

Hispanic Heritage Month Events Calendar: September 15 - October 15, 2018

Welcome! Here, you will find a list of events in Baltimore and Washington, D.C. in celebration of the 2018 Hispanic Heritage Month! We invite you to share this with your friends, co-workers, professors, and networks across campus. For more information, feel free to visit the Multicultural Resource Calendar located on Campus Life's Mosaic [website!](#)

Happy Hispanic Heritage Month!

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September

Monday 17th | 1:20p.m. - 2:20p.m. AND 4:00p.m. | **Meet with Carolina Guerrero, CEO of Radio Ambulante**

What does it take to build a loyal and growing audience for a US-based Spanish-language podcast? How can Latino and Latin American stories told in Spanish overcome the language barrier and have maximum impact on the wider culture? Carolina Guerrero will discuss her podcast's mission, its challenges, and its extraordinary growth. Respective times are above.

Meet & Greet Location: UMBC PAHB 216 (RSVP requested: aschwart@umbc.edu)

Reception Location: UMBC Albin O. Kuhn Library Gallery

Saturday 20th | 6:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. | **13th Hispanic LGBTQ Heritage Awards**

Please join the [Latino GLBT History Project](#) in celebrating our 13th annual Hispanic LGBTQ Heritage Month celebration. Awardee LGBTQIA+ leaders, Louie A. Ortiz-Fonseca, Xemiyulu Manibusan Tapepechul, and Ivan Aguilar, commit themselves to making the community more visible and resilient through their advocacy, hard work, and dedication. Food and drinks will be provided. Free admission with encouraged donations!

Location: Human Rights Campaign, 1640 Rhode Island Ave., NW, Washington, D.C.

Thursday 27th | 5:30p.m. - 7:30p.m. | **Mayor Pugh's Hispanic Heritage Awards & Celebration**

In this reception, the contributions of Baltimore's Latino Community will be honored. It features art by Erick Antonio Benitez, winner of the Sondheim Artscape Prize 2018. In addition, Mayor Pugh will announce the winners of the Mayor's Hispanic Heritage Awards for 2018. [Free](#) and open to the public!

Location: Baltimore City Hall

Saturday 29th | 11:30a.m. - 3:00p.m. | [Hispanic Heritage Month Festival](#)

In partnership with [Carlos Rosario International Public Charter School](#), meet local artists, musicians, and dancers, and join in the festivities of Latinx heritage! Free admission.

Location: Robert & Arlene Kogod Courtyard, National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution

October

Saturday 6th | 11:00a.m. - 4:30p.m. | [Making History, Sharing Culture ft. Disney Pixar's Coco](#)

Participate in hands on activities; learn about animation and storytelling; enjoy the Cooking Up History demonstration with renowned Mexican-American, chef Zarela Martinez; meet members from Disney·Pixar's "Coco" team; watch "Coco" with your friends and family; dance to the music of Grupo Bella, an all-female mariachi band. All festival activities are free with required reservation for the screenings of Coco.

Location: American History Museum, Washington, D.C.

Friday 12th | 8:00p.m. - 10:30p.m. | [Viva Puerto Rico! w/ Orquesta el Macabeo](#)

Celebrate Puerto Rican resilience and resistance with Orquesta el Macabeo, punk musicians and salsa masters. Participate in a Salsa dance lesson and dance to Sam Rodriguez's DJing! [Limited](#) seating dance party! Please contact the box office with accessibility concerns and to hold seats in case of mobility issues. info@creativealliance.org

Location: Creative Alliance, 3134 Eastern Ave., Baltimore, MD, 21224

Sunday 14th | 12:00p.m. - 5:00p.m. | [Baltimore's Immigrant & Refugee Food Festival](#)

Enjoy local food by the best immigrant and refugee chefs in Baltimore from Syria, Mexico, the Philippines, Haiti, and many other nationalities! Also meet immigrant artists, vendors and non-profits supporting the local Baltimore community and beyond! Buy tickets [here!](#)
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Location: Canton Waterfront Park