Latinx Heritage Month

Latinx Heritage Month Lecture

To celebrate the anniversary of independence for several Latin American countries, the Office of Institutional Equity and Diversity will host a lecture on Thursday, Sept. 22, at 12 p.m. in the James Theatre. The lecture will feature a presentation by Lupe Martinez, a speaker known for her work in Latinx cultural representation.

UI operations manual

For information related to student absences for religious holy days, please see the UI operations manual.

Religious accommodations

For information related to accommodations in the academic and workplace for students whose religious holy days coincide with their work schedules, classroom sessions, or other events, please contact the Office of Institutional Equity and Diversity.

Additional announcements

Sign up for these opportunities to stay informed:

- Low-income students in medicine.
- An organization for first-generation and low-income students in medicine.

New student organizations

- Iowa Unity: For students interested in connecting with their peers and building a supportive community.

In case you missed it!

- Grand Rounds series was presented Aug. 9 through Aug. 30. You can still watch the presentations online.
- Mental Health Equity Grand Rounds: Learn about the importance of mental health in the academic and workplace environments.
- MedEDPortal: An open access, peer-reviewed journal of teaching and learning resources. Learn more about MedEDPortal here: mededportal.org

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For more information about the events listed above, please visit the Office of Health Parity - Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion website or contact the office directly.

Buddy Days

In case you missed it!

- The Paul Engle Award Ceremony: Celebrate the accomplishments of women physicians/clinicians, scientists, educators, and leaders in medicine.
- Women in Medicine Month: Championed by the American Medical Association (AMA), Women in Medicine Month serves to showcase the accomplishments of women physicians/clinicians, scientists, educators, and leaders in medicine.
- Starlight Foundation: A nonprofit organization that provides children with critical, uplifting, and life-changing experiences during their treatment.

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