Global Initiatives Week November 6 – 13, 2015

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A week-long celebration of the Coulee Region's global connections.

Dance - Art - Music - Film - Food - Poetry Follow the conversation #lacrosseglobal

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Global Initiatives Week 2015 Calendar of Events

For a full listing of events and details, visit **explorelacrosse.com/global** All events are FREE, unless noted by (\$)

Saturday, Oct. 24 (pre-week event)

International Fair @ La Crosse Public Library, 1-3pm

Friday, Nov. 6

Global Celebration kickoff event @ Radisson, 4:30-7pm: Sponsored by La Crosse Community Foundation Global Awareness Fund Portraits of Cuba @ La Crosse Club, 4-7pm Sponsored by Travel Leaders of La Crosse

United Nations Association Traveling Film Festival @ UW-La Crosse, 2-9pm Displays about staff from other countries @ Mayo Clinic Health System Franciscan Health Care, Market Place hospital cafeteria

Saturday, Nov. 7

United Nations Assoc. Traveling Film Festival @ UW-La Crosse, 9:30am-9pm Global Friendships Celebration @ La Crosse Public Library, 10:30am-12:30pm Cultural Heritage Association of India (CHAI) Deepawali "Festival of Lights" @ The La Crosse Center, 5-9pm (\$)

Monday, Nov. 9

International Student Presentation @ Big Brothers Big Sisters, 5-7pm Gundersen Global Partners Presentation @ Radisson, 6:30pm

Tuesday, Nov. 10

"A Glimpse into Global Healthcare: Learnings from Azerbaijan" Noon Conference Talk @ Gundersen Health System, 12:15-1pm Cultural Coffee Hour @ UW-La Crosse, 5:30pm Organic Adventures in Iran @ People's Food Co-Op, 6:30pm

Wednesday, Nov. 11

Andreas Transo, Irish Music @ Dublin Square, 6-9pm International Faculty Panel @ UW-La Crosse, 7pm Film "Not My Life" @ Viterbo University, 7pm

Thursday, Nov. 12

Film "Business of Being Born" @ La Crosse Public Library, 5:30-7:30pm Spoken Word Artist Carlos Andres Gomez @ Viterbo University, 7pm Film "Miss Tibet" @ Pump House, 6:30pm: Sponsored by the Frozen River Film Festival

Friday, Nov. 13

Greater La Crosse Area Diversity Council Half-Day Conference @ Black River Beach Neighborhood Center, 8am-1:30pm: Offered in partnership with the Chamber of Commerce, Seven Rivers Alliance, and Downtown Mainstreet

All Week

Brown Bag Lunch Series, 12-1pm, daily Nov. 9-13: Hosted by UW-La Crosse International Education & Engagement

Cabin Coffee: Highlighting an international coffee each day (\$)

Global Initiatives Week Challenge sponsored by Gundersen Global Partners. Email globalpartners@gundersenhealth.org to sign up for daily emails.

Gundersen Health System: Offering global entrees in hospital cafeteria, daily Nov. 9-13 (\$)

Mayo Clinic Health System Franciscan Health Care: Offering international foods and coffee in Market Place hospital cafeteria, Nov. 9, 11 & 12 (\$)

Mention "Global Initiatives Week" for discounts at the following businesses

- Dublin Square (10% discount)
- Gracie's (10% discount)
- Grand Bluff Running (15% discount on Janji apparel, which funds solutions for the global water crisis)
- Hmong Golden Eggrolls (15% discount)
- Indochinese Grocery Store (15% discount)
- New Taste of India (15% discount)

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