GERMAN CAMPUS WEEKS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO, FALL 2017

UMWELT & HEIMAT - ENVIRONMENT & HOMELAND

Ecological Questions

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 4 FROM 9AM-4:30PM - OPENING EVENT
STAND @ NE CORNER OF SMITH (ZIMMERMAN) PLAZA

The purpose of the opening event is to raise awareness about environmental issues in Germany, China, and the US, with a specific focus on the Southwest in the US. In addition, we will celebrate the Day of German Unity (Tag der Deutschen Einheit), the German National Holiday (October 3rd) during the event. Quiz with prizes, poster competition, buttons, candy ...

OCTOBER 9TH - TALK: THE COMPETING DISCOURSES OF CLIMATE CHANGE
DR. JUDITH HENDRY (COMMUNICATION AND JOURNALISM, UNM)
MONDAY 10/9 FROM 7PM - 8 PM IN ORTEGA HALL 153 (ENTER FROM EAST SIDE)

OCTOBER 16TH - TALK: CHIAROSCURO COUNTRY, OR HOME ON THE RANGE:
THE EXPRESSIONISM OF GERMAN-AMERICAN PAINTERS
IN THE AMERICAN SOUTHWEST
DR. NEIL DONAHUE’S (HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY)
MONDAY 10/16 FROM 7PM - 8:15PM IN ORTEGA HALL 153 (ENTER FROM EAST SIDE)

OCTOBER 28TH - SATURDAY NOON: ESSAY COMPETITION DEADLINE
German student undergraduate essay competition on "Umwelt und Heimat"
first prize iPad Mini 4 ($ 400 value), 2nd prize: $ 100 Amazon gift certificate, 3rd prizes: $ 50 gift cert.
For more details, see "Aufsatzwettbewerb" flier

NOVEMBER 3RD - ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION AND TEACH-IN
FRIDAY 11/3 FROM 5PM - 7PM IN ORTEGA HALL 335 (READING ROOM)
Students from different programs will present approaches to environmental issues in their respective country or culture of study; announcement of essay & button competition winners

NOVEMBER 7TH - FILM: POWER TO CHANGE - THE ENERGY REBELLION (2016)
WITH DIRECTOR CARL-A. FECHNER
TUESDAY 11/7 FROM 7PM - 9PM IN SMLC 102 (SCIENCE MATH LEARNING CENTER)
The documentary won several prizes at international film festivals, and is a must for everyone interested in solar energy. - screening followed by discussion with filmmaker
With the support of the German Embassy, Washington DC; The German Cinema and Culture Fund; The German Club of UNM; The Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures at UNM