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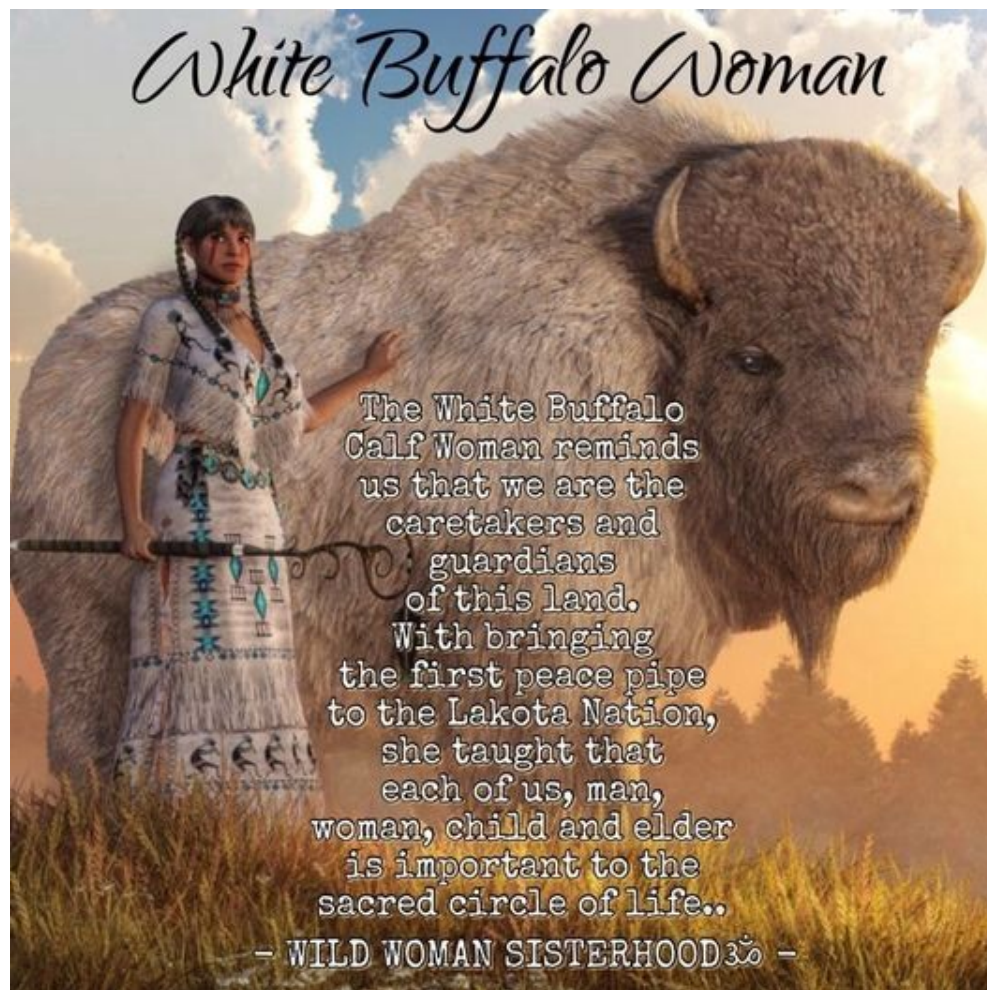
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COVID-19 Related Funding

Current COVID-19 funding opportunities are available on our [website](#).

National Opportunities

Support for Land Acquisition Efforts to Conserve Critical Habitats

Acres for America was established to provide urgently needed funding for projects that conserve important large-scale habitats for fish, wildlife, and plants through land acquisitions and perpetual conservation easements.

Cancer Education and Prevention Projects Funded

The mission of the Prevent Cancer Foundation is saving lives across all populations through cancer prevention and early detection.

Grants Benefit the Health of Native American Youth

The Notah Begay III Foundation is dedicated to ensuring that Native children achieve their full potential by advancing cultures of Native American community health.

Resident-Driven Groups in Small Cities and Towns Supported

Community Heart & Soul is a resident-driven process that engages the entire population of a town in identifying what they love most about their community, what future they want for it, and how to achieve it.

Regional Opportunities

Funds for Family Empowerment Initiatives in the Southeast

Charlie's Heart Foundation supports nonprofit organizations that operate in Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, or Virginia.

Grants Promote Youth Opportunities in Oklahoma and Surrounding States

The Kerr Foundation primarily provides support to organizations in Oklahoma; however, the Foundation also considers requests from the surrounding states of Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, New Mexico, and Texas, as well as Washington, DC.

Support for Healthcare Access Projects in Massachusetts

The Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation seeks to expand access to healthcare for low-income and vulnerable residents of Massachusetts.

Nonprofit Organizations Serving Idahoans Funded

The Laura Moore Cunningham Foundation is dedicated to advancing the great state of Idaho.

Federal Opportunities

Community Forestry Efforts Supported

The Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program focuses on restoring, sustaining, and managing urban and community forest lands for the benefit of communities.

Funds Available to Address Violence Impacting Youth

The Preventing Violence Affecting Young Lives (PREVAYL) program seeks to address multiple forms of violence impacting adolescents and young adults, particularly in communities with high rates of violence.



Gretchen Swanson Center for Nutrition: Rooted in Evidence Food Bank Grant and Evaluation Program

The Gretchen Swanson Center for Nutrition (GSCN) provides resources to improve diet and physical activity behaviors among youth and their families. GSCN's Rooted in Evidence Food Bank Grant and Evaluation Program funds food banks in the United States working to support innovative programming to improve the health and dietary quality of emergency food recipients. [Learn more](#) about the funding guidelines and application process.



Akonadi Foundation: So Love Can Win Fund

The mission of the Akonadi Foundation is to support the development of powerful social change movements to eliminate structural racism. The Foundation's So Love Can Win Fund supports organizers, storytellers, culture bearers, and healers in Oakland, CA, who seek to ignite and implement a radical collective vision of freedom and racial justice. [Learn more](#) about the funding guidelines and application process.

Labor of Love: Books to Inspire Social Activism

by Diana Holder

In Greek mythology, Heracles was given twelve seemingly impossible labors by King Eurystheus of Tiryns. Each was a gargantuan task, with near-certain odds of failure, but Heracles approached them in courageous and creative ways, and over the course of years, succeeded. In the wake of 2020, humanity also finds itself facing multiple complex challenges. Daunting issues such as inequality, racial justice, climate change, and threats to democracy have all moved into the forefront of public consciousness, with no easy answers in sight. We are now at a key point in time, one which will undoubtedly be seen as pivotal by future historians. But can we make sense of history as it is unfolding? As a social change leader, how do you address these issues boldly and creatively? To help you on this journey of understanding, I've compiled a list of books by and for social activists.

2021 Collective Impact Action Summit

Are you a nonprofit leader looking to attend an engaging conference? The 2021 Collective Impact Action Summit shares lessons learned from across the social change field, including the role of collective impact initiatives on advancing equitable systems change, centering anti-racist work, contributing to the COVID-19 response and rebuilding, and other pressing challenges. This conference will take place online from April 27 to 29, 2021.

Mary Gibson ·

Save this date. Spring has sprung and it's time to think about plant harvesting. Join the Noowuh Knowledge Center in hosting Shoshone Bannock Culture and Language Preservation staff, Louise Dixey and Bobette Haskett, in this presentation about plant gathering of the Shoshone Bannock People. It will be a morning of learning and conversing about plants, plant harvesting of all Newena. Come share your knowlege. Please help your elders to participate in this online event too. Oose.



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PLANTS**

OF THE SHOSHONE-BANNOCK PEOPLE

MARCH 27, 2021
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MEETING ID: 895 0206 7027
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The Ever-Changing World of the Paiute - Joseph Lent
Bridgeport Indian Reservation, culture@bridgeportindiancolony.com
<https://scholarship.claremont.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1001&context=eshj>

A Warning Sign in Cherokee Nation: Plenty of Covid-19 Vaccines, but Not Enough Arms - The New York Times
https://www.nytimes.com/2021/03/16/us/vaccines-covid-chokeoee-native-americans.html?campaign_id=2&emc=edit_th_20210317&instance_id=28136&nl=todaysheadlines@i_id=37436600&segment_id=53572&user_id=d94880555f1604f09124f694bfa8d5c2

Please help us get the word out about the *Repainting Project of the Stewart “S”* -- call you cousins, post on your FaceBook, mention it during public comments during Tribal Council meetings, and the like.

We have secured FREE paint from the Carson City Sherwin William's (Thank you, Sari). The rest of the details are below:

When: Wednesday, March 31 & Thursday, April 1 at 8:30 a.m.

Where to Meet: Foothill of Stewart “S” – Intersection of Clearview and Gentry lanes

Why:

The Stewart “S” was first painted by the Stewart Indian School tenth grade class in 1934 and is a historic and visible mark of the former Stewart Indian School.

Today, the “S” also reflects the location of the Stewart Community which is part of the Washoe Tribe of Nevada and California Nation. Please consider joining our restoration efforts.

Contact: If you would like to volunteer, please contact: Marty Meeden 775.790.7513

[Grégoire Rousseau](#)

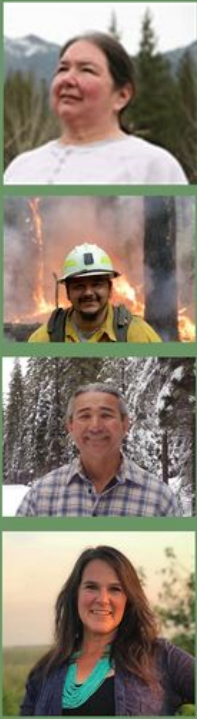


It is the most invasive and dangerous species on the planet. It destroys the whole ecosystem and then moves to new areas and does the same until everything is exhausted.

The other one is a fish with big teeth.

Scholarships (N-R) with April 16-30 Deadlines

NEWH Northwest Chapter scholarship	\$10,000	04/21/2021
NGA Foundation Scholarships	Varies	04/20/2021
Norman O. Brown Scholarship	Varies	04/30/2021
Northern Tier Hardwood Association Community Forests Scholarship	\$1,500	04/30/2021
NPFDA Scholarship Foundation, Inc.	\$4,000	04/30/2021
NPG Essay Scholarship Contest	\$2,500	04/18/2021
NURSE Corps Scholarship Program	Varies	04/30/2021
OCA Spectrum Scholarship	\$20,000	04/18/2021
Paul S. Honda Scholarships	\$1,000	04/18/2021
PCMA Legacy Society Student Scholarship	\$3,500	04/30/2021
Plan New Hampshire Scholarship & Fellowship	Varies	04/17/2021
Powering Education Scholarship	\$2,000	04/01/2021
QuestBridge College Prep Scholars Program	Varies	04/21/2021
Ralph G. Norman Scholarship	\$2,500	04/30/2021
Regina C. Williams Memorial Scholarship	Varies	04/30/2021
Retired Enlisted Association Scholarship Program	Varies	04/30/2021
Rhonda J. B. O'Leary Scholarship	\$2,000	04/30/2021
Right Fit Foundation \$5,000 Local Scholarship	\$5,000	04/30/2021
Road to Safety Scholarship	\$1,000	04/15/2021
Robert J. Meyer Organic Farming Scholarship	Varies	04/30/2021
Robert W. Mong, Jr. Journalism Scholarship	\$3,000	04/20/2021
Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation Wildlife Leadership Awards	\$5,000	04/19/2021
Roger J. Clouatre Scholarship	\$500	04/30/2021
Ruth Lilly Poetry Fellowships	\$25,800	04/30/2021




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Mountain Maidu Panelists:
Lorena Gorbet
Danny Manning
Les Hall
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FRC Spring Sustainability Series
Hosted by Bridget Tracy
Environmental Studies Professor, FRC

https://nevada-today.com/jury-to-hear-lack-of-good-faith-argument-in-water-board-price-setting-case/?utm_source=newsletter-462+&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Saturday+Recap

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With Corporations Like These, Who Needs College?

- Google is Boldly Going Where No Company Has Gone Before. The tech behemoth announced the [launch](#) of new certificate programs designed to help people bridge any skills gap and get qualifications in high-paying, high-growth job fields --- without a college degree.
- "The pandemic has led to a truly horrible year," Alphabet and Google CEO Sundar Pichai said in an interview. "But it has also created profound shifts along the journey to digital transformation in ways no one could have imagined."
- While the pandemic greatly accelerated the shift to digital, Google has been observing a more gradual shift over several years. But as more and more digital jobs became available, it became obvious that there was a skills gap. "You can't just say the next generation will naturally have the skills they need," says Pichai. "We saw a lot of unfilled positions when it came to jobs in tech. It was a supply mismatch. Yet people were hungry to fill those positions. So we asked ourselves, 'Why is there a gap?'"

The light bulb moment came when analyzing data from Google's IT Support Professional Certificate program, which the company launched on Coursera in 2018. A high percentage of students enrolling came from nontraditional backgrounds, and many didn't have a degree. Furthermore, 46% reported being in the lowest-income bracket, making less than \$30,000 a year.

Google concluded it was important to offer programs that were available to as many people as possible ... and that taught in-demand, real-world skills. The programs should offer a clear path to a high-paying job and a stable career, or even be a stepping stone to starting a business.

Lisa Gevelber is vice president of the broader initiative Grow With Google, its plan to help accelerate economic recovery and provide opportunities for millions. She says the key is a continually developing plan, with the online certificate programs at its core. Each of the new certificate programs --- in project management, data analytics, and user experience (UX) design --- is available on the online course platform Coursera, which works with universities and organizations to offer courses, certifications, and degrees in various subjects.

Google will also offer a new Associate Android Developer Certification course, over 100,000 need-based scholarships, and partnerships with more than 130 employers willing to hire graduates of the certification program. Most enrollees will finish in six months or less, at a cost of around \$240 for US students.

"Gaining a certificate is based on passing the assessments," proving someone can do the job, Gevelber says. And passing those assessments isn't easy. She describes them as "rigorous," but there's lots of support so students won't get discouraged. (Inc.)



Why Deb Haaland Matters

by Michael Leroy Oberg and Joel Helfrich

New Interior Secretary Deb Haaland's nomination signals a hopeful turn for "those who value the environment and appreciate the 172-year long historic relationship between Interior and America's Native Nations."

In 2018, Haaland became one of the first two Native American women ever elected to Congress.⁴

She has stated that she opposed hydraulic fracturing, or fracking, and was one of the first lawmakers to support the Green New Deal.⁵

<https://www.abqjournal.com/1422678/nm-congresspeople-continue-opposition-to-fracking-ban-proposal-from-democrats.html>

Haaland in her confirmation hearing called the climate crisis "the challenge of our lifetime," and said as Interior Secretary she would play a key role in the administration's efforts to address it.⁶

<https://www.c-span.org/video/?509102-1/interior-secretary-nominee-representative-deb-haaland-testifies-confirmation-hearing>

"The Department has a role in harnessing the clean energy potential of our public lands to create jobs and new economic opportunities," Haaland said. "The president's agenda demonstrates that America's public lands can and should be engines for clean energy production."⁷

<https://www.c-span.org/video/?509102-1/interior-secretary-nominee-representative-deb-haaland-testifies-confirmation-hearing>

Pretty darn amazing:

Watch This Mesmerizing Time-Lapse of the Sun's Last Decade

NASA released the hour-long video in honor of the ten-year anniversary of its satellite, the Solar Dynamics Observatory

https://www.smithsonianmag.com/smart-news/watch-mesmerizing-timelapse-suns-last-decade-180975231/?utm_source=smithsoniandaily&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=20210310-daily-responsive&spMailingID=44596963&spUserID=OTYyNTc5MzkyMTQyS0&spJobID=1960845586&spReportId=MTk2MDg0NTU4NgS2

Colombia: Violence Displaces Over 280 Indigenous People *teleSUR*

Excerpt: "The Ombudsman's Office reported the forced displacement of over 280 Indigenous people who are victims of the increasing violence in the Choco department in Colombia."

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Remember, said the Lorax, "no one can sing who has smog in his throat."

[TSMC Could Build Six GigaFabs in Arizona](#) by [AleksandarK](#)

Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company (TSMC), one of the largest manufacturers of silicon, is seemingly making plans to build as many as six of its US-based fabs in Arizona. According to the unconfirmed report coming from UDN, TSMC could be building its Arizona-based factories for much larger capacities. Based on TSMC's classifications, the MegaFab-class of factories is the one with 25,000 WSPM output. According to the report, TSMC plans to build six additional facilities in the area where the Arizona fab is, and have a GigaFab-class (even larger type) factory present on US soil. Currently, the company operates six GigaFabs and all of them are based in Taiwan.

The GigaFab class factory is supposed to have over 100,000 WSPM output, and by building one in the US, TSMC could get much closer to big customers like Apple, NVIDIA, and AMD. Reports are saying that TSMC's primary target is 3 nm node production on 12-inch (300 mm) wafers. All six of the supposed facilities are expected to output more than 100,000 wafers at their peak, making it one of the largest projects TSMC has ever done. The Arizona location is supposed to serve as a "mega fab" facility and it is supposed to start manufacturing silicon in 2024. This information is, of course, just a rumor so you should take it with a grain of salt, as this type of information is usually only known by top-level management.

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[New Food Sovereignty Lab will Promote Research, Indigenous Representation, Tribal Collaboration - Humboldt State Now](#)

[A groundbreaking facility at Humboldt State University is in the works to explore healthy, traditional Indigenous food systems and highlight Indigenous representation.](#)



[Dar Iuvatara](#)

For those who didn't understand, these are the remains of a tree... the diameter of the stump is about 2 miles, and the presumed height of the tree is about 10 miles.