honor of Hispanic/Latinx Heritage Month. Savor foods from different Latin countries and embrace Latin culture with members from the MCC and OLAS.

Tuesday, October 17th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Room 301 | 12:00pm

**An Afternoon with Roberto Alfaro: *No Dream is Too Big To dream!***

Join us as we host author, Roberto Alfaro, for a book talk inspired by his personal story of survival, heartbreak, redemption, and ultimately beating the odds in a way that no one expected!

Thursday, October 26th, 2023

Adanti Student Center Ballroom | 8:00pm - 12:00am

**Noche De Gala**

Join OLAS at their annual semi-formal! Come and enjoy a night of Hispanic foods and dancing to a variety of music as we pay tribute to and honor Latin culture! Funds raised from this event will benefit scholarships for incoming Latino students.