

# PUENTE PROJECT NEWSLETTER



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*Celebrating*

**HISPANIC  
HERITAGE MONTH**

**STUDENT UNION**





# Opening Ceremony

L.A Harbor College kicked off and celebrated Hispanic Heritage Month with an Opening Ceremony. Such a fun but important event to celebrate the countless contributions that Latinos have made to this great nation. Big thanks to all the faculty, staff, administrators who attended the event. Go Harbor!

# HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH EVENTS



## HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH 2021



**SEPT 15**

**11:30 AM**

Opening Ceremony

Student Freedom Speech Location- [Click here to Register](#)

**SEPT 21**

**12:00 PM**

Hispanic/Chicano(a)/Latino(a) Identity by Dr. Pimentel

Via Zoom - [Click here to Join](#)

**SEPT 29**

**11:30 AM**

Chicano Read-In by the Puente Project

Tech 110 - [Click here to Register](#)

**OCT 6**

**12:30 PM**

The History of Latinos in Baseball by Son Nguyen

SCC 142 -[Click here to Register](#)

**OCT 8**

**12:00 PM**

Latinas in Sports: Understanding Obstacles  
and Opportunities in Athletics by Leslie Trujillo

Via Zoom - [Click to Register](#)

**OCT 13**

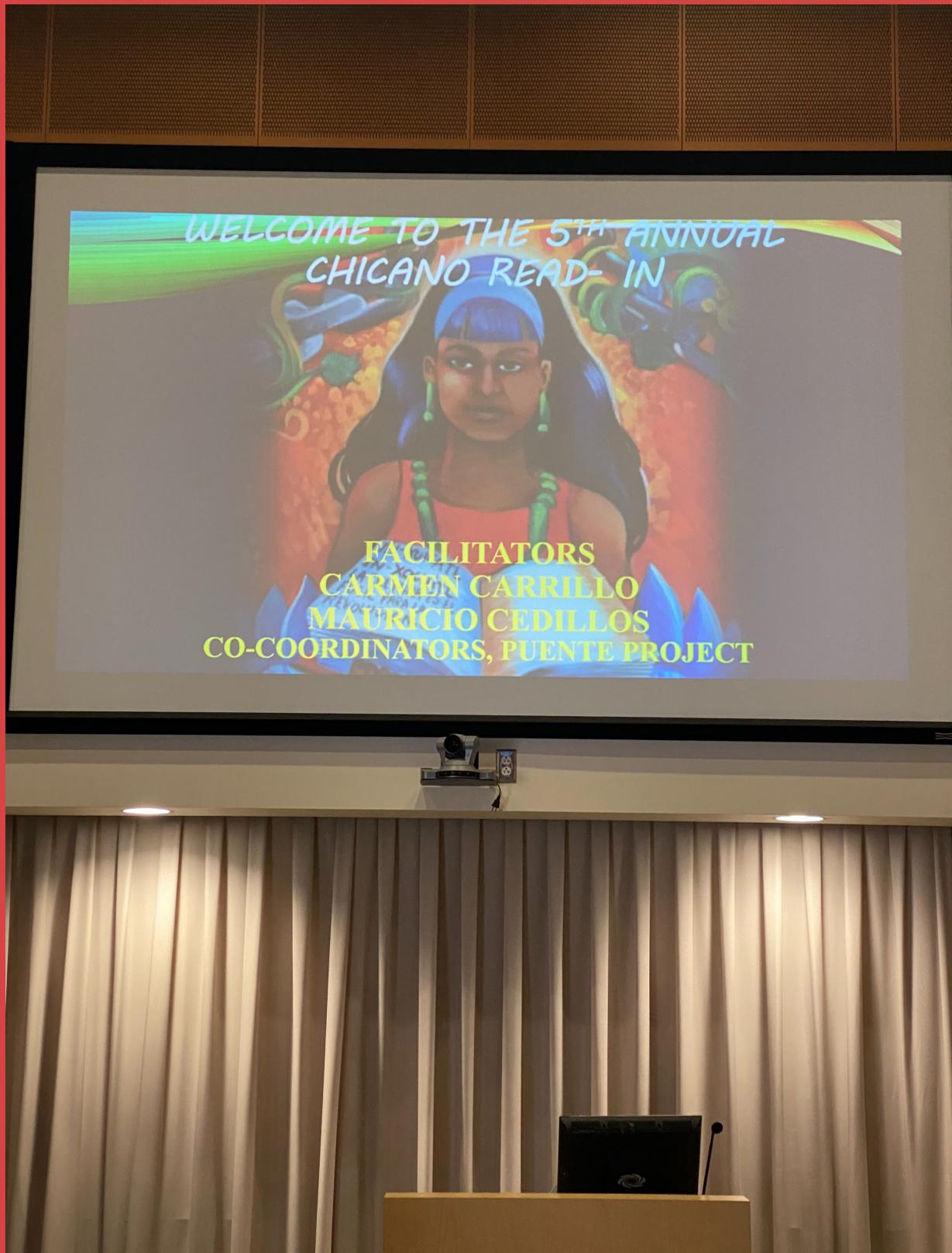
**3:00 PM**

Hispanic Heritage Month w/ Leo Rosales - lead singer of Malo

Via Zoom - [Click to Register](#)

Thank you to Dr. Pimentel, Son Nguyen, Leslie Trujillo, and Ivan Silva for facilitating amazing lessons related to Hispanic Heritage Month

# CHICANO READ-IN 2021



**Professor Carrillo and Mr. Cedillos facilitated the 5th annual Chicano Read-In. Students celebrated through stories, poems, and song. Big thanks to Interim President Dr. Dorado for attending and speaking to the students.**

# UC/CSU Transfer Application

## Zoom Sessions



November

Wednesdays  
5pm - 7pm

Via Zoom

November

Fridays  
12pm - 2pm

Via Zoom

The Puente Project supports all students transferring. Click on the dates above to open the Zoom session. These sessions are set up for application assistance. There is no specific presentation but more a question and answer session. See the Transfer Center for an additional CSU/UC application assistance. Contact Mr. Cedillos at [cedilma@lacc.edu](mailto:cedilma@lacc.edu) for questions.



**The Puente Project at LAHC is supporting all students transferring and will be providing additional application support throughout November via Zoom. For these sessions, there is no specific presentation but more a question and answer session. Spread the word!**

P U E N T E  
TRANSFER  
MOTIVATIONAL  
CONFERENCE

OCTOBER 15, 2021  
9:00 AM - 12:30 PM



"EMBRACING YOUR SUPERPOWERS"



**Las Cafeteras**  
Special Musical  
Guest Performance



**Gabby Rivera**  
Keynote Speaker  
Author of "Juliet Takes a Breath"  
8<sup>th</sup> 1st Latinx Writer for Marvel Comics



**Shane Ochoa**  
Conference Emcee  
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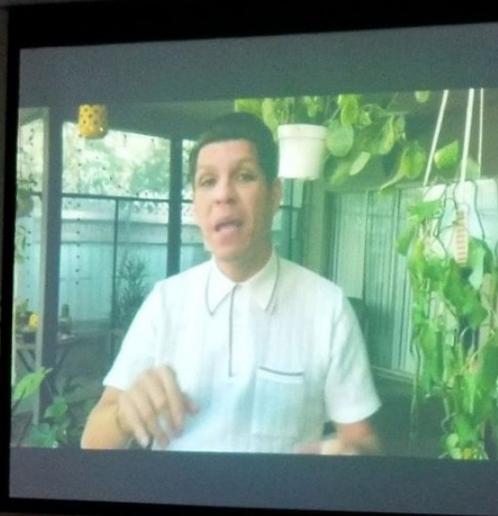
AGENDA INCLUDES:

- ★ MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKERS
- ★ UC ADMISSION REPRESENTATIVES
- ★ WORKSHOPS
- ★ RAFFLE PRIZES

REGISTRATION LINK:

[HTTPS://APPLY.BERKELEY.EDU/REGISTER/?ID=F00884FB-0E70-4099-B3F5-32E14257A841](https://apply.berkeley.edu/register/?ID=F00884FB-0E70-4099-B3F5-32E14257A841)

Register by September 30th



Puentistas participated in the annual Transfer Motivational Conference hosted by Puentes Statewide. This year, Keynote Speaker and Author Gabby Rivera provided some words to our students about "embracing your superpowers." Gabby is the 1st LatinX writer for Marvel Comics. Puentistas also participated in UC/CSU Workshops. At the end of the event, Puentes Statewide announced L.A Harbor College as the grand prize winner for the raffle. L.A Harbor College won a \$1000 award towards a field trip! Woooo! Go Harbor!



# PUENTE SESSIONS VIA ZOOM

*Dates Coming in  
Spring 2022*



**Stay connected with Mr. Cedillos and:**

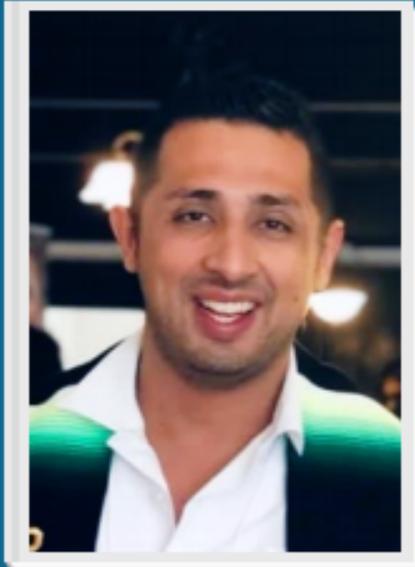
- **LAHC UPDATES**
- **TRANSFER INFORMATION**
- **CAMPUS/PUENTE RESOURCES**
- **AND MORE!**

**ZOOM: 435 879 8011**

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**Puente Sessions! If you would like to participate in the sessions and promote your program for the Spring 22 semester. Please contact Mr. Cedillos.**

# Meet the Puente Counselor



**Mauricio Cedillos**

Connect with me!

**Virtual or In-Person**



 [www.lahc.edu/puente](http://www.lahc.edu/puente)

 @puente\_lahc

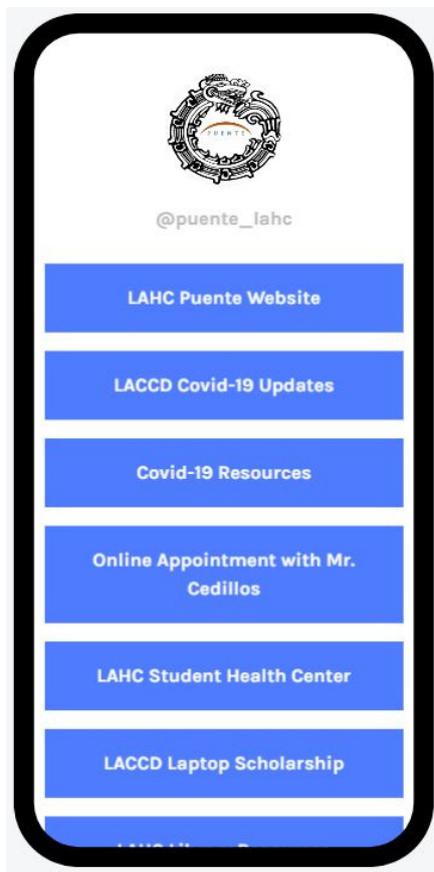
 [cedillma@laccd.edu](mailto:cedillma@laccd.edu)

*Connect with  
Mr. Cedillos*

**Mr. Cedillos is available for online counseling and in-person. Please email Mr. Cedillos to schedule an appointment.**



**The Puente Shell on Canvas has gone live! Students who are on phase 3 (post-Puente) have been added to Canvas. Puente Canvas will be utilized to support students virtually**



**To make this transition easier for students. Puente LAHC has created a LinkTree to access resources and services via Instagram. Resources and services include online counseling, LACCD COVID-19 updates, LAHC Student Health Center, and more. Please visit @puente\_lahc on Instagram and click the bio page to discover the LinkTree. The LinTree is updated monthly.**

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**The Puente Project thanks you for your continued support**

Please follow us via Instagram @puente\_lahc to receive daily LAHC Puente news and activity.



**If you have any questions please contact:  
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