

## Winter 2021 Newsletter

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## Message from the Vice Provost

Greetings for the new year. In these troubling times, we commit ourselves even more to advancing research for racial and social justice in partnership with many others on campus and in our communities. Sending wishes for good health and peace.

Sincerely,
David K. Yoo
Vice Provost & Professor





American Indian Studies Center Director Dr. Shannon Speed's Incarcerated Stories:

Indigenous Women Migrants and Violence in the Settler-Capitalist State (UNC Press,
2019) named one of CHOICE's Outstanding Academic Titles for 2020!

Choice, a publishing unit of the Association of College and Research Libraries, publishes a selective list of Outstanding Academic Titles that were reviewed the previous calendar year.

# <u>Latest AAPI Nexus Journal "Inflection Point 2020: Coronavirus, Census And Elections For AAPIs" available for download!</u>

The special issue examines the impact of COVID-19, the 2020 Census, and elections on AAPI communities, as well as models, solutions and policy recommendations for the future.



## Watch the video of the Translating COVID-19 Webinar co-sponsored with UCLA Fielding School of Public Health, LA County Department of Public Health and A3PCON

We invite you to view our webinar discussing translated COVID-19 materials tailored for Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander communities, partnerships, and our collective effort to build these tools, how to access them, and what you can do to help advance AANHPI health equity.



## Dr. Kelly Lytle Hernández elected to Pulitzer Prize Board

Kelly Lytle Hernández, Thomas E. Lifka Professor of History, African American Studies, and Urban Planning and Director of the Bunche Center, joined the 19-member Board. "I am honored ... The Pulitzer Prizes also lift critical voices into the public square: voices that inform and inspire us while shedding new light on the world in which we live."

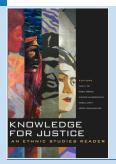
# Maurice Rafael Magaña, 2013-14 CSRC IAC Visiting Scholar and CSRC Visiting Researcher, publishes Cartographies of Youth Resistance: Hip-Hop, Punk, and Urban Autonomy in Mexico (UC Press, 2020)

Maurice Rafael Magaña is an assistant professor in the Department of Mexican American Studies and the Social, Cultural, and Critical Theory Graduate Interdisciplinary Program at the University of Arizona.



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## **Knowledge for Justice reprint now available**

Knowledge for Justice: An Ethnic Studies Reader, originally issued in 2019 to mark the fiftieth anniversary of UCLA's four ethnic studies research centers (American Indian Studies, Asian American Studies, Chicana/o Studies, and Ralph J. Bunche Center for African American Studies) has been reprinted by CSRC Press.

## CSRC mourns the passing of Juan Gómez-Quiñones

CSRC mourns the loss of the director most responsible for establishing its crucial mission of research that makes a difference.



#### IAC Fall Forum 2020 video now available!



Featuring the 2020–21 IAC visiting researchers and scholars at UCLA's four ethnic studies centers.

#### Mark Your Calendars for our Film Festival in February!

This February, the **UCLA Asian American Studies Center** in partnership with **UCLA Film & Television Archive** will continue to celebrate the legacy of Asian American Studies at UCLA with a virtual film festival from February 19-21 and 26-28, 2021! Audiences will hear from filmmakers and actors on their creative journeys, as well as from scholars, artists, and community leaders on themes that apply to today's world.



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