

Indian Land Working Group *"Taking A Stand On Indian Land"*

ILWG 29th Indian Land Symposium

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MONDAY

September 9, 2019

On-Site REGISTRATION Starts

12:00pm–5:00pm

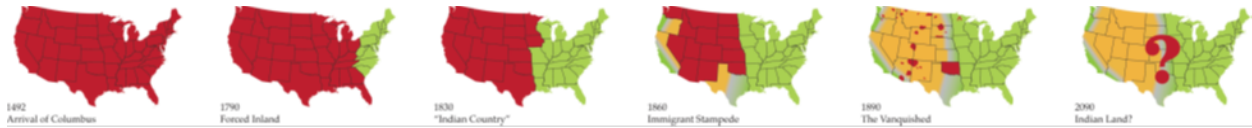
VENDOR REGISTRATION-all day

GALA RECEPTION 5:30pm-7:30pm

Meet, greet and share issues.

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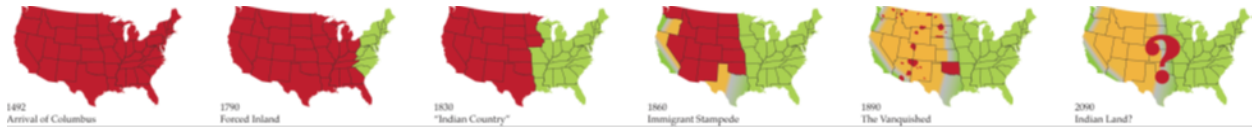


Tuesday
September 10, 2019

- 8:00 Registration & Breakfast
- 8:30-9:30 *Opening Ceremony: Bird Singers from Southern California and Welcome from Viejas President*
- 9:30-10:30 *“Blackfeet Project – Holistic Approach to Agriculture Resource Management Planning.”* Loren Birdrattler, Birdrattler Consulting
- 10:30-11:30 *“Keeping Our Land Through Probate.”* Develop a map to walk through current issues in probate; preserve your family’s land and resources under AIPRA; avoid loss of land through fractionation and improper inheritance. Alvina Earnhart, Partner, Fredericks Peebles and Patterson, LLP
- 11:30-12:00 Q & A
- 12:00 – 1:00 LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**
- 1:00-2:30 *“Roadways of Indian Agriculture, Trails, Streams, and Roads to Production.”*
“Water Is For Fightin’: Don’t Trust Your Trustee To Stick Up For You.” Bill Yellowtail
“Road Mapping Agricultural Considerations & Land Management.” Electa Red Corn
- 2:30-3:30 *“Options for Management of Allotments.”* E’Numuu Diip (END) Project, Numu Allottee Association, Madras, OR; Cheryl L. Lohman, Project Manager
- 3:30 – 4:30 *“Appraisals.”* James T. Green ,Appraisal and Valuation Services Office, Office of the Secretary, U.S. Department of the Interior

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Wednesday September 11, 2019

8:00-9:00 Breakfast

9:00 -10:30 “*Farm Bill Updates.*” Alvina Earnhart, J.D., Fredericks Peebles & Patterson LLP, Toni Stanger, J.D., Native American Agriculture Fund

BREAK – 10:30-10:45

10:45-11:45 “*BIA Roads: Federal Road Systems In Indian Country, Funding, Formulas, Population, Land base, Jurisdiction.*” Leroy Gishi, BIA Roads

11:45-12:00 Q & A

12:00–1:00 LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

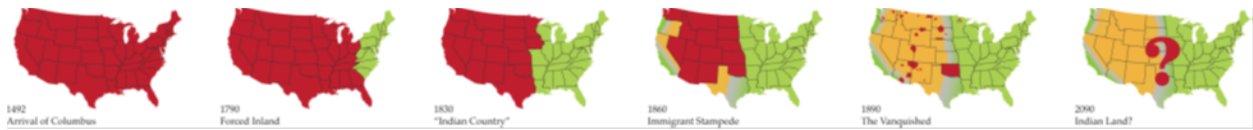
1:00-1:45 “*Decennial Census Data: Pathways In the US Census of 2020.*” What we need to know. Are you counted as Native American in a checkerboard area of the reservation? Is the population representative of the area for grant purposes? Jessica Imotichy, U.S. Census Bureau, State of California

1:45-4:00 “*Rights Of Way and Condemnation.*” This panel will be all-inclusive. These two topics were the most requested and our expert panel will be the best of the best to present on the topics. **COME WITH QUESTIONS AND PREPARATION TO SPEAK FOR ANSWERS AND POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS FROM THE EXPERTS.** Q&A – Sharing – Networking. Judge Sally Willett, Terry Beckwith, ICC

6:00-9:00 *Gala Dinner, Auction, and Recognition.* For a decade, ILWG has been honored to have *the one and only*, David Harrison, Esq., Master of Ceremonies and Master of all who follow his wit and wisdom.

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Thursday
September 12, 2019

8:00-9:00 Breakfast

9:00-9:15 Opening Prayer

9:15-10:15 *“Tourism Opportunities For Tribes and Allottees As Partners: Is there a Pathway?”* Ed Hall, BIA Tourism

10:15-11:00 *“Successful Reservation Planning Models.”* Salt River,

11:00-12:00 *“Landowners Guide.”* Native Land Project, Dr. Kristin Ruppel

12:00-12:30 *“Symposium Concept Summaries Applicable to Individual Indian Landowners and Tribes at the Grassroots Level.”*

- Tourism Opportunities
- Management Plans
- Family Probates
- Agriculture Production On Reservations
- Appraisals
- Use of Federal Laws to Assist Planning (Farm Bill)
- Make the Census Count for Indian Country
- Transportation Networks (Road development)
- Challenging ROWs and Condemnation

12:30 – Closing Remarks: Austin Nunez

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