October 9, 2020



Student Affairs Updates



Last Chance to Nominate a Co-Worker **Student Affairs Hero Award: Community Builder**

Do you know someone who has built or strengthened our community? Over the past seven months, we have navigated COVID-19, witnessed racial injustice and protests in response, earthquake with aftershocks and a powerful windstorm. Student Affairs heroes show up during these times. They offer support, listen and help navigate next steps.

> STUDENT AFFAIRS | THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH STUDENT DEVELOPMENT AND INCLUSION

Indigenous Peoples' Day | October 12, 2020 | 12-1:30 PM

Indigenous Representation

They persist and bring out the best in others. We want to recognize these heroes who are the fabric of our community. Four individual heroes will be selected and will receive \$250. **Nominations are due TODAY**. Submit your nominations below.

SA Hero Nomination

Coming up next week

Indigenous

October 12, 12-1:30 pm Representation featuring

Peoples' Day

Moderator:

Dr Angela Paker (Mandan Hidatsa)

Panelists: Gregg Deal (Pyramid Lake Paiute)

In mainstream media and art, Indigenous peoples are often misrepresented due to lack of historical context and research. On

Indigenous Peoples' Day, the University of Utah Student Affairs' Student

Development and Inclusion will host a virtual panel where Indigenous artists and educators will share how they are challenging these stereotypes and changing the narrative by creating new spaces to represent themselves, take action, and raise awareness about contemporary Native communities and issues. Please invite and share with your network and partners! Register here

> EFRAMING the Conversation October 14, 12:00 PM



othering with a culture of belonging. While we continue to identify and remove barriers and bias incidents targeting our campus community, persistent strides toward an institution where every member is given the opportunity to be educated on equity, diversity and inclusion efforts will remain at the forefront of our work.

Register to attend

SADC Racial Student Affairs Diversity Committee Weekly Open Dialogue Series Justice and Racial Justice and Decolonization **Decolonization Weekly Open** Thursdays @ 1:00-2:00 PM **Dialogue Series**

Every Thursday, Student Affairs Diversity

Committee facilitates a virtual

dialogue series around social justice,

Racial Justice & Decolonization Dialoge Registration **Student Affairs Staff Committee Updates**

Staff Wellness Committee

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Announcements:

convenient for you and get yours today.

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out the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)website for ways to get involved. **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

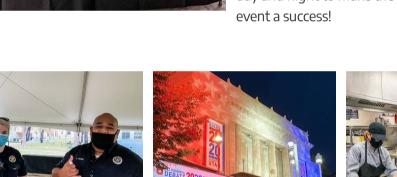
Free flu shots are available at a variety of locations in the valley, find a place

October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, get or schedule your

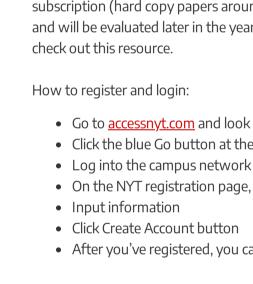
This week (October 6-12) is National Mental Illness Awareness Week-check

Our planned Training Tuesday event for October 13th has been cancelled. We look forward to seeing you at our next Training Tuesday on October 27th. In the meantime, if you haven't had a chance to checkout our collection of online trainings, we invite you

Vice Presidential Debate



EBATE 2020 UTAH



Readership Fee will be used to bring news access to students online! Academic Affairs and Human Resources have also contributed funds so that faculty and staff can enjoy access as well! This NYT online subscription program replaces the USA Today

Collegiate Readership

Chartwells Dining Services catered the historic Vice Presidential Debate between Senator Kamala Harris and Vice President Pence at Kingsbury Hall. What an incredible

day! Many thanks to the dedicated and

 On the NYT registration page, click Create Account button After you've registered, you can go directly to <u>nytimes.com</u>

This year the Pride Week Planning Committee is

student organizations at the University of Utah

who wish to host an event in Spring 2021 that aligns with the mission of Pride Week. Pride

Week celebrates LGBTQIA+ histories, cultures, and lives. This year Pride Week is March 29-April 3, but Pride Week Partners may plan an event at

facilitating a grant competition for student organizations. This grant supports recognized

preferences for who may be awarded funding as well as the link to apply can be found here. This grant competition opened on October 1st, and the deadline to apply is November 1st at 11:59pm MST. Any questions can be sent to lgbtrc@sa.utah.edu.

from the CARES (Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security) Act. Through each institutions' emergency fund program, more than \$1 million has been available for



million to students

eligible students across the System.

Test-optional

expansion

In June, the University of Utah

Read the full @theU article here.

through institutional

Win a grant to become a Pride Week

aid, CARES Act Funds Colleges and universities in the Utah System of Higher Education are giving nearly \$50 million directly to students to help with financial aid, emergency relief, and other supports during the COVID-19 pandemic. Of that funding, nearly \$48 million has come

announced its two-year pilot study to make the submission of standardized test scores, the SAT or ACT, optional for the purpose of undergraduate admissions. Today, the U is augmenting its testoptional pilot to apply not only to admission, but also to merit scholarship consideration and direct admission programs. Read the full article in @theU here.

Spring Semester

Homecoming 2020 Virtual Scholarship U5K Enjoy your favorite socially-distanced walk or run

U5K results—select this option when you register.

finisher's medal.

prep tips, and more!

Weekly COVID-19 Updates from **University of Utah Health** Dr. Michael Good, Senior Vice President of University of Utah Health, provided his weekly update on COVID-19 on October 6th. You can watch it here:

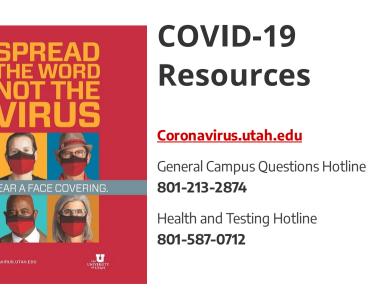
with family, friends, and other U alums—while supporting our scholarship program for deserving U students. You'll receive a packet including a U5K 2020 bib, shirt, and

University employees receive U Wellness credit when you participate and submit your

including registration, packet pickup instructions, suggestions for creating a route, 5K

Check out the University Alumni Association's website for exciting event details

Resources



Something on Your Mind?

Tell us

What topics would you like to see in SA Updates? Share your ideas!

Subscribe to our email list.

FORWARD TO A FRIEND

Join SADC for this event on Indigenous

Joey Montoya (Lipan Apache)

Viki Eagle (Sicangu Lakota/Japanse)

Scheduled Oct. 14, 12-1 pm



Zoom link provided with registration at www.sadc.utah.edu STUDENT AFFAIRS decolonization, racial justice, and praxis. If you are not able to make it, please still sign up to gain access to the readings. You can join the conversation without having **attended a previous session.** Each week focuses on different reading materials to provide leading research and scholarship; tools for personal, professional, and career development; and innovative praxis opportunities for Student Affairs that will actively

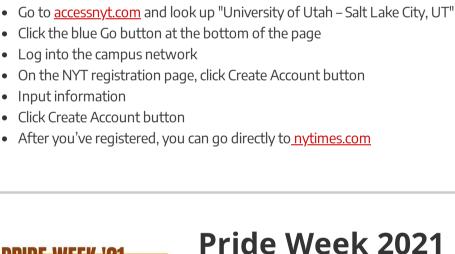
inform and reshape higher education. A separate invitation to join Canvas for a list of the reading materials and a link to join the series will be sent with your registration.

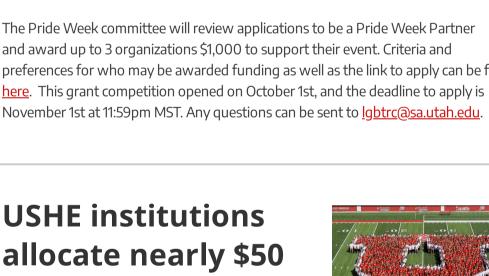
Next Session: October 15th at 1 pm

to do so by visiting the <u>PDC website</u>. An interesting discussion that mirrors many of our own conversations on campus is, *Innovation and Leadership in the Coronavirus Era*, sponsored by the Chronicle of Higher Education. You can find this and many others in our **On-Demand** database.

hardworking Chartwells team who worked day and night to make the catering of this

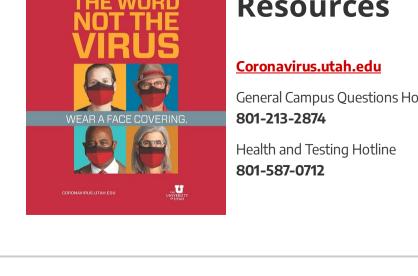






Schedule Spring semester classes will begin one week later than normal, on Tuesday, January 19, after the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday. You can review the full <u>schedule</u> posted on the <u>University Registrar's</u> website. The online instruction break will last from March 1 to March 14. Spring break, originally slated for March 8 – 15, will be eliminated, to reduce the risk of travel-related infection spread and to allow the semester to end on time.

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