## Hispanic Heritage Exhibit

September 30, 2019 - October 15, 2019 MCC Downtown Campus, 2nd Floor Lounge

#### Freddy Colon, Professional Percussionist & DJ Mambo

Monday, September 30, 2019 | 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. MCC Downtown Campus, 2nd Floor Lounge Freddy has over 30 years In the music Industry and provides Rochester with a wonderful array of cultural education through music.

### Take the Lead, starring Antonio Banderas and Alfre Woodard

Thursday, October 10, 2019 | 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. Brighton Campus, Prism Multicultural Center, Building 1, Room 108 Snacks and beverages provided.

This movie is full of raw spirit and sizzling dance moves. A professional ballroom dance instructor is hired by an inner-city high school principal to supervise detention for the school's most troubled students. The students, full of anger and attitude, want nothing to do with this instructor nor do they care about ballroom dancing. But when the instructor takes a genuine interest in their hip-hop dancing and the students themselves, a new style of dance is formed, taking the students all the way to a national competition.

# Angelica Perez-Delgado Director, IBERO-American Action League Rochester

Monday, October 14, 2019 | 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. Brighton Campus, Forum, Building 3, Room 130

On February 11, 2019, Angelica Perez-Delgado was named the new president and CEO of Rochester's IBERO-American Action League. She was previously the chief administrative and compliance officer at the Villa of Hope. In her new role with IBERO Perez-Delgado leads a dual-language human services agency that was established in 1968 to help build stronger families and greater selfsufficiency among individuals and families of all ethnic backgrounds. Ms. Delgato will talk about her new role, what is happening in the community after the hurricane and the political crisis in Puerto-Rico.

# **Socio-Political View of Puerto Rico After Hurricane Maria**

Wednesday, October 23, 2019 | 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. MCC Downtown Campus, TBA

It's all understandably confusing and frustrating. Over 3 million Americans who live on the island of Puerto Rico, which is a United States territory, are going through a lot: a lingering economic crisis, a government bankruptcy, the aftermath of a deadly hurricane, and now a major political scandal. Puerto Rico is facing an existential crisis of sorts, but the way islanders have responded to that crisis is nothing short of remarkable. Please join us as professor Marisol Galarza-Ruiz, from world languages & cultures department, presents a thoughtful discussion and presentation that addresses the aftermath of hurricane Maria.

# **Zumba with Maribel Torres**

Monday, October 28, 2019 | 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. 2nd Floor Lounge - MCC Downtown Campus

Maribel Torres is the owner of Fitbalanz Studio located in Rochester, NY. Zumba is an exercise fitness program created in the 1990s by Colombian choreographer and fitness instructor Alberto "Beto" Perez. Zumba combines Latin and International music with dance moves.

# Latin Dancing with Karson La'force

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 | 12:00 P.M. - 1:30 P.M. Prism Multicultural Center, Building 1, Room 108 We'll be dancing up a storm, learning dance steps for Salsa, Rumba, and Merengue. Don't be afraid, dance Is the best stress reliever of all! Please R.S.V.P. by calling the PRISM Multicultural Center at 292-3640 if you plan to attend.

# Celebrating Hispatic Heritage

# Day of the Dead Exhibit

#### October 31, 2019 - November 8, 2019 PRISM Multicultural Center

Visit our special exhibit as displayed by Professor Jorge Alas, World Languages and Cultures. Day of the Dead originated several thousand years ago with the Aztec, Toltec, and other Nahua people, who considered mourning the dead disrespectful. For these pre-Hispanic cultures, death was a natural phase in life's long continuum. **Day of the Dead Discussion** with Professor Jorge Alas

Tuesday, November 5, 2019 | 12:30 P.M. PRISM Multicultural Center, Building 1, Room 108



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