University of Nevada, Las Vegas

2016

Ceremony

American Indian and Alaska Native Convocation
Friday, May 13, 2016
UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, LAS VEGAS
AMERICAN INDIAN AND
ALASKA NATIVE CONVOCATION

Student Union
Philip J. Cohen Theater
May 13, 2016

6:10 pm Master of Ceremony
William Bauer
(Wailacki and Concow of the Round Valley Indian Tribes)
Associate Professor of History

6:15 pm Invocation
Blessing by George Dunckhurst III
(Dakota & Indeh)

6:30 pm Honor Song
Tygel Pinto
(Navajo)

6:45 pm Welcome
Carolee Dodge-Francis
(Oneida Nation of Wisconsin)
Executive Director, American Indian Research & Education Center
Associate Professor of Social & Behavioral Health

7:00 pm Special Acknowledgements
American Indian Alliance Scholarships

7:15 pm Honoring and Recognition of Graduates
2015-2016 GRADUATES

Patrick Achord
Michelle Albert
Tayler Aleman
Israel Alvarado
David Anderson
Mia Arterberry
Andrew Aurs
Kaylila Badilla
Bridget Baumgarte
Danielle Beck-hunter
Terry Blakeney
Matthew Brown
Antonio Campanella
Breyen Canfield
Jacqueline Cheshewalla
Keana Clemens
Paul Coplan
Sara Craven
Ian Davis
Claudia De Leon
Carolina De Sevilla
Jerrilyn Dean
Sheen Dewan
Sheen Dewan
Fawn Douglas
Gloria Ely
Mary Ernst
Pfawnn Eskee
Taylor Farris
Ashley Ford-Ferguson
Arnoldo Galindo
Megan Gardner
Dax Garner
Crystal Garrett
Matthew Gilbertson
Nicole Gilley
Isaiah Godwin
Keisha Graham
Ladonna Grasso
James Green
Tanna Gushiken
Dorian Gutierrez
Brandie Hanson
Andrew Herrod
Lee Hileman
Lani Hinkes
Kamille Hinojosa
Kimryn Howard
Kecia Hudson-Winston
Kristina Intinarelli
Chelsea James
Jorge Jimenez-Marquez
Najee Johnson
Johanah Kang
Alena Kiki
Thomas Koehler
Ashley Laity
Carolyn Lara
Joseph Lauzon
Magali Leal
Yolanda Lee
Murlynn Lee
Josellin Lindo
Andrea Lopez
Samantha Loud
Justine Madrid
Ellen Magliulo
Carla Martinez Beatty
Brianna Maxim-Trumbo
Monet Mccoy
Rajah Mena
Kristin Mill
Jonah Montenegro
Eukary Mora
Trina Morales
Noelle Norris
Gerald Norton
Nigel Patterson
James Purkiss
Ramiro Ramirez
Katie Randell
Darryl Reese
John Ricks
Nicole Riley
David Robinson
Julio Rodriguez
Amber Ruggiero
Barry Saintsing
Teola Shaw
Daniel Slater
Nicholas Snead
Emerald Stanton
Barry Stark
Jessica Stevenson
Tiana Stone
Sean Street
Shelby Tail
Camile Tanner
Ruth Thomas
Cash Thomas
Jennifer Tripp-Herring
Kara Walker
Barbara Wallen
Patricia Waucaush
Brooklyn Williams
Paris Wilson
Gregory Wingert
Olivia Winn
Tianna Winters
Christopher Withrow
Jacquelyn Witt
Che Renee Zaragoza
Narcisa Zepeda
Irene Zepeda
2016 AIA SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Joseph Jean
Kimberly Kinkaid
Lyndon Yellowfish

2015-2016 AMERICAN INDIAN ALLIANCE MEMBERS

William Bauer
Richard Boland
Eudora L. Claw
Carolee Dodge-Francis
Amy Gros-Louis

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Patrice Hollrah
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