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'I don't know anything about music. In my line you don't have to.'

– Elvis Presley

Common Experience

Living Among The Navajo

Luz Huntington-Moskos, MS, RN, CPN, is a Latina nurse with 10 years experience and a strong interest in working with underserved populations. She spent three years working in healthcare with the Navajo from 2000 – 2003. She will share her story of living and working with the Navajo people; as well as the birth story of her first child on the Navajo reservation in Ganado, Ariz. This event will take place in the IUS Library on Feb. 4 from 2:45 p.m. – 4 p.m.

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Gender Representations in Advertisements

On Feb. 12, from 2:45 p.m. – 4 p.m., Sara Hare, assistant professor of sociology, will provide a slide show and dicussion of gender representation in advertisement and how woman are portrayed in ads and also what images are portrayed and their influence on how women are identified.

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'Smoke Signals' Film

This movie is billed as the first full-length feature movie written, directed and co-produced by Native Americans. It is about the friendship of two young men on their way to maturity as they build their character and make the transformation from young men to mature young men. The film will be shown on Feb. 19 from 7:30 p.m. – 9 p.m. in the Recital Hall of the Ogle Center, with a discussion following the film.

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Skull Wars

Author David Hurst Thomas will discuss will discus his book "Skull Wars: Kenniwick Man, Archeology, and the Battle for Native American Identity" in the Ogle Center in the Stem Auditorium on Tuesday, March 4, from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.

Announcements

Metroversity Writing Competition

Students enrolled in one or more classes during the 2007-2008 academic school year at IU Southeast are eligible to enter the Kentuckiana Metroversity 2008 Writing Competition. At both the graduate and undergraduate levels, there are four general categories: poetry, short fiction, creative nonfiction and academic writing. Submit your entry at the Writing Help Center Knobview, room 208, by Feb. 15. In each general category, prizes of $200 (first place) and $100 (second place) will be awarded to undergraduate and graduate students.

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Tour China

The IUS Overseas Study program welcomes you to discover China. The program will be taking a 16 day tour of China to visit such places as the Great Wall and Qufu (the birth place of Confucius). Other attractions include coming face-to-face with the famed Terre Cotta Warriors of Xian, climbing the sacred mountain Mt. Tair and visiting the architectural miracles of Shanghai. The tour will cost an estimated $3,690 and will depart from Louisville on May 27 and return on June 11. Students may be eligible for financial aid and scholarships and can also earn three credit hours. Non-students are also welcome to participate. Those interested should contact Professor Yu Shen by e-mail, yshen@ius.edu, or by calling 941-2533.

Campus Events

'Into the Wild' Open Books

Open Books will have their second meeting of the spring semester on Friday, Feb. 8, to discuss Jon Krakauer's book, "Into the Wild." The meeting will begin at noon in the IUS Library, room 230.

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Hoosiers for Higher Education

The 17th annual Statehouse visit will be on Wednesday, Feb. 13, from 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. For more information visit www.gov.indiana.edu/hhe. To ensure attendance please reserve a seat by contacting Kathy Meyer in Career Services at 941-2366.

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Global Grounds Coffee Hour

The monthly Global Grounds coffee hour will be held on Thursday, Feb. 14, at noon in the Adult Student Center.

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Bones Taste Morbid

All campus and community members are invited to participate in the IUS Library's informal book discussion group, Open Books, will discuss "A Morbid Taste for Bones, (a Brother Cadfael mystery)" by Ellis Peters will be discussed on Friday, April 11, in the IUS Library, room 230.

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Celtic Tenors

The Celtic Tenors and special guest Deidre Shannon with bring their unique talent to the Ogle Center for two performances on Feb. 23. The group members are Ireland's most successful crossover artists and sing classical, folk, Irish, and pop genres. Tickets range from $22.50 – $25 and are available for purchase online at www.oglecenter.ius.edu or call 941-2526 for more information.

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Jazz Experience

The IU Jazz Ensemble featuring the affable David Baker will be at the Ogle Center on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are available for $5 at the Ogle Center. For more information visit www.oglecenter.ius.edu or call 941-2526.

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Mitzvah Group Meeting

The Mitzvah Group, consisting of mainly IUS students, will be meeting on Monday, Feb. 4, at 9 p.m. (location to be announced) to discuss various causes. The last Mitzvah event was a musical concert which raised enough funds to send more than 30 pounds of toys and other useful items to a small village in Niger. The items were distributed by an IUS alumnus, Frederick Allen, who is stationed there with the Peace Corps. For more information please call (502) 403-7324, everyone is welcome to attend.

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Funky Fresh Fun

Finnigan Productions is proud to present this festival showcasing local talent from the theatre communitity including new plays from local writers Tad Chitwood, Jack Wallen and others. Finnigan's Festival of Funky Fresh Fun will be at The Rudyard Kipling in Louisville on March 21–22 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are $10, for more information or to make reservations call 502-636-1311.

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Going Up

In the historic Starks Building elevators the Specific Gravity Ensemble will be presenting the sequel to last year's premiere Elevator Plays. This new set of performances will be entitled Shows begin now and will run through Feb. 17. For more information, e-mail specificgravityensemble@gmail.com or call (502) 384-2743. Capacity is limited, the ensemble encourages interested parties to purchase tickets in advance.

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The Many Adventures of Snow White

The traditional fairy tale Snow White will get a musical retelling as The Many Adventures of Snow White, a humorous remake of the classic story featuring a ditzy Snow White stumbling from wacky adventure to wacky adventure, while encountering an evil queen, a family of dwarves, and her prince. There will be 10 chances to catch this updated fairy tale, at 10 a.m. and noon each day, from Feb. 4-8, at the Paul W. Ogle Cultural and Community Center at IU Southeast. This event is part of the Chase Children's Series. All tickets to the Chase Children's Series are free for students and teachers, but reservations are required. Visit www.oglecenter.ius.edu or call (812) 941-2526 for more information.

Athletics

Men's Basketball

Grenadiers vs. Spalding University, Tuesday, Feb. 5, at 7:30 p.m. at Spalding University in Louisville.

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Women's Basketball

Grenadiers vs. Asbury College Eagles, Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 8 p.m. in the Activities Building.

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Women's Basketball

Grenadiers vs. Northern Ohio University Klondikes, Friday, Feb. 8 at 6 p.m. at Northern Ohio University in Lima, Ohio.

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Men's Basketball

Grenadiers vs. Asbury College Eagles , Saturday, Feb. 9 at 3 p.m. at Asbury College in Wilmore, Ky.

Local Events

Derby Dinner Presents The Diamonds

Derby Dinner Playhouse will present The Diamonds on Monday, February 11, 2008. The doors and buffet open at 6 p.m. For more information please call 288-8281 or visit www.derbydinner.com.

Submissions

Submit material for the What's Happening page by calling us at 941-2253 or by e-mail at horizon@ius.edu. Submit material one week in advance.

Celebrating equality

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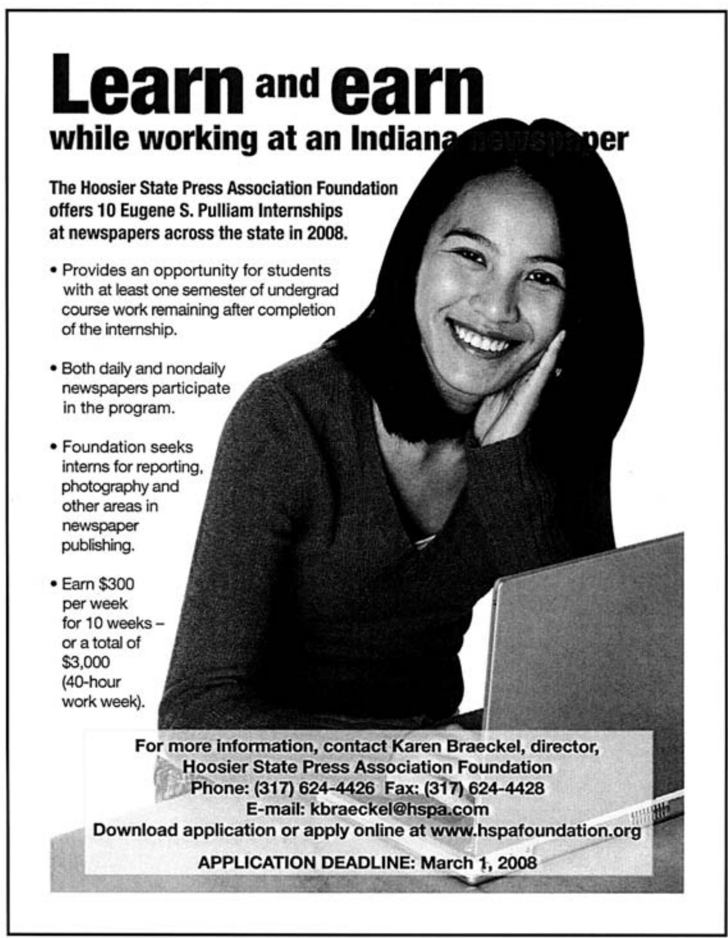
Sophomore center Charlie Gonzalez signs a miniature basketball for a fan on Jan. 26 in celebration of Equity and Diversity Day.