Thursday, February 2, 2023

AAPIRC Hours

Spring 2023
Weekly Schedule

Mon:
10:00 am to 6:00 pm

Tue:
10:00 am to 6:00 pm

Wed:
10:00 am to 7:30 pm

Thu:
9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Fri:
9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Ongoing Weekly Events

**SPRING 2023**

**TUESDAY**
4:30 PM - 6:30 PM
PRE-HEALTH STUDY GROUP

**WEDNESDAY**
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM
URDU/HINDI WITH AIMAN
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM
YOGA
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
VIETNAMESE LANGUAGE WITH HUY

**THURSDAY**
11:00 AM - 12:15 PM
INTRO ASIAN AMERICAN STUDY GROUP
3:30 PM - 5:30 PM
TAGALOG LANGUAGE WITH VINCENT

**FRIDAY**
11:00 PM - 12:00 PM
VIETNAMESE LANGUAGE WITH HUY
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
POST COLONIALISM WITH MOHAMMED
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
URDU/HINDI WITH AIMAN
Have you graduated in Fall 2022, or are graduating in Spring or Summer 2023? Be sure to see Farah Nousheen for advisement and get on our AAPI graduation list! AAPIRC will be holding the second annual AAPIRC Graduation at the end of this semester for AAPI students at UNM. Farah Nousheen offers culturally sensitive and holistic advisement to all students. We encourage all AAPI students to meet with Farah at least once if you have not previously met with her. You can find Farah on LoboAchieve or email aapirc@unm.edu for an appointment.

Intro to AAPI Studies Study Group

Open to everyone - students, staff, and community members!
We already had two awesome gatherings for the Asian American Studies study group! Our main objective is to build our collective knowledge about Asians in the United States, and specifically in New Mexico. We are so grateful for AMST1996 course this semester, and at the same time, we know that many students, staff, instructors, alumni, and community members are unable to access a full credited course due to various reasons. If that is you, join us this semester Thursdays 11-12:15pm at AAPIRC! Come to one or to all! Gabriel is a passionate facilitator, plus he brings yummy treats like steamed red bean dumplings.

Do you wish you could take the Intro to Asian American Studies, but have a time conflict with other classes? This study group will go over course material, so you don't miss out. Even if you are taking the class, join the study group to discuss at AAPIRC.

We will Study and Discuss:

- Chinese Exclusion Act
- Japanese Internment Relocation
- U.S. Involvement in the Asian-Pacific
- Historical Trauma
- migration and geopolitics post-9/11 and during COVID-19
Let us know if you are interested and would like to stay informed about what we are learning and discussing. Email us at aapirc@unm.edu for questions, suggestions and to get on Gabriel's weekly update list.

Many thanks to individuals and organizationns at UNM and in the community for their support of this study group!

Language Appreciation Circles

Asian Heritage Language Appreciation Circles (LACs)

Tagalog with Vincent Hilario
Thursday | 3:30-5:30pm

Vietnamese with Huy Nguyen
Wednesday | 6:30-7:30pm
Friday | 11:00-12:00pm

Urdu/Hindi with Aiman Aamer & Ashish Joshi
Wednesday | 2-3pm
Friday | 3-4pm

Whether you are fluent in your Asian heritage language, were never taught by your parents, or learning to speak with a significant other, you are welcome at our LACs! Find a community of peers who speak your heritage language. Email aapirc@unm.edu with any questions or to be added to the mailing list for you LAC.

All circles held at AAPIRC
Education Classrooms 211
Lunar New Year: Recap
Thank you to everyone who came out to our **Lunar New Year 2023** event, Year of the the Rabbit, organized by the amazing student organizations the **Asian American Student Association** and the **Chinese Language & Culture Club**! We would also like to thank the **GDPT Quang Minh Lion Dance Team** who brought their talent and breathtaking artistry to the event. Check out their 2022 year recap here: [https://youtu.be/uXZ-TB503Nk](https://youtu.be/uXZ-TB503Nk).

Thank you to everyone who helped make the night a wild success and giving so much of their time and effort. The evening was one of amazing skills, awesome presentations, and delicious food, both homecooked by our community members (shout outs to Mimi, Alina, and Mary!!) and from **Ho Lo Ma Chinese Restaurant**. We would like to thank **Talin Market** for donating drinks and snacks. We thank all AAPIRC staff, students, and volunteers for all the beautiful decorations at AAPIRC! Last but not least! We thank staff from College Enrichment Program for their undying support for AAPIRC's programs and events.

We hope you all enjoyed it as much as we did! Suggestions, ideas, feedback? Email us at [aapirc@unm.edu](mailto:aapirc@unm.edu).

**Postcolonialism: A Reading Group**

**Fridays 1-3pm at AAPIRC**
The second meeting of Spring 2023's Postcolonialism Reading Group will be a discussion session on Gayatri Spivak's infamous 1988 essay "Can the Subaltern Speak?", on **Friday, February 3, from 1-3pm, at AAPIRC**.

Spivak's essay touches on a range of issues, from **global capitalism, colonialism, patriarchy, subjectivity, and epistemology**. In particular, she focuses on the case of the abolition of widow sacrifice by the British colonial administrators of the Indian subcontinent, raising questions regarding the “freedom” and “voice” of the subaltern woman in this context. Along the way, she uses Marx and Derrida to critique Foucault and Deleuze, advocating for a return to theories of ideology.

As one of the landmark postcolonialist texts, the goal of this discussion session will be to unpack the text together, to render it accessible to us, and to draw critical implications.

**Contact**

Please e-mail aapirc@unm.edu to be added to our mailing list to receive updates on the reading group. You can also email us with any questions or comments.
Pre-health students are encouraged to join AAPIRC for study sessions dedicated to them and their academic needs. Whether you are prepping for the MCAT or just reviewing for your biology or chemistry classes, stop by! This study circle is here to encourage AAPI pre-health students to complete their studies while also creating spaces for them on campus. We will help students access study tools and figure out study methods for those who

**Pre-Health Study Sessions**

**PRE-HEALTH STUDY SESSION**

Weekly study session at AAPIRC for pre-health majors. All students are welcome wherever they are at in your journey.

**Tuesdays**

4:00pm - 5:30

Spring 2023

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https://ui.benchmarkemail.com/Emails/Print?email_id=22722086&client_id=1425568
are in need. For those looking for a **casual study circle**, we also have you covered. Are you interested or have questions? Email us at aapirc@unm.edu.

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**Yoga is back for Spring 2023!**
**Wednesdays!**

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**YOGA @AAPIRC**
**WEDNESDAYS**
**3:30 – 4:30 PM**

We have had two successful semesters of Yoga. 
*Join us for Spring 2023.*

Yoga is a mind and body practice that will help you to focus and relax. Join us weekly for yoga at AAPIRC to discover new moves and new muscles in your body.

**education building #211**

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We had a great start with Yoga on Wednesday afternoon this week. AAPIRC's yoga is especially for the UNM community to de-compress and come to a safe place for rest, rejuvenation, and gentle movement. We hope to see you next week! Be placed on our reminder list by writing to aapirc@unm.edu with subject Yoga.

**ALSO!** We have mats so you can practice yoga on your own anytime at AAPIRC. We have meditation cushions, Muslim prayer rugs, an altar, and spiritual book collection to borrow from. You can also take a break on one of our couches. Rest and contemplation time are important for your health. Questions? suggestions? Email us at aapirc@unm.edu.

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**Student Org Events**
AAPIRC wishes all a very
Happy Black History Month!!
We encourage everyone on our list to attend events organized by the Fro.
and, btw, #everydayisblackhistory
On-Campus Opportunities
2023 JACL NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
Applications Open Now!

jaclo.org/scholarships

BLACK FEMINIST PANEL
13TH FEBRUARY
12:00 - 1:00 PM
SUB THIRD FLOOR | LOBO A/B
A DISCUSSION ON THE BEST PRACTICES ON MENTORING STUDENTS OF COLOR

THE PROJECT FOR NEW MEXICO GRADUATES OF COLOR PRESENTS
PREPARING FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION
JOIN US FOR A ZOOM WORKSHOP WITH CAREER SERVICES
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2023
3:00 - 4:00 PM

LEARN HOW TO:
• Explore possible directions with your degree
• Navigate academic and non-academic job searches
• Maintain social and mental wellbeing
• Plan your timeline for job searching
• And much more!

SPRING 2023 CALENDAR
JANUARY
FIRST ORIENTATION
FEBRUARY
SECOND ORIENTATION
MARCH
APRIL
MAY

END OF SEMESTER CELEBRATION TO BE ANNOUNCED

https://ui.benchmarkemail.com/Emails/Print?email_id=22722086&client_id=1425568
PNMGC SPRING SOCIAL EVENTS

**FEB 08**
WOMAN KING SHOWING
6:00 - 8:00 PM | SUB THEATRE

**FEB 16**
MEET YOUR MENTOR
2:00 - 4:00 PM | LOUIE’S LOUNGE

**MAR 27**
FARMWORKERS AWARENESS WEEK
2:00 - 4:00 PM | SUB LOBO A/B

**APR**
FACULTY OF COLOR AWARDS
TBD

**MAR**
CLUB 89
TBD
STUDY ABROAD FAIR
February 7th, 2023
10:00am - 2:00pm
SUB 2nd Floor & Atrium

studyabroad.unm.edu
Applications are open for the next cohort of Health Policy Research Scholars!

Are you a doctoral student who is passionate about influencing public policy to create healthier, more equitable communities? Health Policy Research Scholar is a leadership program for full-time doctoral students across diverse disciplines and backgrounds who center equity in their research. As an HPRS participant, you'll:

- Gain access to the tools, insights, and diversity of mentors needed to accelerate and distinguish your research
- Receive an annual award of up to $30,000
- Become a part of a tightly knit network of visionary change agents.

Do you qualify? Apply by March 16 ➤

Join us for an informational webinar on Thursday, February 2, 2023 to hear answers to frequently asked questions. Not the right opportunity for you? See what other leadership programs are available through PAAEP.

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**RISING JOURNEY THROUGH GRADUATING SCHOOLS**

**APPLY NOW** to the North Carolina Central University Research Institute for Scholars of Equity

**RISEx**

for Scholars of Equity

Research Institute for Scholars of Equity (RISE) is a leadership program that prepares rising scholars from underrepresented backgrounds to serve as leaders in addressing gaps in social equity. Fellows will conduct rigorous, high-quality research to inform evidence that will support the school’s ongoing and sustained advancement of pre-graduates through university and after graduation and will be prepared to pursue doctoral education.

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

**Deadline:** March 1, 2023

**Final receipt of applications:** May 30, 2023

**Program Dates:** May 30, 2023 – May 29, 2024

**HOW TO APPLY:**

For more information and to apply, visit our website at

www.nccu.edu/soe/RISE

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**Off-Campus Opportunities**

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**A PMDC COLLABORATION WITH UNM MID-WEEK MOVIES**

**BLACK HISTORY MONTH MOVIE NIGHT**

**THE WOMAN KING**

**FREE EVENT!**

**WED | FEB 8 | 6-8 PM**

**SUB | UNM THEATRE**
Come and Celebrate
AAPINH Day!

2023 New Mexico Legislature: State Capitol, Santa Fe

FEB
TUESDAY 7
2023

7:30 AM Meet at 2501 San Pedro Dr NE ABQ, NM 87110 for transportation by bus from Albuquerque to Santa Fe (registration required)

8:00 AM Bus leaves Albuquerque for Santa Fe Capitol Building; light breakfast provided

9:30 AM Program Start: Share your priorities with lawmakers (meet in room 307), attend the joint legislative session & celebrate AAPINH Day at the Roundhouse!

1:30 PM Program End: Finish lunch & gather at the bus to depart Santa Fe for Albuquerque

3:00 PM Estimated arrival back in Albuquerque

AAPINH Day is observed to honor all past, present and future New Mexicans who are Asian American, Pacific Islander, Native Hawaiian, East Asian, Southeast Asian and South Asian and all other groups who have migrated from, have historical ties to or identify themselves as from Asia.

The 2023 AAPINH Day was planned by:
HD47 Rep. Reena Szczepanski, Lan Sena, Asian Business Collaborative & NM Asian Family Center

SPECIAL APPRECIATION TO REP. SZCZEPAŃSKI FOR SPONSORING THE 2023 AAPINH DAY BILL TO RECOGNIZE THIS DAY IN STATUTE.
Why New Mexico Needs a Just Transition From Fossil Fuels and False Solutions

Host
Basav Sen, Institute for Policy Studies

Speakers
Ennedith Lopez, Institute for Policy Studies
Alejandria Lyons, New Mexico No False Solutions Coalition
Julia Bernal, Pueblo Action Alliance

Moderator
Taneya Garcia, Institute for Policy Studies

Thursday, 2/2
9 - 10 AM MT • 11 AM - 12 PM ET

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