ANNOUNCEMENTS

Civil Rights Symposium T-shirts are available for $10.00 donations as a gift from the Vicente Ximenes family. All proceeds benefit the Dr. Vicente Ximenes Scholarship in Language and Literature.

Other information products available at the Civil Rights Symposium display tables include: Hector Galán DVDs, USPS 1947 Mendez v. Westminster Commemorative stamps, UNM Office of Equal Opportunity, Albuquerque Hispano Chamber of Commerce Hispanic Heritage Month calendars, and ACLU materials.

Please join us at the National Hispanic Cultural Center for National Hispanic Cultural Center at 7:00-9:00 p.m. tonight for Capturing the Latino WWII Experience: Films By Hector Galán. Hosted by NHCC Executive Director, Eduardo Díaz and Director of History & Literary Arts, Carlos Vásquez.

We extend our sincere appreciation to Dr. Henry Cisneros for his support and encouragement for the 2007 UNM Civil Rights Symposium. The film tribute to WWII civil rights reformers was made possible by the generous assistance of CityView Housing, San Antonio (Sylvia Arce-García) and produced by the University of Texas, San Antonio Department of Communication (Steven Levitt) and Center for Distance Learning and Academic Technology (Ernest Hernandez and James Borrego). This tribute is available via online streaming at the Civil Rights Symposium website at: civilrights.unm.edu.

Thank you!
Thursday, September 27

8:30-9:00 a.m. Welcome & Opening Remarks:
David Jones (English)
Viola Florez, Office of the Provost
Brenda Claiborne, Dean of College of Arts & Sciences

9:00-10:00 Community Health & Human Rights Panel:
Facilitator: Brenda Claiborne (College of Arts & Sciences);
Arthur Kaufman (Medical School),
Magdalena Avila (Education),
Giovanna Rossi (Governor’s Women’s Health Advisory Council).

10:00-11:00 International Perspectives on Human & Civil Rights Panel:
Facilitator: Jennifer Moore (Law School);
Carol Suzuki (Law School),
Carlos Salinas (UTEP),
John Scenters-Zapico (UTEP),
Carole Nagengast (Anthropology),
Roberta Rael (Youth Radio & Inspired Leadership).

11:00-12:00 New Mexico Community Engagement Panel:
Facilitator: Ann Massmann (Zimmerman CSWR);
Frank Sanchez, (Out ch’Yonda),
Stephanie Willis (Out ch’Yonda),
Cecil Lynn (NAACP)
Joseph García (GPSA),
Dan Young (Service Learning).

12:00-1:00 Language Rights and New Mexico Diversity Issues:
Facilitator: Rebecca Blum Martinez (Education);
Christine Sims (Education),
Maria Dolores Gonzalez (Spanish),
Phyllis Wilcox (Linguistics),
Paul Platero (Linguistics),
Juan Guerra (University of Washington).

1:00-2:00 College Support Programs Panel:
Facilitator: Joe Cecchi (Engineering);
Richard Van Dongen (Education),
Antoinette Sedillo Lopez (Law School),
Scott Carreathers (African American Student Services),
Summer Little (Women’s Resource Center),
Art Gonzales (Office of Equal Opportunity)

2:00-3:00 Environmental Justice and Human Rights:
Facilitator: Vera Norwood (American Studies);
Eileen Gauna (Law School),
Teresa Cordova (Architecture),
Enrique Lamadrid (Spanish),
Virginia Scharff (History),
Jake Koski (American Studies).

3:00-4:00 American Indian Students and New Mexico Tribal Communities:
Facilitator: Pamela Agoyo (AIS);
Benny Shendo (New Mexico Indian Affairs),
Glenabah Martinez (Education),
Roseann Willink (Linguistics),
Mark Chino (Secretary to the Tribal Council).

4:00-5:00 Native Identities and Gender Rights:
Facilitator: Elizabeth Archuleta (Arizona State University);
Jennifer Denetdale (History, IfAIR),
Sherrick Roanhorse (Diné Coalition for Cultural Preservation).

Thursday, September 27 (Concurrent Session):
2:00-4:00 p.m “Building Authority in Teaching and Writing”
Ortega Hall Conference Room 235 with Dr. Jacqueline Jones Royster

Friday, September 28:

8:30-8:45 a.m. Welcome: David Jones, (English)

8:45-9:00 Opening Remarks:
Fred Harris (Political Science)

9:00-9:45 Key Note Address:
Dr. Jacqueline Jones Royster
“Literacy and Civic Engagement: The Role of the University in Promoting Social Justice”
Introduction by: Chuck Paine (English)
Respondent: Juan Guerra (University of Washington)

10:00-10:45 Women’s Issues Panel:
Facilitator: Gail Houston (English);
Christine Sierra (Political Science),
Joy Griffin (Education),
Elizabeth Archuleta (Arizona State University),

11:00-11:45 African American Issues Panel:
Facilitator: Finnie Coleman (English);
Harold Bailey (NM Office of African American Affairs),
Josef Powdrell (NAACP),
Antoinette Murphy (ASUNM),
Teresa Neely (Zimmerman Library).

12:00-12:45 Key Note Address:
Dr. Kehaulani Kauanui
“Native Sovereignty, Civil Rights, and Questions of Social Justice”
Introduction: Elizabeth Archuleta

1:00-1:30 Luncheon Address: Dr. Vicente Ximenes
“LBJ’s ‘Great Society’ and Civil Rights Reform.”
Introduction by: Michelle Hall Kells (English)
Respondent: Frank Martinez (Urban Coalition)

1:30-2:30 Introductions & Remarks:

Tribute to WWII Civil Rights Reformers: Henry Cisneros
“Toward Equality in Our Schools”

Commemoration of 1947 Mendez v. Westminster: Martín Chávez
Introduction of Dr. David Schmidly by Bernadine Hernandez
Office of UNM President: David Schmidly
Tribute to New Mexico Veterans: John Garcia,
Cabinet Secretary of the New Mexico Department of Veterans Services.

2:30-4:00 Presidential Inaugural Lecture
¡Chicano! Documenting the Mexican American Civil Rights Movement:
Facilitator: Jesse Alemán;
Héctor Galán

4:00-4:20 Closing Remarks: Office of Student Affairs:
Cheo Torres (Office of Student Affairs)

7:00-9:00 p.m National Hispanic Cultural Center.
Capturing the Latino WWII Experience:
Films By Hector Galán.