IUS Facts

A Grenadier was a front-line soldier in the early 17th century who initiated attacks with the first grenades.

'As long as the world is turning and spinning, we're gonna be dizzy and we're gonna make mistakes.'

– Mel Brooks

Common Experience

Multiple Identities

Gustavo Perez Firmat — poet, fiction writer and scholar — will discuss issues related to Identity in a Multicultural World on Nov. 7 at 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Ogle Center. His study of Cuban American culture, "Life on the Hyphen," was awarded the Eugene M. Kayden University Press National Book Award for 1994.

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Race and Identity

J. Blain Hudson, dean of the School of Arts and Science at University of Louisville, is a well known historian, teacher and researcher. He will discuss the history and political impact of racial identity and how race has been assigned over time on Nov. 13 at 2:45 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the IUS Library.

Events

Undergraduate Research Journal

Did you get an "A" on a research paper? Do you want to get it published? The IU Southeast Undergraduate Research Journal is accepting submissions of student research papers until Dec. 8. Papers must be approximately 8 to 25 pages; typed in Times New Roman, 12 point font, double spaced; have proper academic sources; and be in final draft quality. Ask questions or submit your paper electronically to iuswrite@ius.edu.

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Worldly Wares

The International Market will offer handcrafted items from artisans in Africa, Asia and Latin America on Nov. 5-6 from 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. in Hoosier West, University Center North. This event offers fair trade goods, providing the crafts people with a fair, living wage. For more information visit www.ius.edu/intprograms/.

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Summer in Ecuador

The students participating at the 2007 "Explorations on Diversity Education" Program: Summer in Ecuador will share their teaching and learning experiences with the campus on Thursday, Nov. 15, at 6 p.m., in the IUS Library. Interactive presentations documenting the various activities, reflections and exhibits of cultural items from Ecuador will be available to attendees.

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Kick Off Celebration

Live Music II Troubadore, a 16th century rock band will perform their eclectic mix of world music with the beginning of international week on Monday, Nov. 12, in the IUS Library from 5 - 7 p.m.

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Grenediersbury

A writing group will meet on Nov. 14 at 9:30 a.m. in Knobview Hall, room 112 to share written poetry, prose and personal and class projects for peer review.

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Diversity Town Hall Meeting

An unrestrained dialogue on race, gender, culture, disability and sexuality are among the topics for discussion during the Diversity Town Hall meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 6, in Hoosier Room East of the University Center from 4 - 6 p.m. and on Wednesday, Nov. 7, in the Stem Concert Hall of the Ogle Center from noon - 2 p.m.

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Legacy

To learn about courage, authenticity, service, truthfulness, love and effectiveness attend the LEGACY meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 13 from 12:15 - 1:15 p.m. in the Commons in University Center North.

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Thanksgiving For the Elderly

Join Stephanie Wolfe, volunteer programs coordinator, and others in stuffing Thanksgiving baskets to be delivered on Thanksgiving day to shut in seniors. The process will take one hour on Tuesday, Nov. 13 from 12:15 - 1:15 in the hall outside of Campus Life in University Center South.

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Campus Open House

To learn more about admissions, academic programs, financial aid, student services and campus life, attend the Open House in the Ogle Center lobby on Saturday, Nov. 10, beginning at 9 a.m.

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Chancellor's Medallion Dinner

Huber's Orchard and Winery will host the annual Chancellor's Medallion Dinner honoring the Chancellor's Medallion recipients and scholarship winners on Saturday, Nov. 10, from 5:30 and 9 p.m. Tickets are $100.

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Art Professor Shows Method

Fine Arts Professor Debra Clem will talk about how she makes art, using illustrations from both finished paintings and works in progress.

The session will be held on Nov. 28 in the IUS Library, room 230, from noon to 1 p.m.

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Teaching, Travel, Tango

As part of the international speaker series, Professor Kyle Forinash spent the last academic year teaching, studying Spanish and traveling in Argentina.

He will share photos from his experiences, as well as impressions of the country, its education system, culture, recent history and more on Tuesday, Nov. 13, in the University Center in the Minton Room from 12:15 - 1:15 p.m.

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Salsa Club

The IUS Salsa Club will be meeting every Thursday at the Rehearsal Hall from 5-7 p.m. To prevent floor damage, no heels are allowed.

Questions/comments, contact Grace Stamper at 812-736-2709.

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Muslim Experience

Open Books will be looking at the novel of a Muslim girl growing up in Indianapolis, "The Girl in the Tangerine Scarf," by Mohja Kahf Friday, Nov. 9, in the IUS Library, room 230, from noon to 1 p.m.

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United Way

It's not too late to donate to the Metro United Way. Forms are available in the Information Technology office, University Center South, room 101, or call 941-2384.

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Men's Bible Study

The Christian Student Fellowship will be a having Thursday evening Bible Studies at the Christian Student Fellowship Center, from 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

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Tea Cups

Greg Mortenson's memoir of life in rural Afghanistan and Pakistan, "Three Cups of Tea," will be discussed in the IUS Library, room 230, on Dec. 14 from noon to 1 p.m.

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Wait Until Dark

Derby Dinner Playhouse will present "Wait Until Dark" through Nov. 11. For more information, call 812-288-8281.

Snackin'

Photo by Mike Lewis

Edna Linn, coffee shop supervisor, sets out chips in dining area in The Commons. Dining and Conference Services now provides the food in this area.

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Lend me a Tenor

IUS Theatre will present Lend me a Tenor on Nov. Children are invited to Skate Odyssey in Clarksville on Nov. 17 at 11 a.m. For more info call SPC at 812-941-2282.

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Student Government Meeting

The Student Government Association will have their weekly meeting on Thursday, Nov. 8 , beginning at 4:30 p.m. in the Indiana Room in the University Center North. All students are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

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Skate Party

Children are invited to Skate Odyssey in Clarksville on Nov. 17 at 11 a.m. For more info call SPC at 812-941-2282.

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Stop Smoking

Students interested in smoking cessation are welcomed at Hillside Hall, room 100, on Nov. 6, beginning at 12:20 p.m.

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Spring Orientation

Spring orientation dates are set for Thursday, Nov. 29 for transfer students only from 6 - 8:30 p.m. and Thursday, Dec. 13 from 3 - 7 pm., which will be available for all students. A short program for all students on Jan. 3 from 6 - 8:30 p.m.

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Unrestrained Dialogue

Professor Sheying Chen and Kimberly Clemens, director of Campus Life, will be holding an unrestrained dialogue on race, gender, culture, disability and sexuality on Tuesday, Nov. 6 from 4 - 6 p.m. in the Hoosier Room East of the University Center, and Wednesday, Nov. 7 from noon to 2 p.m. in the Stem Concert Hall of the Ogle Center. The meeting, an extemporaneous forum-styled dialogue, is open to the campus community, and seeks to build a stronger campus community through awareness, education and open exchange of information and ideas.

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SIB Meeting

The Student Involvement Board will meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 6 at 12:15 p.m. in the Scribner Room in the University Center North. The board meets monthly to discuss issues of interest.

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Yoga

Ongoing yoga classes, taught by a professional instructor, are offered on Tuesdays from 6 -7 p.m. at First Christian Church in Jeffersonville. For more information call 812-282-1278.

Local Events

Play Readings At the Frazier

The Frazier International History Interpretation Department proudly brings back free Monday night play readings. All the plays read are plays that are being considered for production at The Frazier. The readings will begin at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 5 and Nov. 12. "On the Verge or the Geography of Yearning," by Eric Overmeyer will be discussed on Nov. 5. "Our Country's Good" by Timberlake Wertenbaker will be read on Nov. 12.

Submissions

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