

HBPA MONTHLY MEETING

Wednesday, November 11, 2020

6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Sabes Que: Dr. David May,

EWU Interim President

Via Zoom

Stay healthy and safe.

HBPA

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11 am-5 pm

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2019/2020 HBPA Association Officers:

Isabel Mazcot de Torres, President

Lili Navarrete, Vice President

Maria Escobedo, Treasurer

Fernanda Mazcot, Secretary

Yvonne C. Montoya Zamora,
Membership Officer

Kelly Alvarado-Young,
Digital Public Relations

Foundation Board Directors:

Susana Lopez

Larry Valadez

American Indian Heritage Month

In November, we honor and celebrate
American Indian/Native American Month.

In 2014, the State of Washington designed
the fourth Friday in November (day
following Thanksgiving) as **Native
American Heritage Day**, a state and school
legal holiday.

Did you know the State of WA has 29
federally recognized tribes and 7 tribes
that are not currently federally recognized
in WA state.

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Upcoming HBPA Events/Information

6th Annual Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) - Sunday, November 1, 2020 (noon-5:00 pm). This is a virtual event broadcast on YouTube Live. Participate by tuning in to watch and/or stopping by our drive-thru altar display!

Date: Sunday, November 1, 2020

Time: 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Location: To view virtually go to YouTube link: <https://youtu.be/CJfhP4fNTdk>; Video

Trailer: <https://youtu.be/Fyw3RSORRQY>

FB Event (Virtual): <https://www.facebook.com/events/2581537818811721>

FB Event (Drive-Thru): <https://www.facebook.com/events/777596206421662>

HBPA/LTNX Artes Dia de los Muertos Online Art Show

LTNX Artes with Miguel M. Gonzales will host an on-line art show for Latina/o/x artists to share how their latinidad influences their artwork.

Date: Sunday, November 1, 2020

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: Virtual Event – <https://youtu.be/CJfjP4NTdk>

Cost: Free and open to the public.

For more information visit ltnxartes.com.

HBPA Membership Zoom meetings will be held via Zoom for November 11, 2020 and December 9, 2020 at 6:00 pm. The Zoom meeting information for all both meetings is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88658332436?pwd=YXU1T2NkWXAzYVU3RERpQzhvVTBsZz09>

Meeting ID: 886 5833 2436

Passcode: 886593

Dial by your location

1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma))

Sabes Que speaker: David May's Biography

Dr. David May is Eastern's Interim President, appointed to a two-year term by the Board of Trustees in August 2020. A scholar specializing in the relationship between politics and public law, particularly the intersection of politics and constitutional interpretation, Dr. May, professor of Political Science and International Affairs, joined the faculty at EWU in 1999. He has served as chair of the Department of Political Science, where he facilitated the EWU in the High School program as its faculty liaison and where he also directed the Center for Northwest Politics.

Dr. May also has served as associate dean of the College of Social Sciences, vice provost for academic administration, and most recently as provost. As provost and vice president of Academic Affairs, Dr. May provided oversight of academic operations including 135 areas of study, more than 500 faculty members in six academic colleges, the JFK Library, Academic Policy and Planning, Distance Education, Advising and Retention, International Programs, Institutional Research, and Grants and Contracts.

HBPA Office Phone Number – 509.557.0566. The office is staffed Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 11:00 – 5:00 pm. If no answer, please leave a message, your call will be returned.

HBPA dues for 2021 can be paid by going to our website at www.hbaspokane.net. Dues are \$35.00 per calendar year for individual membership, \$75.00 for a corporate membership and \$125 for business sponsor.

New Business Members
Northwest Fair Housing Alliance –
Glenda Mendoza Creager

In response to COVID-19, the HBPA Board is offering free membership for businesses and individuals for the remainder of 2020. To apply, go to our website at www.hbaspokane.net.

Election of 2020/2021 - HBPA/F Officers/Board Members

Election of board officers will take place November 11, 2020, for the 2020/2021 years. The slate of nominated officers with their bios will be sent out to HBPA members to vote via email on November 2, 2020, or you can vote at the November 11, 2020 Zoom meeting. Business members have one vote per membership, the email will be sent to the employee on record representing the business.

The slate of officers presented at the October 14, 2020 meeting are:

- *President – Fernanda Mazcot
- *Vice President of Foundation – Larry Valadez
- **Vice President of Business Relations – Isabel Mazcot (new position as of 1/1/21)
- *Secretary – Kelly Alvarado-Young
- *Treasurer – Maria Escobedo
- **Membership - Francisco Gutierrez
- ***Foundation Director - Susana Lopez
- ***Foundation Director – Daniel Fuentes

- * - Association and Foundation
- ** - Association Only
- *** - Foundation Only

3rd Annual Winterfest. Winter Wonderland of “Lighted Holiday Themed” Chinese Lanterns including 8 ft tall Christmas trees, hand painted by local artists to represent various cultures. These trees are similar to the Chinese lantern lights which will also be included. To take place at the Mirabeau Park Hotel and Convention Center. From November 27, 2020 to January 1, 2021.

15th Annual Viva Vino & Brew

Looking for volunteers to assist with this event, interested, email www.hbaspokane@gmail.com. To be held Saturday evening, **April 10, 2021**, Shriners Event Center.

COVID 19 Resources:

HBPA:

- **Hispanic Food Pantry (Consechando Esperanza – Despensade Alimentos)** families can fill this form out to get a box of food which can then pick up at our HBPA Office at 308 W. 1st (Lorraine Building), first floor on Wednesdays from noon-6:00 pm. <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1jlnnaMTxkwllp8PRbaoDRK7zf1bjhcnuQRNudacPTI/edit>
- **Businesses:** HBPA in collaboration with AHANA is helping businesses apply for the PPP, EILD and other programs. We have helped several businesses already, please reach out to HBPA President Isabel Mazcot at Isabel.mazcot@outlook.com if you need assistance.

SIRC: Spokane Immigration Rights Coalition

- **Financial support** to undocumented families within the Spokane community impacted by COVID-19. If you know any families, fill out this link and contact our HBPA member Olga Lucia Herrera at latinospokane@gmail.com. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd_pNErVbullmzz7hcQRDjpNjr9-sUyjMusEZI26SwTov9rOQ/viewform?usp=sf_link

EWU will be teaching Spanish for Social and Health Services (Span 396), 5 credit class Winter 2021. TYPE OF INSTRUCTION: online class meets on Mondays at 5:00-7:00 pm via Zoom. Pre-requisites: Span 203. Students with previous Spanish language experience are advised to take the placement test. To take the test or for more information contact Dr. Marín Laufenberg mlaufenberg@ewu.edu. Spanish 396: Spanish for Social and Health Services provides you with the linguistic and cultural tools necessary to communicate better with Spanish-speaking clients or patients in areas related to social and health services. Some of the themes discussed are: Health insurance, Immigrant and undocumented access to healthcare, Medicaid and Medicare, Child abuse and child well-being, Domestic violence, The elderly, Motherhood and Alcoholism and addiction.

Do you or someone you know speak fluent Spanish? **Spokane Alliance's Community Health Monitoring program is in need of a few more Spanish-speaking volunteers to call COVID positive patients while they isolate at home.** This program connects volunteers with COVID patients over the phone to monitor their health as they recover. The patients are also delivered a pulse oximeter to measure their health indicators.

All that's needed is a personal phone and internet connection. Training will be provided and the expected time commitment is about 15 minutes per day. Interested? Please email action@spokanealliance.org to get more information.

**6th Annual Dia de los Muertos
(Day of the Dead) Sponsors:**

**Hazen and Jaeger Funeral Home
(Partner)**

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EWU Chicana/o/x Studies



GESA Credit Union



Innovia Foundation



Marandos Bar and Restaurant



Raiz of Planned Parenthood



Family Guide



**Spokane County Library District and
Friends of the Library**



**Spokane Public Library and
Friends of the Library**



Rose and Blossom



Event Calendar

25th Annual Spokane Fall Folk Festival

The setting is changing, but the genres remain the same! The Fall Folk Virtual Festival will be available on the radio and on our website. Pre-recorded performances of entertainers selected from this year's applicants streamed on our website and Facebook page.

Dates: November 14, 2020 – December 30, 2020

Location: www.spokanefolkfestival.org

Cost: Free

For more information and a full list of performers and activities will be available at www.spokanefolkfestival.org and their Facebook page (www.facebook.com/Fall-Folk-Festival-Spokane) as they become available. Hosted by the Spokane Folklore Society.

JOB OPENINGS

Avista: <https://www.myavista.com/about-us/working-at-avista>

Catholic Charities of Spokane: <https://www.cceasternwa.org/careers>

City of Spokane: <https://my.spokanecity.org/jobs/classified/>

City of Spokane Valley: <http://www.spokanevalley.org/Employment>

Community Colleges of Spokane:

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/ccspokane>

Eastern WA University: <https://inside.ewu.edu/hr/apply-for-jobs/>

Engie Impact: Billing Specialist and various other positions available -

<https://jobs.engie.com/jobs/billing-specialist-157015>

*Family Promise of Spokane: Education Coordinator (pt/temp) and Assistant Shelter Supervisors (pt-20-30 hrs/wk), apply at www.familypromiseofspokane.org/careers

Gonzaga University: <https://gonzaga.peopleadmin.com/postings/search>

Indeed.com – Spokane jobs: <https://www.indeed.com/l-Spokane,-WA-jobs.html>

MiA (Mujeres in Action) Bilingual Housing Advocate, \$18.00 an hour, 35 hours a week.

https://www.facebook.com/job_opening/654100975194980/?source=share,

Planned Parenthood: <https://www.plannedparenthood.org/get-involved/jobs-and-volunteering>

Safe Haven Guardianship Agency: Financial Manager, call Ronda 509.230.7206 for application/resume instructions.

Sherwin Williams: <https://jobsearch.sherwin.com/>

Spokane County: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/spokanecountywa>

Spokane Police Department: <https://my.spokanecity.org/police/officer/jobs/>

Spokane Regional Health District: <https://srhd.org/programs-and-services/human-resources-1>

Spokane Transit Authority: <https://www.spokanetransit.com/employment/job-listings>

Travelers - <https://careers.travelers.com/job-search-results/>

Washington WorkSource: <https://www.worksourcewa.com/>

Whitworth University:

<https://www.whitworth.edu/administration/humanresources/jobs.aspx?typeid=2>

*New listing

Black Lives Matter! - Las Vidas Negras Importan!

We at HBPA stand against racism and inequality. We stand with our brothers and sisters of the Black community. We see you, we hear you, and we stand with you. We stand with the Black community, we support Black Lives Matter movement, we demand change and will continue to stand against social injustice. Communities of Color but especially the Black community have fallen victims of the system that intentionally oppresses our people. We will not stay silent anymore.