

First Nations, Métis and Inuit Education Newsletter

Week of February 25, 2019

This newsletter is a roundup of information and community events outside of the board that supports cultural competency and learning.

Events

Indigenous Women's Symposium

The first event of the [2019 Indigenous Women's Symposium](#). The symposium is an event that brings together Indigenous women, their families and allied scholars to celebrate the voices, experiences, and lives of Indigenous women.



Indigenous Perspectives on Trauma-Informed Care

Students from the U of T Lawrence. S. Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing have organized a full day event on Indigenous Perspectives on Trauma-Informed Care with the Waakebiness- Bryce Institute for Indigenous Health.

Through a decolonized lens, we are taking a look at the effects and outcomes of colonialism and learning about trauma, wellness and healing from an Indigenous perspective.

Further information and registration is through [Eventbrite](#).

Indig-U-Know – Pow Wow



The Scarborough Campus Students' Union is proud to present our first ever Indigenous Studies Conference and Pow Wow at the University of Toronto - Scarborough: Indig-U-Know.

Indig-U-Know is an excellent opportunity to bring students, academics, service providers, and staff together to learn from the members of the rich Indigenous Scarborough and UTSC community who will be there to share stories, knowledge and their wisdom.

The Indigenous Education Network (IEN) is a group of students, faculty and community members who share a common commitment to and passion for Indigenous Education and Research.

Further information and registration is through [Eventbrite](#).

Nick Estes on Indigenous Resistance

Nick Estes talks about his new book *Our History Is The Future*, where he traces how two centuries of Indigenous resistance led to the #NoDAPL movement where Water Protectors blocked the construction of an oil pipeline at the Standing Rock Reservation in North Dakota.



Further information and registration is through [Eventbrite](#).

Isitwendam (An Understanding)

World premier of the play by Meegwun Fairbrother and co-created by Jack Grinhaus about Conservative idealist Brendan, a young half white, half Ojibway man who is hired by Aboriginal Affairs to discredit a Residential School survivor's reparation claim, whose whole world is then turned upside down.

More information on the [Native Earth Performing Arts Inc website](#).

14th Annual Georgian College Pow Wow

Saturday, March 9, 2019 at 10:30 AM – 9 PM

14th [Annual Georgian College Traditional Pow Wow](#) on Saturday, March 9, 2019. There will be drumming, dancing, and authentic Indigenous crafts and food. Come on out and be a part of a beautiful, cultural event!

Entry and parking is free. Please bring a non-perishable food item for our Student Food Locker.

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