



Instructionally Related Activities Funds Request Spring 2015

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IRA Funds Request for Chicana/Latina: Learning and Leadership of the Past and Present

Instructionally Related Activities Funds Request Summary

Project Sponsor	Frank Barajas
Activity Title	Chicana/Latina: Learning and Leadership of the Past and Present
Activity/Event Date	March 24 and March 26/Oct. 20
Date Funding Needed By	January 16, 2015
Previously Funded?	Yes
Semester/Year	Fall 2014
Proposal #	639
Report submitted for previously Funded Activity?	No
Report submitted for previously Funded Activity	—
Additional Report #1	—
Additional Report #2	—
Additional Report #3	—
Additional Proposers	N/A
Academic Program(s) / Center Name(s)	History and Chicana/o Studies
Estimated total Course Fee revenue	n/a
Amount Requested from IRA	\$8,000.00
Estimated Number of Students Participating	500 + Community
Conditions and Considerations	Artist/Performer/Speaker Fees & Honoraria, Large Event, IT Requirements, Space/Facilities Services Requirements
Brief Activity Description	<p>The activity has two components with two guest speakers to visit our campus. Distinguished Professor of History at the University of California, Irvine Vicki L. Ruiz and Professor Maria Echaveste the policy and program development director at the Chief Justice Earl Warren Institute on Law and Social Policy at UC Berkeley's School of Law are the two speakers to be invited with IRA funding.</p> <p>The events, if funded, will take place during the course of two semester for two different celebrations. Here they are:</p>

	<p>Cesar Chavez Celebration Spring 2015: Professor Ruiz (who is also a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and incoming president of the American Historical Association (the premier professional organization of historians in the United States) will be invited to speak to the campus as part of State of California's celebration of Cesar Chavez's birthday. In addition to her lecture, Profess Ruiz will be asked to conduct a workshop on research and writing for students in the Humanities and Social Sciences of CI that include, but are not limited to, the programs of Art, Chicana/o Studies, Education, English, History, Sociology and others,</p> <p>Hispanic Heritage Month Fall 2015: Professor Echaveste (who grew up in the City of Oxnard) also served as served as the assistant to the president and deputy chief of staff to President William Clinton from From 1998 to 2001. Professor Echaveste has be recently nominated by President Barack Obama to be the next Ambassador to Mexico. Her confirmation hearings will make it difficult for to be a participant in our campus's spring 2015 programming. As a result, I am requesting advanced funding for her to speak during the campus's celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month in the fall of 2015, in early October to be exact. We are requesting funds in advance in order for the CI event to be placed on her events calendar due to her spring 2015 US Senate confirmation process. If confirmed Ambsssador to Mexico, Professor Echaveste will be the first woman in that post.</p> <p>Again, I need to secure Professor Echaveste's honorarium in advance to obtain a slot on her calendar in the early fall of 2015</p>
Learning Outcomes and Relation to IRA to Course Offerings	<p>CHS 100 Chicanas/os in Contemporary Society: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. CHS 200 Diversity in Latina/o Communities: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. HIST 270 US History to 1877: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. HIST 271 US History Since 1877: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. HIST 280 The Historian's Craft: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. Spring 2015 CHS 292 Chicanas/os Studies Service Learning: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. HIST 369 California History and Culture: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. ARTChS/HIST 333 History of Southern California Chicana/o Art: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. CHS 350 Chicana/o History and Culture: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. CHS/HIST 402 Southern California Chicana/o History and Culture: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop. ENGL/HIST 430 Tradition and Transformation: The Sixties and Seventies: Required or Extra Credit designation to attend lecture and workshop.</p> <p>All the classes listed will either require or highly encourage students to attend to the events in the spring of 2015 or month of October 2015.</p> <p>Learning Outcomes relation to Course Offerings: Diversity and heterogeneity of the Latino/a population in the United States. Historical and contemporary relations between Latin America and the United States in connection with the divergent incorporation of Latino/a groups in U.S. society.</p>
Description of Assessment Process	<p>Surveys to audience members and student reflections will make up the Assessment Process. In this regard, I will utilize any forms of the university to complete this requirement.</p>
Activity Budget	<p>1314iraregularbudgetSandF2015.xlsx</p>
CIA Budget	<p>—</p>
CIA Proposal	<p>—</p>
Course Syllabus	<p>—</p>
CIA Certification	<p>—</p>
Other Sources of Funding	<p>The programs of History and Chicana/o Studies will be asked to provide funding for light refreshments and to host a meal for the guest speakers. I will also approach the Office of Advancement to fete these esteemed speakers with university supporters in attendance. In addition, support will be sought from the Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) projects of ACCESO, ISLAS, and VISTA since the university has received millions of dollars of HSI funding.</p>
Target Audience/Student Marketing	<p>With the support of colleagues in the programs of Art, Chicana/o Studies, English, History, Mathematics, Political Science, and Spanish the events students will be required or highly encouraged to attend the lectures and workshop for extra-credit and other incentives. Here is a list of selected faculty colleagues and allies who I will ask to have their students attend the programming in this proposal: Professor Jose Alamillo (Chicana/o Studies), Professor Jorge Garcia (Mathematics), Professor Andrea Grove (Political Science), Professor Georgina Guzman (English), Professor Margarita Lopez Lopez (Spanish), Professor Jennie Luna (Chicana/o Studies, Professor Mary McThomas (Political Science, Professor Jim Meriwether (History), Librarian Monica Pereira (Library), Professor Joan Peters (English), Professor Sofia Samatar (English), Professor Luis Sanchez (Sociology), Professor Kaia Tollefson (Education), Professor Cindy Weyls (Mathematics) and others.</p> <p>Since both prospective speakers are leading figures in and out their career fields, community members and donors in the university's service area will be invited. In this regard, I will seek the assistance of the offices of University Advancement and Communications and Marketing to promote the event.</p> <p>Hence, I plan to reserve Salon A to accommodate an audience of students and community members, especially for the talk of Professor Maria Echaveste--a person of national and international import and a product of Ventura County.</p>
Bring Benefit to Campus	<p>—</p>
Sustainability	<p>NA</p>
Program Chair/Director	<p>james.meriwether</p>
Academic Affairs AVP	<p>karen.carey</p>

Acknowledgement | I acknowledge that I have reviewed and accepted the Conditions and Considerations herein. Please check off boxes as appropriate.

Program Chair/Director Approval

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